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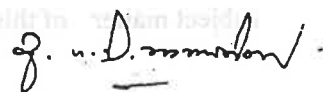
PREFACE

This is the 36th edition of the Statistical Abstract of which the first issue was published in 1949. The aim of the Statistical Abstract is to present a number of statistical tables on a wide range of subject fields providing statistical information on the Country's Population, Employment, Agriculture, Education, Trade, Industry, Climate, Communication, Social Conditions etc.

Every effort was made by the department to ensure that the information in the official Statistical Abstract of Sri Lanka is as comprehensive, clear and up to date as limitations of time and space allow. In order to help researchers, a series of data covering about 5 years are given wherever possible. The information in this issue has been revised and brought up to date to cover as far as possible the year 1998.

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Any suggestions for the improvement of this publication from the users and producers of data will be most welcome.



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GENERAL NOTES

1. **AREA COVERED :** All statistics relate to Sri Lanka.
2. **YEARS COVERED :** Except where it is stated to the contrary all statistics are for the calendar years ended 31st December.
3. **SYMBOLS EMPLOYED :** The following symbols have been used throughout the Abstract
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 - Nil or negligible
4. **REVISION :** Some of the figures included in this Abstract are regarded by the respective institutions as provisional only and may be revised subsequently.
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Where necessary, each figure has been rounded off to the nearest final digit. For this reason there may be, in some tables, an apparent slight discrepancy between the sum of the constituent terms and the totals as shown.
6. Wherever information has not been given in respect of any particular table it is because information was not available at the time of going to the press or because the subject matter of this particular table was under review.

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Total area		Sq.Km.	65,610
Land area		"	62,705
Inland waters		"	2,905
Population			
Population (mid year estimates)	1998	'000	18,802*
Population density	"	Per Sq.Km.	300*
Vital Statistics			
Live births:			
Both sexes (Total)	1997	Number	332,626*
Males	"	"	171,340*
Females	"	"	161,286*
Sex ratio at birth	"	Male births per '000 female births	1,062*
Crude Birth Rate	1997	Per'000 population	17.9*
Foetal Death			
Both sexes (Total)	1996	Number	1,113
Males	"	"	556
Females	"	"	557
Foetal Death Rate	"	Per '000 live births	5.6
Infant Mortality Rate	1996	Per '000 live births	17.3
Maternal Mortality Rate	1996	Per '000 live births	0.2
Deaths:			
Both sexes (Total)	1997	Number	113,078*
Males	"	"	70,212*
Females	"	"	42,866*
Crude Death Rate	1997	Per'000 population	6.1*
Nuptiality:			
Total number of marriages	1997	Number	164,407*
New acceptors rate	"	Per 1000 married women	78.7
Migration:			
Arrivals	1998	Number	925,136
Departures	"	"	942,275
Labour Force & Employment			
Labour Force:			
Total	1998 4th Qrt.	Number	6,620,702
Employed	"	"	6,036,221
Unemployed	"	"	584,480
Labour Force Participation Rate:			
Both sexes (Total)	"	Percent	51.4
Males	"	"	67.7
Females	"	"	35.5
Unemployment Rate:			
Both sexes (Total)	"	"	8.8
Males	"	"	5.6
Females	"	"	14.8
Government, Corporations and Statutory Boards employees			
Total	1997	Number	355,760
Males	"	"	249,987
Females	"	"	105,773
State sector, provincial public sector and semi government sector employees			
State sector	1 st March 1994	"	739,517
provincial public sector	"	"	221,229
Semi government sector	"	"	291,265
	"	"	227,023

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Yala season	1998	"	274,419
Paddy Production	1998	Metric Tons('000')	2,692
Maha season	1997/98	"	1,781
Yala season	1998	"	911
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Maha season	1997/98	Kgs. per net hectares	3,555
Yala season	1998	"	3,807
Cost of production			
Tea	1997/98	Rs. per Kg.	85.76*
Rubber	"	"	49.57*
Coconut	"	Rs. per 1000 nuts	2667.01*
Average per capita calorie availability(Total)	1998	Number	2230.61*
Animal	"	"	161.35
Vegetable	"	"	2,069.26
Forestry			
Total forest area	1998	Hectares	1,516,105
Forest plantation	"	"	134,854
Wildlife reserves	"	"	495,785
National parks	"	"	
Production of timber	"	Number	77,092
Railway sleepers	"	"	39,316
Electrical transmission posts	"	"	
Firewood	"	Cu.Metres	169,568
Fisheries			
Total fishing households	1996	Number	82,598
Total fish production	1998	Metric Tons	260,100*
Exports of major fish products	"	"	11,434
Imports of major fish products	"	"	71,214
Power			
Installed capacity	1998	Mwh.	1,646
Energy production	"	Gwh.	5,566*
(a) Domestic users	"	Number	1,797,333*
Energy consumed	"	Gwh.	1,368*
(b) Commercial users	"	Number	219,266*
Energy consumed	"	Gwh.	757*
(c) Industrial users	"	Number	24,226*
Energy consumed	"	Gwh.	1,612*
Gas production			
(a) LP gas	1997	MT	13,881
(b) Air mixed gas	1995	Cu.Metres ('000)	1,933
Transport			
Length of public roads	1998	kms.	11,171*
Number of registered motor vehicles	"	Number	1,511,207
Total number of road accidents	1997	"	48,232
Length of railway tracks	1998	kms.	1,447
Communication:			
Total number of post offices	1998	Number	4,362
Post office	"	"	582
Sub-post office	"	"	3,454
Agency post office	"	"	250
Co-operative thrift society post office	"	"	76

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Item	year	unit	Value
Prices			
Colombo Consumer's Price Index (Base: 1952 = 100) (CCPI)	1998	Number	2,284.9
Greater Colombo Consumer's Price Index (Base: Jan. to June 1989 = 100) (GCCPI)	"	"	235.2
Rate of Increase(CCPI)	"	Percent	9.4
National Accounts			
G.D.P. at current market prices	1997	Rs. Million	891,067
G.N.P. at current market prices	"	"	881,307
G.D.P. at constant market prices(1990)	"	"	457,905
G.N.P. at constant market prices(1990)	"	"	451,854
Per capita G.N.P. at			
Current market prices	1997	Rupees	47,505
Constant market prices(1990)	"	"	24,355
G.D.P. Implicit Price Deflator (Base 1990 = 100)	1997	Number	194.6
Annual average price change (G.D.P. Implicit)	"	Percent	8.5
G.D.P. Growth Rate(at constant prices)	"	"	6.4
Public Finance			
Revenue of central government			
Total receipts	1998	Rs. Million	192,703
Recurrent and capital expenditure of central government			
Recurrent expenditure(Total)	1998	Rs. Million	200,512
Capital expenditure(Total)	"	"	137,308
Co - operative Development			
Number of co-operative societies	1998	Number	11,845
Primary	"	"	11,705
Secondary	"	"	140
Liabilities of co-operative societies	"	Rs. Million	21,118
Health			
Number of government hospitals(1)	1997	Number	454
Number of beds(1)	"	"	52,291
Number of doctors(2)	"	"	5,628
Expenditure on health services(3)	"	Rs. Million	12,782
Education			
Total number of schools	1998	Number	10,947*
Government	"	"	10,313*
Private	"	"	79*
Privernas	"	"	555*
Total number of pupils	"	"	4,278,124*
Total number of teachers	"	"	194,823*
Pupil teacher ratio in Govt. schools	"	Number of pupils per teacher	22.2*
Tourism			
Total number of tourist arrivals	1998	Number	381,063
Total number of tourists nights	"	Number('000)	3,944
Tourists receipts	"	Rs. Million	14,816*
Average duration of stay(nights)	"	Number	10.4

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

* Provisional

** Class A & B roads only

(1) Excludes maternity homes and central dispensaries, but includes maternity hospitals
(De Soysa and Castle Street hospitals).

(2) Doctors of all grades in the Department of Health Services.

(3) Includes capital expenditure, grants, rebates and contributions.

CHAPTER I - AREA AND CLIMATE

AREA

Table 1.1 - Total area, land area and Inland water area by province and district (as at 1988)

Square kilometres			
Province / District	Total area	Land area	Inland waters
Sri Lanka	65,610	62,705	2,905
Western Province	3,684	3,593	91
Colombo	699	676	23
Gampaha	1,387	1,341	46
Kalutara	1,598	1,576	22
Central Province	5,674	5,575	99
Kandy	1,940	1,917	23
Matale	1,993	1,952	41
Nuwara Eliya	1,741	1,706	35
Southern Province	5,544	5,383	161
Galle	1,652	1,617	35
Matara	1,283	1,270	13
Hambantota	2,609	2,496	113
Northern Province	8,884	8,290	594
Jaffna	1,025	929	96
Kilinochchi	1,279	1,205	74
Mannar	1,996	1,880	116
Vavuniya	1,967	1,861	106
Mullaitivu	2,617	2,415	202
Eastern Province	10,472	9,361	635
Batticaloa	2,854	2,610	244
Amparai	4,415	4,222	193
Trincomalee	2,727	2,529	198
North-Western Province	7,888	7,506	382
Kurunegala	4,816	4,624	192
Puttalam	3,072	2,882	190
North Central Province	10,472	9,741	731
Anuradhapura	7,179	6,664	515
Polonnaruwa	3,293	3,077	216
Uva Province	8,500	8,335	165
Badulla	2,861	2,827	34
Moneragala	5,639	5,508	131
Sabaragamuwa Province	4,968	4,921	47
Ratnapura	3,275	3,236	39
Kegalle	1,693	1,685	8

Source - Survey Department

Table 1.1a - Area figures under land use (from 1981 to 1988 statistics)

Province / District	BUIL	NOVA	HOM	TEA	RUB	COCO	CIN	CAS	OIL	SUG	CROP	PADD
Western province												
Colombo	7,880	600	14,840	210	20,670	5,490	-	-	-	-	2,410	10,590
Kalutara	1,360	10	35,230	3,380	51,210	2,170	250	-	-	-	2,840	27,870
Gampaha	1,950	270	69,670	10	5,190	25,000	-	-	-	-	1,920	22,550
Central province												
Kandy	1,110	100	37,160	29,340	2,970	3,870	-	-	-	-	9,060	20,600
Nuwara Eliya	800	20	11,400	62,580	300	310	-	-	-	-	490	5,350
Matale	490	80	20,650	5,520	2,940	4,970	-	-	-	-	4,700	20,820
Southern province												
Galle	580	160	46,500	16,000	16,000	2,370	6,280	-	1,030	-	1,210	28,070
Matara	610	10	39,120	20,130	6,230	5,210	2,600	-	40	-	3,640	16,890
Hambantota	180	2,250	38,290	70	-	8,850	-	-	-	-	1,660	32,010
Northern province												
Vavuniya	440	-	15,870	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21,010
Mullaitivu	20	-	13,220	-	-	1,250	-	-	-	-	-	20,290
Jaffna	690	350	33,720	-	-	1,470	-	-	-	-	1,530	15,520
Kilinochchi	70	550	13,200	-	-	3,080	-	-	-	-	1,460	27,910
Mannar	140	60	3,800	-	-	1,060	-	2,100	-	-	3,460	22,210
Eastern province												
Amparal	200	-	17,910	-	-	600	-	-	-	7,630	-	55,850
Batticaloa	1,370	-	7,510	-	-	3,860	-	-	-	-	3,570	67,320
Trincomalee	1,230	50	18,830	-	-	2,420	-	-	-	6,270	-	45,680
North-western province												
Puttalam	860	1,020	34,480	-	-	47,380	-	330	-	-	200	19,690
Kurunegala	410	30	53,640	280	4,890	165,250	-	-	-	-	660	92,530
North central province												
Anuradhapura	660	570	53,600	-	-	850	-	-	-	-	70	117,870
Polonnaruwa	240	70	23,280	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	40,820
Uva Province												
Badulla	860	10	35,230	36,020	960	-	-	-	-	-	520	20,010
Moneragala	140	140	47,380	1,130	2,770	70	-	-	-	2,870	750	14,930
Sabaragamuwa province												
Kegalle	90	40	44,270	5,660	49,070	10,780	-	-	-	-	8,220	10,880
Ratnapura	260	90	52,480	21,300	35,830	3,730	-	-	-	-	4,220	23,200
Total	22,640	6,550	781,280	201,630	199,030	300,040	9,130	2,430	1,070	16,770	52,630	800,470

Table 1.1a(Contd.) - Area figures under land use (from 1981 to 1988 statistics)

Province / District	SPARSE	OTHER	DEN	OPEN	Forest				MANG	MARSH	WATER	BLAND
					PLAN	SCRUB	GRASS					
Western province												
Colombo	750	40	1,310	210	20	570	700	200	930	2,320	40	
Kalutara	14,840	60	14,430	1,410	770	650	80	220	460	2,210	310	
Gampaha	120	2,140	600	450	340	740	200	610	2,880	4,620	610	
Central province												
Kandy	28,280	3,890	22,230	8,120	1,380	12,110	6,010	-	-	2,350	550	
Nuwara Eliya	8,630	10,440	30,410	10,570	7,590	9,880	7,560	-	-	3,500	510	
Matale	45,600	2,400	48,100	9,510	2,260	20,180	5,580	-	-	4,110	1,590	
Southern province												
Galle	16,320	70	20,790	2,070	740	960	910	470	490	3,550	590	
Matara	9,690	80	14,250	2,990	1,430	3,070	200	20	480	1,310	250	
Hambantota	69,330	1,040	23,600	25,290	2,050	39,970	1,950	270	930	11,270	3,540	
Northern province												
Vavuniya	40,150	840	83,390	5,400	140	17,750	370	-	620	10,630	90	
Mullaitivu	22,400	100	133,490	31,620	2,740	13,010	640	270	1,260	20,160	1,230	
Jaffna	10,510	5,880	-	290	-	6,810	10	20	6,630	9,610	9,450	
Kilinochchi	16,300	700	24,850	10,250	10	10,230	420	610	5,070	7,390	5,800	
Mannar	11,590	-	89,020	13,360	50	22,410	3,680	1,480	5,960	11,550	7,670	
Eastern province												
Amparai	127,720	-	128,910	29,500	11,200	33,410	3,030	60	1,110	19,280	6,800	
Batticaloa	38,920	360	24,300	20,520	6,910	35,240	15,040	1,520	-	24,400	12,470	
Trincomalee	46,000	-	870	16,310	64,530	33,230	260	11,340	4,230	19,760	1,690	
North-western province												
Puttalam	58,700	1,320	54,890	19,350	7,430	19,430	4,240	2,320	2,350	18,950	1,060	
Kurunegala	112,710	40	9,150	3,280	6,050	7,280	120	-	-	19,160	2,110	
North central province												
Anuradhapur	186,500	600	125,070	68,140	4,720	103,590	1,730	-	1,110	51,520	1,300	
Polonnaruwa	51,120	1,040	94,670	37,020	2,960	40,600	10,750	-	7,030	21,560	2,070	
Uva Province												
Badulla	84,430	6,260	20,950	34,500	12,890	14,240	10,230	-	-	3,400	1,690	
Moneragala	186,330	180	167,550	58,000	6,160	44,070	14,130	-	860	13,140	5,330	
Sabaragamuwa province												
Kegalle	20	20,970	8,240	2,450	970	930	200	-	-	820	500	
Ratnapura	101,750	340	48,430	14,070	2,320	11,970	3,150	-	-	3,950	630	
Total	1,288,710	58,790	1,189,500	424,680	145,660	502,330	91,190	19,410	42,400	290,520	77,480	

Source - Survey Department

Note: Data are derived from 1:100,000(scale) maps to show the confidence level of data.

Explanation:	Residential, industrial, commercial, institutional, administrative, transportation, power plants and urban open spaces.
Built - Up land:	Mining, quarries, salterns, parks and botanical gardens, cultural and archeological sites.
Associated	
Non- Agricultural Land:	
Homesteads:	Family residential units surrounded by home gardens and open space, cultivation includes fruit trees, spices, vegetables, and small holdings of coconut, rubber, tea and other plantation crops.
Tea:	Land under tea cultivation, both seedling and vegetatively propagated tea, land under rehabilitation (guatemala or mana grass), partly inter-planted with shade trees.
Rubber:	Systematic, continuous planting of rubber trees in plantations.
Coconut:	Systematic, continuous planting of coconut trees in plantations.
Cinnamon:	Cinnamon cultivation on elevated plots.
Cashew:	Systematic, or unsystematic, scattered cultivation of cashew (cadju) plants, partly interrupted by shrubs and open land.
Palmyrah:	Systematic, continuous planting of palmyrah trees in plantations: Appearance similar to coconut, but slightly different crown shape.
Oilpalm:	Systematic, continuous planting of oilpalms in plantations. Very dark appearance and rough texture.
Mixed Tree and other	Continuous cultivation of monocultural or mixed coffee, cocoa, jack, kitul, palmyrah, cinnamon, cashew, oilpalm and other fruit trees or spices, partly intercropped with coconut, tea and rubber.
Perennial Crops:	Asweddumized paddy area, i.e. banded and ridged land intended for cultivation of rainfed or irrigated wet rice.
Paddy:	Chena (shifting cultivation) recently abandoned chena, sparsely used rainfed cropland(permanent dry cropping), neglected or abandoned tea, rubber and coconut lands, and land under development.
Sparsely Used	Irrigated sugarcane cultivation in rows, with distinct system of irrigation channels.
Cropland:	Tobacco, vegetables, sugarcane, other cash crops and rainfed highland crops in continuous cultivation.
Sugarcane:	Dense natural forest cover with a crown closure of more than approx. 75%.
Other Cropland:	
Natural Forest	Natural forest cover with a crown cover of approx. 45.75%.
Der.se Forest:	Man-made mono-cultural forests of teak, eucalyptus and pines.
Open Forest	Low-growing vegetation with more than 50% area coverage, including trees with less than approx. 45% crown closure.
Forest Plantations:	Open park country with less than 50% scrub coverage (Damana and Savannah), Villus and other temporarily flooded land, and Patana(up-country grassland
Scrubland:	Salt-tolerant and woody vegetation along sea coasts, lagoons and river mouths.
Grassland:	Permanently wet and muddy, uncultivable and frequently inundated areas.
Forested/Mangroves:	Sea, lagoons, tanks and reservoirs, and major rivers, all showing maximum water level.
Non-Forested/	Rock outcrops, sand dunes, beaches, earth slides, and other unproductive land.
Marsh & Swamps:	DEN, OPEN, PLAN, SCRUB, and GRASS
Forest:	

Table 1.2 - Land area by province, district and A.G.A. division (as at 1986)

		Square kilometres	
Province / District/ A.G.A. Division	Area exclu- ding large inland wa- ter areas	Province / District/ A.G.A. Division	Area exclu- ding large inland wa- ter areas
Western Province	3,631.9	(15) Pasbage Korale	119.4
Colombo District	656.7	(16) Pujapitiya	54.0
(1) Kaduwela	87.7	(17) Akurana	32.4
(2) Kesbawa	55.0	Matale District	1,993.3
(3) Moratuwa	19.8	(1) Matale	163.8
(4) Colombo Division	37.7	(2) Rattota	92.7
(5) Nugegoda	53.0	(3) Ukuwela	53.3
(6) Homagama	148.2	(4) Ambangaha Korale	52.3
(7) Kolonnawa	27.3	(5) Dambulla	456.3
(8) Avissawella	228.0	(6) Galewela	192.4
Gampaha District	1,386.6	(7) Laggala	389.0
(1) Negombo	30.8	(8) Vilgamuwa	262.9
(2) Katana	107.6	(9) Naula	250.1
(3) Minuwangoda	130.5	(10) Pallepola	80.5
(4) Wattala	54.6	Nuwara Eliya District	1,720.5
(5) Divulapitiya	202.2	(1) Kotmale	219.7
(6) Mirigama	186.6	(2) Ambagamuwa Korale	477.8
(7) Gampaha	95.7	(3) Walapane	303.6
(8) Attanagalla	154.0	(4) Nuwara Eliya	488.4
(9) Weke	178.3	(5) Uda Hewahata	231.0
(10) Mahara	98.8	Southern Province	5,497.4
(11) Ja-Ela	64.0	Galle District	1,635.6
(12) Kefaniya	21.9	(1) Bentota Walallawita East	151.0
(13) Biyagama	61.6	(2) Bentota Walallawita South	108.0
Kalutara District	1,588.6	(3) Bentota Walallawita Central	56.2
(1) Raigam Korale East	264.8	(4) Bentota Walallawita West	65.0
(2) Kalutara Totamuna North	80.6	(5) Four Gravets	18.7
(3) Kalutara Totamuna South	71.2	(6) Bope Poddala	35.6
(4) Panadura Totamuna	59.8	(7) Talpe Pattuwa North	107.1
(5) Gangaboda Pattuwa	241.8	(8) Talpe Pattuwa South	103.2
(6) Pasdun Korale South	215.0	(9) Ganga Boda Pattuwa North	177.0
(7) Pasdun Korale East	328.9	(10) Ganga Boda Pattuwa South	112.8
(8) Pasdun Korale West	120.5	(11) Hiniduma Pattuwa North	151.3
(9) Raigam Korale West	89.0	(12) Hiniduma Pattuwa South	180.7
(10) Dodangoda	117.0	(13) Wellaboda Pattu North	75.4
Central Province	5,620.1	(14) Wellaboda Pattuwa South	62.2
Kandy District	1,906.3	(15) Wellaboda Pattuwa East	163.8
(1) Udunuwara	66.8	(16) Akmeemana Four Gravets	67.6
(2) Yati Nuwara	70.0	Matara District	1,282.5
(3) Tumpane	109.2	(1) Morawak Korale West	322.4
(4) Harispattuwa	59.4	(2) Morawak Korale East	147.0
(5) Pata Dumbara	45.5	(3) Kandaboda Pattuwa East	52.2
(6) Uda Dumbara	280.2	(4) Kandaboda Pattuwa West	114.7
(7) Meda Dumbara	165.9	(5) Gangaboda Pattuwa South	52.8
(8) Kundasale	84.8	(6) Gangaboda Pattuwa North	79.8
(9) Panwila	96.8	(7) Weligama Korale North	252.2
(10) Minipe	242.0	(8) Weligama Korale South	66.3
(11) Gangawata	76.2	(9) Weligama Korale West	52.2
(12) Pata Hewaheta	122.9	(10) Wellaboda Pattuwa and	
(13) Uda Palatha (Gampola)	182.0	Four Gravets	98.2
(14) Ganga Ihala Korale	98.8	(11) Wellaboda Pattuwa East	44.7

Table 1.2(Contd.) - Land area by province, district and A.G.A.division (as at 1986)

		Square kilometres	
Province / District/ A.G.A. Division	Area exclu- ding large inland wa- ter areas	Province / District/ A.G.A. Division	Area exclu- ding large inland wa- ter areas
Hambantota District	2,579.3	(4) Koralai Pattu	923.4
(1) Tangalle	153.4	(5) Koralai Pattu North	510.1
(2) Weeraketiya	208.3	(6) Manmunai West	280.6
(3) Katuwana	168.7	(7) Manmunai South-West and Porathivu Pattu	296.9
(4) Ambalantota	248.0	Amparai District	4,318.2
(5) Angunakolapelessa	169.7	(1) Pothuwil	248.0
(6) Tissamaharama	1,056.9	(2) Akkarai Pattu	147.0
(7) Hambantota	476.8	(3) Addalachenai	57.7
(8) Beliatta	97.5	(4) Karawaku Pattu	22.1
Northern Province	8,687.6	(5) Samanturai Pattu	241.8
Jaffna District	983.6	(6) Wewagam Pattu North	672.1
(1) Delft Division	47.5	(7) Nintavur Pattu	45.7
(2) Islands Division South	94.6	(8) Wewagam Pattu South	384.8
(3) Islands Division North	62.7	(9) Panama Pattu	952.1
(4) Jaffna Division	20.8	(10) Bintenna Pattu North	591.7
(5) Valikamam West	47.3	(11) Bintenna Pattu South	790.4
(6) Valikamam South-West	48.0	(12) Thirukkoviil	164.8
(7) Valikamam North	58.5	Trincomalee District	2,630.8
(8) Valikamam East	101.1	(1) Muttur	179.4
(9) Valikamam South	31.2	(2) Kadukkulam Pattu East	313.3
(10) Thenmarachchi	217.1	(3) Gomarankadawala	285.0
(11) Vadamarachchi North	81.9	(4) Padaviya (Part)	217.1
(12) Vadamarachchi South	63.7	(5) Trincomalee Town and Gravets Division	148.0
(13) Pachchilappall	83.2	(6) Kinniya	146.9
(14) Nallur	26.0	(7) Kantalai	397.3
Kilinochchi District	1,235.0	(8) Seruwila	377.0
(1) Pachchilappall (Part)	146.9	(9) Tampalakamam	244.4
(2) Punakari	520.0	(10) Morawewa	322.4
(3) Karachchi	568.1	North-Western Province	7,826.2
Mannar District	1,985.2	Kurunegala District	4,812.8
(1) Mannar Division West	1,038.7	(1) Galgamuwa	448.4
(2) Mannar Islands Division	208.0	(2) Nikaweratiya	454.9
(3) Musalai Division	486.3	(3) Ibbagamuwa	469.4
(4) Nanadan	252.2	(4) Ridigama	254.8
Vavuniya District	1,300.3	(5) Kurunegala	243.7
(1) Vavuniya South (Tamil)	609.7	(6) Polpitiyagama	262.6
(2) Vavuniya South (Sinhala)	188.5	(7) Dambadeni Hatpattu	236.4
(3) Vavuniya North	769.6	(8) Wariyapola	310.4
(4) Vengalcheddikulam	399.1	(9) Hettipola	197.0
Mullaitivu District	2,516.9	(10) Bingiriya	267.7
(1) Thunukkai	326.3	(11) Pannaia	278.8
(2) Maritime Pattu	719.0	(12) Kuliyaipitiya	381.8
(3) Pudukudirippu	977.6	(13) Maho	389.3
(4) Mantai East	494.0	(14) Mawathagama	104.6
Eastern Province	9,635.3	(15) Polgahawela	186.2
Batticaloa District	2,686.3	(16) Giribawa	200.8
(1) Eravur Pattu	544.8	(17) Kobelgane	126.0
(2) Eruvil and Manmunai South	42.5		
(3) Manmunai North	78.0		

Table 1.2(Contd.) - Land area by province, district and A.G.A.division (as at 1986)

		Square Kilometres	
Province / District/ A.G.A. Division	Area exclu- ding large inland wa- ter areas	Province / District/ A.G.A. Division	Area exclu- ding large inland wa- ter areas
Puttalam District	3,013.4	(6) Uva Paranagama	140.4
(1) Puttalam Pattu and Gravets	365.8	(7) Kandaketiya	156.0
(2) Vanathavillu	723.6	(8) Meegahakiwula	110.5
(3) Kalpitiya Division	181.4	(9) Bandarawela	176.8
(4) Kumarawanni Palata	522.0	(10) Mahiyangana	610.2
(5) Naththandiya	148.2	(11) Welimada	184.0
(6) Pittigal Korale North	178.0	(12) Haldumulla	442.5
(7) Raja Wannu Palata	489.3	Moneragala District	5,545.6
(8) Kirlimetiya	167.7	(1) Bibile	481.0
(9) Wennappuwa	125.5	(2) Medagama	191.1
(10) Arachchi Kattuwa	211.9	(3) Moneragala Division	302.9
North-Central Province	10,258.5	(4) Kandukara Korale	243.6
Anuradhapura District	7,034.3	(5) Buttale	1,297.4
(1) Kunmuttu Korale	611.5	(6) Madulla	660.7
(2) Horawapathana	834.6	(7) Thanamalwila	1,343.1
(3) Hurulu Palatha Central	341.0	(8) Siyambalanda	1,025.8
(4) Hurulu Palatha South	344.8	Sabaragamuwa Province	4,948.2
(5) Nuwaragam Palatha West	967.4	Ratnapura District	3,255.4
(6) Nuwaragam Palatha South	398.3	(1) Kuruwita Korale	263.1
(7) Nuwaragam Palatha East	162.5	(2) Peimadulla	135.2
(8) Huruluwewa	312.5	(3) Nivithigala	245.7
(9) Kafagam Palatha North	125.9	(4) Kalawana	215.8
(10) Kafagam Palatha South	384.3	(5) Kolonna Korale	490.6
(11) Kadawath Korale	450.5	(6) Atakalan Korale	422.5
(12) Kande Korale	436.8	(7) Imbulpe	252.2
(13) Kekirawa	206.0	(8) Ratnapura	330.2
(14) Padaviya (Part)	240.5	(9) Weligepola	125.3
(15) Mihintale	938.6	(10) Eheliyagoda	139.1
(16) Nuwaragam Palata(Central)	289.1	(11) Balangoda	327.6
Polonnaruwa District	3,224.2	(12) Ayagama	308.1
(1) Sinhala Pattu	356.8	Kegalle District	1,692.8
(2) Tamankaduwa	1,306.0	(1) Galboda Korale East	114.0
(3) Elahara	372.3	(2) Galboda Korale West	95.5
(4) Lankapura	252.2	(3) Paranakuru Korale	113.4
(5) Medirigiriya	936.9	(4) Beligal Korale East	144.3
Uva Province	8,348.4	(5) Beligal Korale West	190.8
Badulla District	2,802.8	(6) Dehigampala Korale	160.0
(1) Badulla	93.6	(7) Lower Bulathgama	317.2
(2) Haputale	49.9	(8) Atulugama East	198.9
(3) Sorannatota	206.0	(9) Atulugama Korale	
(4) Ridimaliyadda	360.7	West and Panawala Korale	222.0
(5) Passara	272.2	(10) Rambukkana	136.7

Source - Survey Department

Table 1.3 - Area of Municipalities

Municipality	Square Kilometers	
	Total area	
Colombo	37.3	
Dehiwela-Mount Lavinia	21.0	
Negombo	10.4	
Kandy	25.6	
Matale	5.2	
Nuwara Eliya	15.0	
Galle	16.8	
Jaffna	20.2	
Batticaloa	16.6	
Kurunegala	11.4	
Badulla	10.4	
Ratnapura	20.2	

Source - Survey Department

Table 1.4 - Area of urban councils

Urban Council	Total area in sq. kilometres	Urban Council	Total area in sq. kilometres
Colombo District		Hambantota District	
Awissawella	19.7	Hambantota	6.0
Kolonnawa	16.3	Tangalle	3.6
Kotte	16.9	Jaffna District	
Moratuwa	19.3	Point Pedro	11.1
Gampaha District		Chavakachcheri	19.5
Gampaha	2.2	Valvettiturai	7.3
Ja-Ela	7.7	Vavuniya District	
Wattaia-Mabole	4.4	Vavuniya	21.5
Peliyagoda	3.6	Amparai District	
Minuwangoda	3.1	Amparai	24.7
Seeduwa-Katunayake	21.8	Trincomalee District	
Kalutara District		Trincomalee	7.8
Boruwala	4.4	Kurunegala District	
Horana	4.1	Kuliyapitiya	7.9
Kalutara	8.5	Puttalam District	
Panadura	7.0	Chilaw	5.6
Kandy District		Puttalam	25.6
Gampola	3.3	Anuradhapura District	
Kadugannawa	0.8	Anuradhapura	41.0
Nawalapitiya	4.3	Preservation Board	
Wattegama	4.2	Badulla District	
Nuwara Eliya District		Bandarawela	1.7
Talawakele-Lindula	1.5	Haputale	2.3
Hatton-Dickoya	2.1	Ratnapura District	
Galle District		Balangoda	6.5
Ambalangoda	7.1	Kegalle District	
Matara District		Kegalle	6.5
Matara	8.2		
Welligama	5.3		

Source - Survey Department

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RAINFALL

There are four rainfall seasons during the year. These are :-

1. The South - west monsoon period (May to September)
2. The Inter monsoon period following the South-west monsoon (October to November)
3. The North - east monsoon period (December to February)
4. The Inter monsoon period following the North- east monsoon (March to April)

Rainfall is of three types- monsoonal, convectional and depressional. Monsoon rain occurs during the two monsoon periods, namely, the South - west and North - east, and is responsible for nearly 55% of the annual precipitation. Convectional rain occurs during the inter - monsoon periods, mainly in the afternoon or evening and is likely to be experienced anywhere over the Island. Depressional rain also occurs during the inter - monsoonal periods, particularly during the second inter monsoon (October to November).

The annual average rainfall varies from below 1000 mm (39") over a small region in the arid parts of the North - west and South - east of the Island to over 5000 mm (197") at a few places in the Kegalle and Nuwara Eliya districts (on the South - western slopes of the central hills).

Rainfall during the South - west monsoon is mostly over the South - western parts of the Island. At the beginning it occurs in the South - western low country. As winds strengthen, it spreads gradually to the interior, with considerable heavy rain in the hill country from June to August. South - west monsoon rainfall exceeds 3000 mm (118") at a few places in the Kegalle and Nuwara Eliya districts.

During the North - east monsoon, the eastern half of the Island receives from about 200 mm (8") to over 1200 mm (47") of rain. The higher rainfalls are experienced over the Rangala range of hills.

During the inter - monsoon periods, winds are generally light except for the sea breeze which develops from about noon and is also responsible for the thunder showers that occur in the afternoon or evening. These showers may occur anywhere over the Island. Another source of rain during these periods is depressional activity.

Depressions are responsible for a good part of the precipitation during the inter - monsoon period, October to November. Rainfall during this period is therefore widespread and exceeds 500 mm (20") at many places. Taking the Island as a whole, this is the rainiest period of the year.

Conditions are similar during the other inter - monsoonal period, from March to April, but the rainfall is less, mainly because of less depressional activity.

TEMPERATURE

The mean annual temperature over Sri Lanka, which lies within latitudes of approximately 6 deg N and 10 deg N and longitudes of approximately 80 deg E and 82 deg E, is about 27.5 deg C over the lowlands. The oceanic influence (the maximum breadth of the Island being only 225 kilometers) helps to reduce the temperature in lowlands by sea breeze. The highlands in the central region enjoy a cooler climate with a mean temperature of 18 deg C.

Temperature decreases at a steady rate of about 6.5 deg C for each 1,000 metre rise. Thus, at Kandy, which is 488 metres above mean sea level, the mean annual temperature is about 24.5 deg C, at Diyatalawa, (1,250 metres above mean sea level) the mean annual temperature is about 20.2 deg C, and at Nuwara-Eliya, where the elevation is 1895 metres, the mean annual temperature is about 15.8 deg C.

A noteworthy feature in many parts of Sri Lanka is the small variation in the mean monthly temperatures throughout the year. On

average, the mean temperature of 25.0 deg C during the coolest months, November to February, is only 2.4 deg C lower than that during the warmest months April and May.

Higher temperatures are experienced generally in the Northern, North - central and Eastern regions of the Island and range between 33.3 deg C and 34.7 deg C, on average.

Lower temperatures are experienced during the early hours of the day, a little before dawn. Along the coast, these temperatures occur during December and January and range between 21.0 deg C and 24.2 deg C, on average. At Nuwara Eliya the average maximum temperature is 22.8 deg C in April (highest) and the average minimum temperature is 9.4 deg C in January (lowest). The minimum temperature at Nuwara Eliya falls below the freezing point (0 deg C) only very occasionally.

Diurnal variation of temperature, i.e., the rise to a maximum early in the afternoon and the fall to a minimum shortly before dawn, is well marked. Its magnitude depends on the season. There is a gradual increase in the range with altitude as well as with distance from the sea.

RELATIVE HUMIDITY

Relative humidity varies generally from about 70 percent during the day to about 90 to 95 percent at night. In the dry zone, however, these values are lower by about 5 percent, while in the driest areas in the North - west and South - east relative humidity drops to about 60 percent.

HAIL

During intense thunderstorms, hail is experienced occasionally. It occurs mainly in the hill - country but there have been reports of the occurrence of hail in low - country stations too.

GROUND FROST

Ground frost occurs in Nuwara - Eliya on a few days of the year during the months of January and February.

CLIMATE CHANGE

Statistical analyses of air temperature and rainfall data collected by the Department of Meteorology over a period of more than 100 years have shown an increasing trend in the annual mean air temperature over the entire island, particularly during the more recent period, 1961 - 1990. This increase was found to be approximately 0.16 deg C per decade. Rainfall trends were found to be somewhat complex; there were decreasing trends over most of the island except for some isolated areas in the north-western province, where an increasing trend was indicated. Thunderactivity, in addition to showing an increasing trend, was found to be positively correlated with air temperature.

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Table 1.5 - Mean annual and monthly air temperature at observation stations, 1989 - 1998

Station and month	Degrees Celsius										
	Average 1961 - 1990	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Colombo											
Annual Mean	27.4	27.5	27.7	27.7	27.6	27.7	27.7	27.9	27.8	27.8	28.4
January	26.6	27.1	26.6	26.6	27.1	26.9	27.0	27.6	27.3	27.0	27.9
February	26.9	26.6	28.2	26.7	27.1	27.5	27.3	27.7	27.1	27.0	28.9
March	27.7	27.3	28.2	28.1	28.1	27.9	28.1	28.5	28.4	28.3	29.3
April	28.2	28.4	28.5	28.5	29.2	28.5	28.5	28.1	28.5	28.6	29.7
May	28.3	28.3	28.5	28.9	28.4	28.3	28.5	28.6	29.5	28.5	29.7
June	28.0	27.3	28.5	27.9	28.1	28.4	28.3	28.1	28.0	28.5	28.7
July	27.6	27.3	27.3	28.2	27.3	27.8	27.9	27.9	27.6	28.1	27.9
August	27.5	27.8	27.9	28.1	27.7	28.1	27.9	27.9	28.0	28.5	28.1
September	27.5	27.8	28.5	28.4	27.5	27.9	27.5	28.1	27.6	27.5	28.3
October	27.0	27.1	27.5	26.9	27.3	27.3	26.6	27.8	27.3	27.3	27.7
November	26.7	27.5	26.7	26.9	26.8	27.2	26.9	27.2	27.0	27.3	27.2
December	26.6	27.4	26.4	26.8	26.6	26.9	27.6	27.5	26.7	27.4	26.9
Trincomalee											
Annual Mean	28.5	28.6	28.4	28.7	28.5	28.5	28.6	26.3	28.7	28.2	29.4
January	26.0	26.7	26.4	26.5	26.7	26.7	26.3	26.5	26.8	26.3	27.3
February	26.8	26.9	28.1	27.1	26.9	27.3	26.6	27.1	27.2	..	28.4
March	27.9	27.7	28.8	27.7	27.3	27.9	28.1	28.5	28.3	27.6	28.9
April	29.4	30.1	30.3	29.5	29.5	29.0	29.3	29.0	29.7	..	30.5
May	30.5	31.7	30.1	31.3	30.5	30.2	30.9	30.5	32.0	..	30.9
June	30.5	30.2	..	30.4	30.5	30.6	30.7	31.1	29.6	..	31.7
July	30.1	28.5	..	30.7	30.3	29.8	31.0	30.7	30.4	30.7	30.5
August	29.9	29.7	29.6	30.3	30.5	30.5	31.1	30.3	29.8	30.6	30.2
September	29.6	29.0	29.5	29.9	29.3	30.1	29.9	30.0	29.3	29.1	30.1
October	28.2	28.5	28.3	27.8	27.9	28.1	27.4	28.5	28.2	27.5	29.4
November	26.7	27.0	27.3	26.5	26.5	26.3	26.3	27.0	26.9	26.9	28.1
December	26.1	26.7	26.1	26.3	25.9	25.5	26.3	26.7	26.2	27.1	26.5
Hambantota											
Annual Mean	27.2	27.2	27.8	27.5	27.3	27.3	27.3	27.6	27.5	27.7	28.4
January	26.3	26.4	26.3	26.7	26.3	26.5	26.5	26.9	26.5	26.9	27.6
February	26.6	26.1	28.0	26.7	26.3	26.9	26.7	26.7	26.9	26.9	28.5
March	27.4	26.7	27.8	28.1	27.0	27.4	27.7	27.7	27.7	27.7	28.9
April	28.1	28.3	28.8	28.5	28.6	28.7	28.0	28.5	28.0	28.3	29.7
May	28.1	28.2	28.6	28.8	28.3	28.1	28.3	27.9	28.6	27.9	29.7
June	27.8	27.2	27.6	27.5	28.4	27.7	28.3	27.6	28.0	28.3	28.8
July	27.7	27.2	27.6	28.1	27.1	27.3	28.1	28.8	27.7	28.5	28.7
August	27.3	27.0	28.7	27.9	27.9	27.2	27.3	27.4	28.4	28.4	27.9
September	27.2	27.5	28.3	28.3	27.3	27.5	26.9	27.9	27.2	27.3	28.3
October	27.1	27.3	27.8	26.9	27.5	27.1	26.7	27.7	27.6	27.4	28.1
November	26.7	27.5	27.0	26.9	26.7	26.9	26.7	27.7	27.0	26.9	27.5
December	26.4	27.1	26.0	26.1	26.2	26.7	27.1	26.6	26.6	27.5	26.7

Table 1.5(Contd.) - Mean annual and monthly air temperature at observation stations, 1989 - 1998

Station and month	Degrees Celsius										
	Average 1961 - 1990	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Ratnapura											
Annual Mean	27.5	27.5	27.7	27.6	25.1	27.4	27.1	27.2	20.3	27.6	27.8
January	27.2	27.2	27.3	27.3	27.0	27.7	26.5	27.2	26.9	27.2	27.9
February	27.8	28.1	29.1	27.7	28.4	28.3	27.3	27.4	27.3	28.0	29.1
March	28.3	28.7	28.7	28.7	29.7	28.3	27.6	28.3	28.3	28.2	29.3
April	28.5	28.7	28.7	28.5	29.2	28.9	27.9	28.1	28.1	28.4	29.4
May	27.9	27.8	27.9	28.8	28.1	27.6	27.7	27.7	..	28.0	28.7
June	27.3	26.3	27.5	27.3	27.3	27.7	27.5	26.9	..	27.8	27.4
July	27.1	26.4	26.7	27.5	26.7	27.1	26.9	27.1	..	27.0	27.1
August	27.1	27.1	27.6	27.1	27.1	26.7	26.9	26.7	27.0	27.5	26.9
September	27.0	26.8	27.9	27.9	26.8	26.9	26.9	26.9	26.2	27.0	26.9
October	27.1	27.2	27.4	26.5	-	26.7	26.6	27.0	26.6	27.5	26.9
November	27.1	28.0	27.3	27.1	26.7	26.8	26.7	26.8	27.0	27.5	27.1
December	27.1	27.9	26.6	26.9	26.5	26.3	26.9	26.7	26.5	27.3	26.7
Anuradhapura											
Annual Mean	27.7	28.1	28.2	28.2	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.4	28.1	28.8	29.0
January	25.3	26.2	25.3	26.1	25.7	25.5	25.9	26.2	26.6	26.5	27.3
February	26.5	26.8	28.2	26.9	27.5	27.3	26.8	27.2	27.3	27.4	29.3
March	28.3	28.8	29.1	29.5	29.4	29.0	28.5	29.2	29.4	29.8	30.7
April	29.2	30.4	30.1	29.5	30.1	29.5	29.5	29.2	29.0	29.5	31.5
May	28.8	29.7	28.7	30.1	28.7	29.3	29.7	29.0	29.9	29.2	29.9
June	28.8	28.3	29.0	28.2	28.7	29.1	29.1	29.2	28.3	29.7	29.8
July	28.8	28.2	28.8	28.8	28.7	28.6	28.9	29.3	29.0	29.8	29.2
August	28.8	29.1	28.6	29.5	28.9	29.1	29.0	29.3	29.1	30.0	28.6
September	28.6	28.7	29.3	29.9	28.9	29.5	29.2	29.8	28.2	29.2	28.9
October	27.7	28.2	28.3	27.8	27.7	27.7	27.1	29.1	27.8	28.7	28.7
November	26.4	26.9	27.1	26.6	26.9	26.6	26.3	27.0	27.1	27.9	27.5
December	25.5	26.3	25.8	26.1	25.2	25.5	25.9	26.3	25.8	27.6	26.7
Katugastota											
Annual mean	24.6	24.6	25.0	24.7	24.6	24.7	24.7	24.8	24.7	25.2	25.6
January	23.3	23.5	23.1	23.7	23.5	23.1	23.5	24.2	23.4	23.9	25.1
February	24.2	23.6	26.0	23.7	23.7	24.4	23.9	23.9	24.4	23.6	26.5
March	25.6	25.5	26.0	26.3	26.1	25.5	25.1	25.0	25.9	26.1	27.7
April	26.1	26.7	26.4	26.0	27.1	26.6	26.1	26.4	26.1	26.3	28.3
May	25.6	25.6	25.7	26.6	25.7	25.7	26.1	25.7	26.2	25.9	26.9
June	24.8	24.0	25.1	24.9	24.7	24.8	25.2	25.2	25.0	25.6	25.7
July	24.5	24.3	24.2	24.7	24.1	24.3	24.7	24.8	24.6	25.2	25.0
August	24.4	24.4	24.7	24.7	24.5	24.3	24.4	24.8	24.9	25.3	24.7
September	24.3	24.3	25.0	24.9	24.1	24.6	24.7	24.8	24.3	25.0	24.3
October	24.4	24.6	25.2	23.9	24.3	24.5	24.5	24.7	24.3	25.5	24.5
November	24.2	24.8	24.3	24.3	24.5	24.6	24.4	24.4	24.4	25.4	24.6
December	23.7	24.2	23.8	23.5	23.1	23.9	23.7	23.4	23.4	25.1	24.1

Table 1.5(Contd.) - Mean annual and monthly air temperature at observation stations, 1989 - 1998

Degrees Celsius

Station and month	Average 1961 - 1990	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Diyatalawa and Bandarawela +											
Annual mean	20.2	19.9	20.6	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.6	21.0	20.6	16.7	21.6
January	18.2	18.2	17.7	18.7	18.2	18.3	18.9	19.1	18.4	14.0	20.0
February	18.9	17.9	20.4	19.2	19.5	19.1	19.5	19.3	19.1	14.2	20.8
March	20.0	19.3	20.3	20.6	20.9	20.3	20.5	20.7	20.5	15.4	21.3
April	20.9	20.8	21.2	21.3	21.9	21.4	20.9	21.4	21.5	16.8	22.5
May	21.5	21.6	22.0	22.1	22.1	22.1	22.3	22.0	23.0	17.6	23.5
June	21.4	20.7	21.7	21.7	22.5	21.9	22.5	22.5	21.4	17.8	23.2
July	21.2	20.5	20.9	22.3	21.7	21.7	21.9	22.3	20.3	18.5	22.6
August	21.1	20.6	-	22.1	21.7	21.9	21.5	22.1	21.8	18.4	21.6
September	20.7	20.6	21.6	21.7	21.1	21.5	20.9	22.2	21.4	17.2	21.9
October	20.2	20.2	20.7	20.5	20.7	20.6	19.7	21.0	21.0	16.7	22.0
November	19.6	19.9	19.9	19.7	19.7	19.8	19.4	20.2	20.1	16.9	20.6
December	18.9	18.6	18.9	18.5	18.3	19.3	18.8	18.6	19.3	16.6	19.3
Nuwara Eliya											
Annual mean	15.9	15.8	16.1	16.1	15.7	16.0	16.1	16.2	16.0	11.9	16.6
January	14.7	14.9	14.7	15.3	14.6	14.5	15.5	15.4	14.5	8.4	16.1
February	15.3	15.0	16.4	15.7	14.4	15.0	15.8	15.3	15.6	8.1	16.8
March	16.3	16.1	16.8	16.7	16.5	16.3	16.2	16.5	16.4	10.8	17.7
April	17.1	17.1	17.7	17.1	17.5	17.3	16.9	17.5	17.2	11.6	18.5
May	17.1	16.9	17.1	17.7	17.1	17.1	17.5	17.2	17.7	13.0	17.7
June	16.1	15.6	15.8	16.3	15.7	16.5	16.0	16.5	16.5	12.6	17.0
July	15.7	15.8	15.6	16.1	15.5	15.2	15.7	16.2	15.5	14.1	16.3
August	15.7	15.6	15.5	16.2	15.7	15.9	15.8	16.2	15.7	13.6	16.2
September	15.7	..	..	16.5	15.7	16.3	..	16.2	15.7	12.7	15.9
October	15.8	..	16.5	15.5	15.5	16.0	..	16.3	15.8	12.4	16.1
November	15.4	16.2	15.8	15.6	15.8	16.3	..	16.2	15.9	12.8	15.8
December	14.8	15.2	15.4	14.7	14.9	15.9	15.9	14.7	15.2	12.8	15.3

Source - Department of Meteorology

+ Diyatalawa station has been shifted to Bandarawela from August, 1990.

Table 1.6 (Contd.) - Mean monthly minimum and maximum air temperature at observation stations, 1994- 1998

Degrees Celsius

Station	1997											
	January		February		March		April		May		June	
	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum
Colombo	22.3	31.7	22.7	31.3	24.3	32.2	24.8	32.4	25.4	31.6	25.5	31.5
Trincomalee	23.5	29.2	23.5	..	24.4	30.8	25.4	..	25.8	..	25.9	..
Hambantota	22.8	31.0	22.9	31.0	23.8	31.6	24.8	31.8	25.3	30.6	25.4	31.1
Ratnapura	20.7	33.6	21.6	34.4	22.0	34.5	22.8	34.0	23.8	32.3	23.2	32.4
Anuradhapura	21.0	31.9	20.7	34.2	23.2	36.5	24.0	35.0	24.9	33.4	25.1	34.4
Katugastota	18.1	29.6	16.9	30.3	19.7	32.6	21.0	31.6	21.7	30.2	21.1	30.2
Bandarawela	14.0	24.0	14.2	25.0	15.4	26.7	16.8	26.2	17.6	26.5	17.8	26.5
Nuwara Eliya	8.4	20.4	8.1	21.3	10.8	22.7	11.6	22.1	13.0	21.9	12.6	21.3

Table 1.6 (Contd.) - Mean monthly minimum and maximum air temperature at observation stations, 1994- 1998

Degrees Celsius

Station	1997											
	July		August		September		October		November		December	
	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum
Colombo	25.7	30.5	26.3	30.8	24.7	30.3	23.8	30.8	23.9	30.7	23.8	31.0
Trincomalee	25.5	35.9	25.3	35.9	24.3	33.9	24.0	31.0	23.9	29.9	24.7	29.5
Hambantota	25.5	31.4	25.2	31.4	24.6	30.1	24.3	30.4	24.1	29.7	24.3	30.7
Ratnapura	23.6	30.5	23.9	31.2	22.9	31.2	22.7	32.3	22.9	32.0	22.7	32.0
Anuradhapura	25.4	34.1	25.5	34.6	24.7	33.8	23.8	33.5	23.8	31.9	23.8	31.4
Katugastota	22.0	28.3	21.8	28.9	20.6	29.3	21.1	29.9	21.5	29.3	21.0	29.1
Bandarawela	18.5	26.8	18.4	27.3	17.2	25.9	16.7	24.5	16.9	23.9	16.6	23.0
Nuwara Eliya	14.1	19.3	13.6	19.4	12.7	20.4	12.4	20.7	12.8	20.5	12.8	19.7

Table 1.6 (Contd.) - Mean monthly minimum and maximum air temperature at observation stations, 1994- 1998

Degrees Celsius

Station	1998											
	January		February		March		April		May		June	
	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum
Colombo	23.9	31.8	24.8	32.9	25.5	33.1	26.0	33.4	27.0	32.5	26.3	31.2
Trincomalee	25.0	29.7	25.3	31.5	25.7	32.2	26.8	34.2	27.1	34.6	27.2	36.2
Hambantota	24.3	30.9	24.8	32.3	25.0	32.9	26.8	33.2	26.8	32.7	35.9	31.7
Rathapura	22.7	33.0	23.2	34.9	23.2	35.5	23.9	34.9	24.6	32.8	24.0	30.8
Anuradhapura	23.2	31.4	23.8	34.7	24.5	37.0	25.8	37.1	25.9	33.8	26.1	33.5
Katugastota	20.7	29.5	21.1	31.8	21.2	34.1	22.3	34.3	22.5	31.2	22.7	28.6
Bandarawela	16.1	23.9	16.1	25.5	15.8	26.9	17.4	27.6	18.9	28.2	19.2	27.2
Nuwara Eliya	11.6	20.7	11.1	22.5	11.1	24.4	12.1	25.0	14.7	22.9	14.7	19.3

Table 1.6 (Contd.) - Mean monthly minimum and maximum air temperature at observation stations, 1994- 1998

Station	1998											
	July		August		September		October		November		December	
	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum	mean mini- mum	mean maxi- mum
Colombo	25.8	30.1	25.8	30.4	26.0	30.5	25.2	30.2	24.3	30.1	23.3	30.5
Trincomalee	25.9	35.1	25.4	35.0	25.6	34.6	25.1	33.7	24.5	31.7	23.8	29.1
Hambantota	25.0	32.4	25.2	30.7	25.0	31.7	24.8	31.4	24.3	30.6	23.4	30.1
Rathapura	23.9	30.3	23.3	30.6	23.5	30.3	23.0	30.8	22.8	31.4	22.2	31.2
Anuradhapura	25.2	33.2	24.5	32.7	24.8	33.1	24.4	32.9	23.3	31.7	22.9	30.5
Katugastota	22.1	27.9	21.2	28.3	21.0	27.7	21.0	28.1	20.4	28.8	19.9	28.4
Bandarawela	18.8	26.4	17.5	25.7	17.9	26.0	17.6	26.3	16.4	24.7	15.9	22.8
Nuwara Eliya	14.0	18.6	13.2	19.2	13.6	18.1	12.9	19.3	11.9	19.7	11.4	19.1

Source - Department of Meteorology

Table 1.7 - Mean annual and monthly relative humidity , 1986 - 1998

Station and month	Percentage																											
	Average		1986		1987		1988		1989		1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996		1997		1998	
	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N
Colombo																												
Means of relative humidity	75	88	75	89	75	89	74	87	75	88	75	87	74	87	75	87	76	89	74	88	75	87	74	89	75	88		
January	69	87	74	88	71	85	70	86	67	84	70	88	64	82	65	82	72	87	69	86	67	84	65	84	70	88		
February	71	89	69	89	67	87	64	86	69	87	69	87	66	87	65	81	73	88	69	86	70	86	65	85	67	81		
March	72	91	73	92	69	88	67	89	75	89	72	90	67	86	69	88	71	87	68	87	67	86	68	86	67	85		
April	75	91	75	93	73	91	76	89	75	89	75	86	68	86	72	89	74	89	76	94	76	91	70	88	69	89		
May	79	88	77	88	73	91	79	88	77	87	77	89	79	89	80	89	80	88	79	88	75	84	77	89	77	88		
June	78	86	77	86	78	86	81	80	79	85	80	87	80	87	79	85	79	88	81	88	79	88	76	89	79	87		
July	78	86	77	85	73	85	81	87	79	89	77	85	81	89	78	87	78	87	78	87	80	89	79	86	79	86		
August	77	85	78	88	80	88	77	84	76	85	77	83	78	86	76	86	76	86	79	87	77	85	76	85	79	88		
September	77	87	79	88	79	89	77	87	73	85	74	84	79	88	76	85	78	89	77	85	81	87	79	91	77	85		
October	79	90	80	91	82	95	78	91	75	90	80	91	77	88	79	90	81	95	77	89	77	89	77	94	79	89		
November	76	91	73	90	77	91	74	92	78	92	77	93	79	93	79	93	78	94	75	91	75	90	78	94	78	92		
December	73	89	75	91	72	88	67	87	75	92	72	88	71	87	77	92	69	85	63	83	71	89	75	93	76	92		
Trincomalee																												
Means of relative humidity	76	87	70	90	68	-	54	-	63	-	70	-	-	-	71	85	74	87	73	85	72	85	69	-	68	-		
January	73	87	83	90	78	-	77	-	73	-	78	-	72	-	71	77	81	87	82	87	80	85	77	-	77	-		
February	73	87	73	86	75	-	65	-	75	-	71	-	-	-	69	80	79	84	80	85	76	85	70	-	72	-		
March	72	87	78	91	73	-	69	-	71	-	75	-	67	-	73	87	74	87	76	88	73	87	73	-	71	-		
April	75	87	73	92	71	-	68	-	69	-	69	-	72	-	74	88	72	90	78	91	74	90	69	-	71	-		
May	78	87	63	-	68	-	59	-	66	-	65	-	67	-	72	87	68	85	68	85	62	81	67	-	69	-		
June	78	86	57	-	58	-	59	-	-	-	61	-	59	-	63	82	64	84	63	82	69	82	61	-	57	-		
July	75	86	58	-	53	-	68	-	-	-	58	-	60	-	62	81	61	80	62	81	66	81	61	-	65	-		
August	70	86	61	-	55	-	61	-	64	-	61	-	59	-	59	81	63	83	62	78	68	83	62	-	64	-		
September	77	87	60	-	63	-	69	-	65	-	63	-	69	-	62	83	67	83	69	86	71	83	71	-	63	-		
October	77	87	74	-	85	-	71	-	74	-	75	-	74	88	77	90	83	95	77	90	78	89	81	-	67	-		
November	77	89	76	-	-	-	82	-	77	-	81	-	85	93	87	94	91	97	81	-	82	89	84	-	76	-		
December	76	88	82	-	85	-	78	-	85	-	80	-	79	83	90	94	81	86	78	-	79	85	85	-	89	-		
Hambantota																												
Means of relative humidity	76	87	75	86	77	87	69	79	70	79	77	87	75	86	76	87	78	88	77	87	76	86	75	86	74	86		
January	73	87	77	86	72	82	73	83	71	82	76	86	70	82	71	82	76	87	74	85	72	83	68	81	77	88		
February	73	87	71	84	70	81	69	81	71	83	70	83	68	83	69	83	74	86	74	87	74	84	68	80	72	85		
March	72	87	77	86	71	83	70	82	74	85	73	85	68	82	73	86	73	87	71	85	72	85	70	82	69	84		
April	75	87	75	87	77	87	74	84	76	85	75	85	73	85	73	85	79	88	78	90	78	87	73	86	72	85		
May	78	87	79	88	79	87	77	86	79	88	80	88	80	89	82	89	81	89	85	92	81	89	81	89	76	87		
June	78	86	66	84	75	89	77	87	81	91	83	90	75	86	79	89	73	88	83	92	80	89	76	86	76	87		
July	75	86	68	85	78	90	77	87	75	87	76	87	79	89	76	89	74	87	69	84	76	87	76	86	71	86		
August	70	86	77	87	85	92	80	89	66	83	76	87	74	87	77	89	78	88	79	89	71	86	75	88	77	87		
September	77	87	80	88	79	88	77	86	75	84	76	83	77	88	77	86	83	89	76	86	80	89	80	87	74	87		
October	77	87	81	89	79	89	78	89	77	87	81	89	75	87	81	90	82	91	78	88	75	85	79	90	75	85		
November	77	89	74	84	79	89	76	87	79	90	81	91	80	89	79	90	83	92	92	87	75	87	81	91	76	87		
December	76	88	76	87	78	88	73	84	81	89	76	86	75	84	79	89	77	87	69	82	74	86	77	89	78	89		

Table 1.7(Contd.) - Mean annual and monthly relative humidity , 1986 - 1998

Station and month	Percentage																									
	Average 1951 - 80		1986		1987		1989		1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996		1997		1998	
	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N
Ratnapura																										
Means of relative humidity	74	93	78	95	76	94	70	85	72	69	76	91	74	88	77	85	77	94	77	94	76	94	75	-	78	92
January	69	93	77	95	77	-	74	93	70	-	76	91	70	87	70	-	79	93	74	94	72	94	65	-	74	92
February	66	92	69	93	63	91	60	90	69	-	65	87	59	83	61	-	73	92	68	93	73	95	61	-	67	89
March	68	92	75	95	66	93	64	91	75	-	72	-	53	-	69	-	71	92	66	94	67	94	65	-	69	90
April	75	93	78	-	76	94	72	81	79	93	77	93	69	89	72	89	77	95	79	99	80	97	75	-	75	89
May	77	93	78	95	76	95	81	94	83	93	78	93	80	-	84	76	80	94	82	95	71	92	80	-	81	95
June	77	92	76	93	79	94	85	95	82	92	83	-	79	89	80	88	75	90	85	94	80	94	75	-	82	89
July	76	91	78	93	70	93	84	95	81	92	77	90	81	90	81	89	79	92	75	89	81	90	82	-	80	89
August	75	92	78	-	85	97	80	94	75	87	80	91	79	-	79	77	75	93	80	93	79	91	77	-	82	93
September	75	92	85	96	75	93	83	95	76	91	73	-	81	90	79	90	79	97	80	94	85	95	81	-	81	93
October	77	93	81	95	85	95	81	95	80	93	81	-	78	-	83	94	84	98	81	97	78	94	82	-	81	94
November	76	94	79	95	83	96	79	95	81	93	79	-	82	-	83	83	82	97	78	93	78	95	81	-	79	92
December	75	93	79	95	75	94	71	93	81	92	76	-	80	-	84	95	77	95	71	93	73	92	81	-	81	95
Anuradhapura																										
Means of relative humidity	68	91	71	92	67	92	59	52	63	81	68	87	66	89	68	91	71	91	69	91	69	92	68	91	71	92
January	75	93	80	96	73	-	70	-	70	89	75	91	70	-	70	93	79	94	76	93	70	93	68	94	77	95
February	68	92	67	94	59	-	53	93	66	88	65	86	55	88	61	90	75	93	71	94	71	94	57	90	67	92
March	63	91	96	94	57	92	52	-	65	88	63	86	48	85	63	92	65	91	61	92	57	90	58	90	58	88
April	69	92	65	93	67	94	56	-	65	87	68	85	62	91	64	92	68	92	72	94	71	93	67	91	61	90
May	71	91	69	-	67	93	64	-	74	89	66	89	73	93	68	90	67	89	74	91	65	90	72	93	76	94
June	65	87	63	90	63	88	67	-	65	83	74	84	67	86	65	88	65	87	69	88	70	90	64	90	71	89
July	64	87	62	87	57	87	69	85	62	81	66	85	63	85	66	85	64	85	63	85	65	86	64	88	69	89
August	63	87	60	87	59	87	59	81	69	85	61	82	61	84	61	87	62	86	63	87	72	91	60	85	73	93
September	62	88	63	89	64	90	63	85	63	85	57	83	61	88	59	88	64	90	63	87	73	92	66	90	69	90
October	72	92	72	94	79	95	69	91	74	93	71	89	70	91	68	93	79	95	71	92	73	93	73	94	72	93
November	68	94	73	94	77	90	80	94	76	92	78	93	80	95	85	96	85	96	77	94	77	94	81	96	78	96
December	79	95	79	95	78	90	75	92	82	95	76	93	78	94	88	96	79	94	71	93	60	95	85	95	83	97
Katugastota																										
Means of relative humidity	71	90	74	93	71	93	232	75	234	83	74	91	72	90	74	90	75	91	75	92	75	91	72	-	73	91
January	70	89	79	95	74	92	74	91	69	90	75	91	71	88	69	89	78	93	74	91	72	91	63	-	73	92
February	64	89	69	93	59	90	60	95	67	89	62	87	53	84	62	86	72	91	71	96	71	89	61	-	63	87
March	63	91	73	93	59	91	57	86	71	93	66	-	46	-	63	88	66	89	62	88	61	88	59	-	56	85
April	71	93	75	95	67	95	64	-	73	92	74	93	65	89	68	91	73	93	77	95	79	96	71	-	61	87
May	72	91	71	95	71	95	77	91	78	91	73	92	75	91	76	93	72	91	79	93	69	90	76	-	75	92
June	73	87	73	89	75	89	81	77	77	87	79	-	77	87	77	89	75	85	80	90	78	91	71	-	78	89
July	73	87	75	89	66	91	79	91	77	90	77	89	79	89	78	86	75	86	77	89	77	87	78	-	79	89
August	72	87	73	91	74	93	76	89	74	86	76	89	78	89	77	90	73	87	76	89	77	89	73	-	80	92
September	71	90	78	93	71	95	77	93	67	90	70	91	77	93	72	91	73	91	76	92	82	93	76	-	80	94
October	74	92	79	95	81	99	78	95	73	93	80	95	79	95	81	94	80	95	79	95	79	94	79	-	79	94
November	75	92	73	92	77	95	79	93	77	93	79	95	81	95	80	94	80	93	79	95	77	95	81	-	76	93
December	74	91	74	91	78	94	72	93	80	93	78	-	78	91	83	94	77	92	73	91	76	94	77	-	77	95

Table 1.7(Contd.) - Mean annual and monthly relative humidity , 1986 - 1998

Station and month	Percentage																											
	Average		1986		1987		1988		1989		1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996		1997		1998	
	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N	D	N
Diyatalawa & Bandarawela +																												
Means of relative humidity	73	88	73	90	71	88	65	82	61	74	71	82	67	84	70	86	74	86	73	86	72	85	71	-	70	85		
January	80	93	84	94	84	94	78	94	73	91	80	89	80	93	73	-	82	93	82	93	80	92	69	-	80	93		
February	72	90	73	94	67	91	57	81	72	94	63	79	52	78	65	85	74	89	74	89	79	92	61	-	73	91		
March	69	90	76	95	67	93	57	85	76	96	68	-	43	-	62	-	67	85	65	85	63	83	58	-	65	90		
April	76	94	78	95	72	90	68	88	71	90	70	84	64	89	67	90	75	91	80	94	79	93	74	-	69	91		
May	72	87	70	88	72	88	73	92	71	89	75	90	73	-	74	-	72	85	75	88	65	83	75	-	75	85		
June	65	80	65	81	60	74	69	88	63	79	69	75	57	68	67	79	63	75	67	79	69	74	68	-	62	71		
July	64	80	65	82	51	78	73	87	67	82	58	-	67	76	66	75	66	75	63	75	67	75	63	-	64	75		
August	66	83	63	83	69	86	63	85	-	-	65	66	62	-	59	-	63	75	65	77	68	78	60	-	71	81		
September	68	85	71	87	66	83	72	89	72	81	68	-	71	82	67	80	72	85	65	78	71	81	73	-	64	76		
October	75	91	78	94	82	95	76	94	78	89	74	83	68	83	77	88	81	91	77	89	70	83	83	-	62	80		
November	81	94	75	93	78	91	80	96	79	91	81	93	85	94	81	93	87	95	83	93	77	91	84	-	75	89		
December	83	94	83	95	80	93	87	95	86	95	85	-	85	95	87	95	85	96	81	91	72	92	85	-	84	93		
Nuwara Eliya																												
Means of relative humidity	78	88	81	90	77	89	70	80	74	83	78	88	76	86	78	88	81	90	81	90	79	88	77	90	79	89		
January	76	84	79	89	82	91	77	84	65	74	79	83	76	82	71	76	81	87	79	91	80	87	67	84	81	88		
February	69	79	73	85	59	77	51	56	77	92	59	66	53	68	62	77	72	81	74	81	75	83	63	77	69	84		
March	66	78	75	82	64	84	53	71	73	86	63	83	43	61	61	70	65	76	60	74	60	74	57	75	59	76		
April	76	89	78	93	72	86	65	87	65	85	70	89	65	84	67	88	74	91	80	94	80	94	75	91	65	84		
May	79	90	77	90	75	90	85	95	83	92	77	93	80	92	81	93	78	91	84	94	72	89	79	92	80	91		
June	83	90	83	91	85	90	89	94	87	91	87	93	85	91	84	93	86	93	90	95	83	90	79	91	87	93		
July	83	91	84	92	72	85	87	93	84	92	83	89	89	94	89	93	90	93	87	92	89	93	86	93	86	94		
August	83	91	79	89	87	94	85	91	84	91	86	92	87	93	84	92	84	91	85	93	90	95	83	93	85	93		
September	82	91	91	95	80	90	86	93	79	90	81	92	86	94	82	92	83	92	85	93	91	94	84	93	87	93		
October	83	93	86	95	87	95	84	93	82	92	87	94	79	89	87	95	87	95	84	94	79	88	85	96	83	92		
November	81	92	78	91	86	95	81	95	83	90	82	91	87	94	85	93	87	95	80	91	77	87	86	95	83	92		
December	79	91	85	92	79	91	79	88	86	92	83	90	85	90	88	93	85	92	80	88	76	84	85	95	84	93		

D = Day N= Night

Source - Department of Meteorology

+ Diyatalawa station has been shifted to Bandarawela from August 1990.

Table 1.8 - Mean annual and monthly rainfall at observation stations, 1990 - 1998

Station and month	mm.									
	Average 1951-80	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Colombo										
Annual Total	2,527.3	2,341.4	2,096.9	2,575.2	2,647.0	2,483.0	2,398.9	2,161.0	2,530.0	2,387.7
January	70.1	182.7	78.8	19.8	0.6	84.7	92.3	97.9	0.0	57.9
February	87.6	36.9	55.2	3.5	15.5	117.4	12.9	102.1	70.0	0+
March	121.4	184.0	146.4	0.8	99.7	134.4	30.7	0.2	25.9	36.4
April	286.5	366.9	142.1	151.5	235.3	101.4	374.6	291.9	92.2	119.8
May	388.1	324.3	317.4	488.7	682.9	480.1	446.5	126.5	274.2	199.3
June	186.2	184.1	309.9	602.3	114.7	81.7	369.3	129.6	197.0	256.3
July	154.2	206.3	121.0	218.1	38.9	104.7	93.9	209.7	187.0	482.2
August	99.1	17.9	88.8	70.9	38.6	73.4	135.9	206.6	69.2	127.8
September	216.4	29.6	112.4	323.0	345.4	370.3	97.1	282.8	417.3	209.0
October	396.0	374.1	353.1	216.7	502.0	477.0	320.8	305.9	618.7	304.1
November	329.2	255.8	292.7	401.5	305.4	427.4	405.7	239.2	440.3	267.3
December	192.5	178.8	79.1	78.4	268.0	30.5	19.2	168.6	138.2	327.6
Trincomalee										
Annual Total	1,615.2	1388.6(1)	1,287.9	1,598.5	1,944.0	1,973.8	1,379.4	1,459.4	1,617.7	1,129.4
January	168.9	153.9	292.5	55.7	5.9	121.9	417.0	52.5	7.9	108.8
February	88.6	25.6	54.8	0.0	88.1	234.0	11.7	100.5	1.3	4.6
March	47.5	69.3	148.9	0.0	5.4	20.3	0.4	0.0	51.0	0.0
April	59.4	25.5	12.1	4.5	22.4	16.5	66.7	32.1	9.3	1.0
May	51.6	90.4	14.7	99.2	104.2	96.5	42.8	62.6	61.2	82.6
June	24.9	..	1.6	29.9	66.1	0.0*	1.8	157.9	14.0	0.8
July	62.5	..	39.7	21.1	61.1	38.5	89.1	20.8	133.3	67.2
August	91.7	111.2	86.4	72.4	75.4	1.0	94.0	169.7	162.7	18.2
September	96.5	120.8	58.6	309.4	19.6	205.2	151.8	85.3	139.0	111.3
October	234.7	214.2	264.8	85.2	159.8	125.0	203.3	190.7	204.5	41.9
November	343.7	191.6	193.5	506.0	622.9	912.8	183.5	467.6	486.6	119.6
December	345.2	386.1	120.3	415.1	713.1	202.1	117.3	119.7	346.9	573.4
Hambantota										
Annual Total	1,073.4	1,192.9	1,283.8	603.2	918.1	1055.5	962.8	943.5	1377.2	884.8
January	81.3	59.9	205.1	10.1	36.0	87.7	77.2	72.1	1.4	89.1
February	55.6	21.5	17.9	0.0	0*	36.7	114.0	60.0	53.0	0+
March	57.2	97.0	14.2	0.0	36.5	53.9	0.2	4.5	1.2	0.8
April	97.8	27.9	89.9	31.8	27.0	83.1	207.8	159.2	76.6	12.3
May	91.4	152.7	39.8	62.5	170.6	17.4	108.2	15.4	92.1	65.9
June	58.4	105.3	99.1	20.7	131.1	4.6	74.5	54.5	62.5	28.4
July	54.9	11.5	37.8	47.4	50.1	28.7	19.0	11.1	22.8	93.3
August	49.3	0.4	106.1	22.8	2.7	66.2	77.7	52.2	27.8	25.0
September	66.8	12.8	36.2	40.2	24.7	227.8	62.4	85.9	254.5	43.6
October	140.7	190.3	209.2	67.8	156.4	224.1	83.8	33.0	230.0	29.2
November	193.3	270.8	185.2	247.4	158.9	202.0	47.6	321.7	469.0	227.9
December	126.7	242.8	243.3	52.5	124.1	23.3	90.4	73.9	86.3	269.3

Table 1.8(Contd.) - Mean annual and monthly rainfall at observation stations, 1990-1998

Station and month	mm.									
	Average 1951-80	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Ratnapura										
Annual Total	3,740.2	3,280.1	3,321.2	3,536.2	4,041.5	3,246.0	4,115.9	3,674.1	4,162.9	4,557.8
January	119.6	74.8	257.4	83.4	10.6	160.5	229.8	112.4	47.1	175.4
February	152.4	134.1	106.5	41.0	93.3	132.6	139.8	200.9	20.2	119.9
March	215.4	251.2	175.5	44.8	220.5	148.5	234.3	196.6	163.2	195.3
April	359.2	352.1	325.1	335.4	252.7	216.9	426.5	398.3	331.1	244.7
May	479.3	493.6	412.6	489.0	647.6	571.5	665.5	95.9	557.7	559.0
June	420.4	298.8	450.2	408.3	701.5	174.2	639.0	721.3	296.1	475.1
July	305.1	327.4	282.7	426.0	228.3	297.1	218.6	348.6	502.8	522.0
August	270.5	73.6	233.9	265.3	145.4	162.0	410.2	231.6	206.3	398.2
September	387.6	107.2	175.9	434.0	240.4	285.5	348.9	677.2	588.9	440.3
October	455.2	446.5	488.7	400.2	795.0	549.7	468.3	306.9	589.0	599.9
November	354.8	511.4	259.8	513.5	425.6	492.7	263.0	247.2	510.9	366.2
December	220.7	209.4	152.9	95.3	280.6	54.8	72.0	137.2	349.6	461.8
Anuradhapura										
Annual Total	1,358.4	1,298.5	1,456.8	939.7	1,578.9	1,405.1	849.4	1,068.3	1,330.3	1,206.6
January	94.0	208.9	59.5	10.1	13.1	224.8	114.1	18.3	7.6	69.4
February	46.5	6.3	15.0	0.0	1.4	226.2	10.7	73.3	9.0	0 ⁺
March	71.4	185.1	74.3	0.0	52.8	23.5	5.9	8.4	74.4	8.6
April	177.5	58.2	153.8	168.3	150.1	156.6	194.0	212.7	257.9	100.9
May	89.2	180.1	145.3	81.0	74.7	27.1	77.9	2.3	89.3	268.3
June	10.4	0.0	49.7	20.0	1.3	0.1	1.7	67.7	16.4	0.7
July	33.8	0.2	17.9	33.1	20.7	5.9	0.3	0.5	70.1	51.4
August	38.9	78.1	3.3	12.3	0.0 ⁺	0.1	0.9	129.0	0.0	84.2
September	66.5	47.0	32.2	60.0	2.1	62.8	51.6	42.8	62.4	6.2
October	263.1	271.7	211.4	140.7	405.8	397.9	205.5	256.8	188.2	109.3
November	243.8	107.8	503.9	230.3	403.9	241.0	167.5	167.5	271.7	253.2
December	223.3	153.1	190.5	183.9	453.0	39.1	19.3	89.0	283.3	254.4
Katugastota										
Annual Total	1,946.7	2,034.6	1,768.1	1,515.6	2,157.8	1,832.0	1,835.3	1,707.1	1,912.2	1,542.4
January	90.4	242.9	194.0	20.4	15.6	140.7	142.8	78.9	0.0	54.0
February	81.8	118.6	11.8	0.0	52.9	152.1	120.4	89.5	85.9	21.7
March	83.3	136.3	62.6	1.4	50.4	31.3	79.4	6.4	42.6	19.6
April	207.8	134.9	208.6	243.6	80.3	161.2	220.1	237.1	191.9	8.6
May	154.2	267.8	83.7	80.3	229.3	128.7	273.0	1.3	127.2	194.8
June	149.9	94.6	235.7	104.8	287.9	64.9	107.8	95.0	45.9	139.9
July	128.8	99.5	128.1	190.5	165.3	88.2	49.0	141.5	112.3	185.2
August	112.5	94.4	90.5	167.2	73.1	78.5	78.8	91.3	39.3	120.5
September	140.2	50.3	64.2	101.0	43.4	100.4	131.8	181.7	287.1	234.7
October	297.9	307.4	285.2	249.2	422.1	425.2	402.8	271.0	438.9	126.7
November	296.2	283.7	206.8	280.9	385.9	346.9	176.9	357.3	326.7	143.5
December	203.7	204.2	196.9	76.3	351.6	113.9	52.5	156.1	214.4	293.2

Table 1.8(Contd.) - Mean annual and monthly rainfall at observation stations, 1990-1998

Station and month	mm.									
	Average 1951-80	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Diyatalawa and Bandarawela +										
Annual Total	1,661.5	799.5	1,515.1	1,272.5	1,318.7	1,821.3	1,401.1	1,497.3	2,010.3	1,198.1
January	125.0	254.2	276.8	57.3	52.3	174.1	123.7	112.9	4.9	101.3
February	98.3	81.4	46.3	0.0*	30.8	124.1	71.0	71.9	22.5	39.4
March	108.0	199.4	135.3	0.0	43.1	85.8	102.4	34.0	61.9	92.3
April	192.8	46.6	67.9	85.4	23.4	212.5	299.1	331.7	191.4	38.0
May	120.9	94.1	178.1	57.6	94.2	75.3	165.1	54.4	171.9	101.0
June	44.7	9.0	49.9	3.3	87.2	3.2	25.8	117.1	70.9	20.0
July	57.9	114.8	23.3	103.8	40.4	50.1	28.2	43.7	84.7	152.0
August	77.0	-	44.4	53.8	42.4	40.4	11.0	69.4	46.2	183.1
September	115.1	189.6	150.8	142.0	137.9	267.2	62.6	113.0	296.0	37.1
October	262.1	278.4	143.1	108.0	257.9	336.5	221.8	167.6	427.6	31.7
November	256.3	129.5	206.2	488.0	287.6	311.8	202.2	198.7	419.1	159.5
December	203.4	172.7	193.0	173.3	221.5	140.3	88.2	182.9	213.2	242.7
Nuwara Eliya										
Annual Total	2,043.7	1,757.6	1,836.6	1,842.4	2,097.8	2,303.4	2,082.5	2,176.5	2,028.0	1,784.3
January	116.1	262.2	196.3	51.8	36.6	190.6	105.3	157.3	1.3	92.0
February	87.4	55.3	15.4	0.0*	56.0	182.5	48.7	80.1	18.7	6.1
March	69.3	61.0	44.3	0.0	35.4	37.5	51.6	5.8	29.0	33.7
April	168.9	37.3	46.7	80.4	29.5	94.1	223.8	260.0	220.1	17.3
May	184.7	257.6	129.4	106.9	298.6	152.2	308.3	118.0	163.8	197.2
June	215.1	270.9	297.3	223.8	332.3	114.3	288.4	216.1	115.3	253.6
July	184.9	76.2	150.8	332.3	264.8	269.8	125.1	376.5	110.7	154.4
August	160.6	115.7	103.7	159.8	43.6	235.0	221.2	205.9	71.9	229.5
September	177.0	49.9	187.8	104.2	108.7	211.2	150.0	276.5	330.4	249.1
October	244.9	221.1	244.3	205.3	402.0	397.3	312.4	210.9	447.5	109.1
November	222.0	134.2	185.0	437.6	258.2	294.3	155.6	208.0	289.8	152.3
December	213.4	216.2	235.6	140.3	232.1	124.6	92.1	61.4	229.5	290.0

* Not measurable

Source - Department of Meteorology

+ Diyatalawa station has been shifted to Bandarawela from August, 1990.

(1) Excludes June and July.

CHAPTER II - POPULATION

Figures on population are either those obtained at the Population Censuses or estimates based on Census figures and the Registrar General's Vital statistics (Births and Deaths). The Population Censuses were taken in the years 1871,1881,1891,1901,1911,1921,1931,(Partial census of a total count only)1946,1953,1963,1971 and 1981. The data given for these years are generally figures obtained from the respective Censuses while the figures for the intercensal years are based on estimates.

Table 2.1 - Population by sex and district, census years

Thousands												
District	1871	1881	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Total												
Sri Lanka	2,400.4	2,759.8	3,007.8	3,566.0	4,106.4	4,497.9	5,306.9	6,657.3	8,097.9	10,582.0	12,689.9	14,846.8
Colombo	430.0	506.5	578.9	690.8	826.8	923.1	1,081.2	1,420.3	1,708.7	2,207.4	2,672.3	1,699.2
Gampaha												1,390.9
Kalutara	145.7	165.0	183.6	229.9	279.5	323.7	363.8	456.6	523.6	631.5	729.5	829.7
Kandy	232.2	288.3	288.4	377.6	408.4	434.0	587.7	711.4	840.4	1,043.6	1,188.0	1,048.3
Matale	75.2	86.7	76.6	92.2	108.4	116.6	129.7	155.7	201.0	255.6	314.4	357.4
Nuwara - Eliya	58.2	98.7	109.6	153.0	155.5	167.2	235.8	268.1	325.3	397.7	450.3	603.6
Galle	194.4	209.7	222.9	258.1	291.0	313.1	363.6	459.8	524.4	641.5	735.2	814.5
Matara	143.3	151.9	177.6	203.8	227.3	238.5	283.3	351.9	413.4	514.9	586.4	643.8
Hambantota	60.9	71.9	89.3	104.9	110.5	119.6	124.4	149.7	191.5	274.3	340.3	424.3
Jaffna	246.1	265.6	279.3	300.9	326.7	330.5	355.4	424.8	491.8	612.6	701.6	830.6
Mannar	20.3	21.3	24.5	24.9	25.6	25.6	25.1	31.5	43.7	60.1	77.8	106.2
Vavuniya	15.3	15.6	15.5	15.2	17.3	18.7	18.3	23.2	35.1	68.6	95.2	95.4
Mullaitivu												77.2
Batticaloa	93.1	105.4	122.7	145.2	153.9	158.7	174.9	203.2	270.5	196.1	256.7	330.3
Ampara										211.7	272.6	388.9
Trincomalee	19.4	22.2	25.7	28.4	29.8	34.1	37.5	75.9	83.9	138.5	188.2	255.9
Kurunegala	207.1	215.2	230.2	249.4	306.8	354.2	397.2	485.0	626.9	852.6	1,025.6	1,211.8
Puttalam										302.5	378.4	492.5
Chilaw	68.1	78.2	63.2	74.4	87.6	102.4	114.6	139.8	170.1			
Anuradhapura	63.7	66.1	75.3	79.1	86.3	96.5	97.4	139.5	229.3	279.8	388.8	587.9
Polonnaruwa										113.9	163.7	261.6
Badulla	129.0	165.7	159.2	186.7	216.7	233.9	303.2	372.2	466.9	521.8	615.4	641.0
Moneragala										132.2	193.0	273.6
Ratnapura	92.2	105.9	108.0	133.0	166.0	203.0	263.8	343.6	421.6	546.0	661.3	797.1
Kegalle	105.3	120.0	150.6	188.8	242.5	268.8	314.6	401.8	471.6	578.5	654.8	684.9

Table 2.1 (Contd.) - Population by sex and district, census years

Thousands												
District	1871	1881	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Males												
Sri Lanka	1,280.1	1,469.6	1,593.4	1,896.2	2,175.0	2,381.1	2,811.0	3,532.2	4,268.7	5,498.6	6,531.4	7,568.3
Colombo	225.2	267.4	304.8	369.6	446.8	499.2	..	779.8	924.5	1,171.2	1,400.5	894.5
Gampaha												703.0
Kalutara	73.8	84.0	93.6	119.8	145.2	167.8	..	234.6	268.1	319.9	367.5	413.3
Kandy	134.0	162.3	157.6	204.3	216.7	229.0	..	377.0	437.8	539.0	605.3	519.4
Matale	43.0	48.5	41.4	50.1	58.5	62.6	..	83.2	107.7	132.7	162.3	181.8
Nuwara - Eliya	35.1	58.1	63.7	84.8	83.3	87.9	..	140.6	170.2	205.0	229.6	304.1
Galle	99.2	105.8	111.0	129.9	144.9	154.7	..	227.1	257.7	315.8	363.3	396.8
Matara	73.6	77.5	91.1	104.0	114.9	119.9	..	175.8	208.4	255.5	289.5	312.2
Hambantota	31.9	37.6	46.5	54.8	57.1	63.0	..	79.9	100.0	141.2	174.9	216.8
Jaffna	122.5	131.5	137.6	149.2	159.7	161.6	..	212.2	246.4	307.9	349.9	412.7
Mannar	10.6	11.3	14.1	14.1	14.8	14.8	..	18.8	25.9	32.9	41.8	56.7
Vavuniya	8.6	8.3	8.7	8.4	9.8	10.8	..	13.4	20.3	39.2	52.7	50.8
Mullaitivu												42.6
Batticaloa	48.3	54.6	63.1	74.8	78.4	79.2	..	102.3	144.2	101.6	132.9	167.6
Ampara										115.1	142.8	203.6
Trincomalee	10.4	12.0	14.2	15.7	16.0	18.6	..	50.6	49.6	78.2	102.3	137.4
Kurunegala	110.8	115.0	124.7	137.6	169.2	198.1	..	260.0	334.7	442.3	526.1	612.8
Puttalam										157.1	194.7	250.6
Chilaw	37.6	43.0	34.7	41.1	48.1	56.3	..	74.2	90.0			
Anuradhapura	34.2	35.6	41.3	43.3	47.6	54.9	..	82.4	131.9	152.2	208.2	314.3
Polonnaruwa										65.8	90.9	148.4
Badulla										269.7	314.5	325.6
Moneragala	71.9	92.6	88.1	100.9	115.6	124.2	..	196.2	246.8	71.0	103.3	149.9
Ratnapura	51.8	59.4	59.6	73.6	93.5	112.0	..	186.1	225.3	286.8	344.7	413.2
Kegalle	57.5	64.7	82.1	103.2	132.0	145.2	..	213.1	246.5	298.1	333.5	340.1

Table 2.1(Contd.) - Population by sex and district, census years

District	1871	1881	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Females												
Sri Lanka	1,120.3	1,290.2	1,414.4	1,669.8	1,931.3	2,116.7	2,495.4	3,125.1	3,829.2	5,083.4	6,158.5	7,278.5
Colombo	204.8	239.1	274.1	321.2	380.1	424.0	..	640.5	784.3	1,036.2	1,271.7	804.7
Gampaha												687.9
Kalutara	71.9	81.1	90.0	110.1	134.3	155.9	..	221.9	255.4	311.6	362.0	416.4
Kandy	98.1	126.1	130.8	173.3	191.8	205.0	..	334.5	402.6	504.6	582.6	528.9
Matale	32.2	38.2	35.2	42.1	49.9	53.9	..	72.5	93.4	122.9	152.6	175.5
Nuwara - Eliya	23.1	40.5	45.9	68.2	72.1	79.2	..	127.5	155.0	192.7	220.7	299.5
Galle	95.1	103.9	111.9	128.2	146.1	158.4	..	232.7	266.7	325.7	371.8	417.8
Matara	69.7	74.4	86.5	99.7	112.4	118.9	..	176.1	205.0	259.4	296.9	381.6
Hambantota	29.0	34.4	42.8	50.0	53.4	56.6	..	69.8	91.5	133.1	165.3	207.5
Jaffna	123.6	134.1	141.7	151.7	167.0	169.0	..	212.6	245.5	304.7	351.7	417.9
Mannar	9.7	10.0	10.4	10.8	10.8	10.7	..	12.8	17.8	27.2	35.9	49.5
Vavuniya	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.7	7.5	7.9	..	9.8	14.8	29.4	42.5	44.6
Mullaitivu												34.6
Batticaloa	44.8	50.8	59.6	70.3	75.6	79.5	..	100.9	126.3	94.5	123.9	162.7
Ampara										96.6	129.8	185.3
Trincomalee	9.0	10.2	11.5	12.8	13.8	15.5	..	25.3	34.3	60.3	85.9	118.6
Kurunegala	97.1	100.1	105.5	111.9	137.6	156.1	..	225.0	291.7	410.3	499.5	599.0
Puttalam			11.3	12.7	16.5	14.2	..	18.1	25.8	145.4	183.7	241.9
Chilaw	30.5	35.1	28.6	33.4	39.6	46.0	..	65.6	80.1			
Anuradhapura	29.5	30.6	34.0	35.8	38.7	41.0	..	57.2	97.4	127.6	180.5	273.7
Polonnaruwa										48.1	72.8	113.2
Badulla	57.0	73.1	71.1	85.7	101.1	106.6	..	176.0	220.1	252.1	300.9	315.4
Moneragala										61.2	89.7	123.7
Ratnapura	40.4	46.5	48.4	59.4	72.5	91.0	..	157.6	196.3	259.2	316.6	383.9
Kegalle	47.8	55.3	68.5	85.6	110.6	123.6	..	188.7	225.1	280.4	321.2	344.8

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note- Gampaha and Mullaitivu are two new districts which have been carved out in terms of constitutional changes promulgated in September, 1978.

Table 2.2 - Urban(1) population by sex and district, census years

District	1891	1901	1911	1921	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Total									
Sri Lanka	321.4	414.0	543.0	637.9	1,023.1	1,239.1	2,016.3	2,848.1	3,192.5
Colombo	145.7	204.8	292.0	353.3	578.5	709.4	1,023.8	1,476.2	1,264.5
Gampaha									388.3
Kalutara	10.9	15.4	21.4	29.3	50.6	58.0	126.4	159.5	178.1
Kandy	23.3	35.2	44.0	46.9	75.9	90.4	119.2	147.3	145.1
Matale	4.2	5.0	5.8	7.9	14.1	17.3	29.4	37.6	38.1
Nuwara - Eliya	2.7	5.0	7.4	7.5	10.8	17.8	24.5	27.6	37.3
Galle	33.6	37.2	41.8	42.4	59.0	66.4	130.0	154.9	166.4
Matara	8.6	19.4	22.5	26.0	34.8	40.5	61.1	66.1	71.2
Hambantota	2.5	5.2	6.6	7.7	10.8	11.2	22.2	33.3	41.4
Jaffna	43.1	33.9	40.5	42.4	62.6	77.2	150.8	233.9	270.6
Mannar	..	..	..	..	..	..	9.0	11.1	13.9
Vavuniya	..	..	..	..	..	..	11.2	20.6	18.5
Mullaitivu									7.2
Batticaloa	7.3	10.0	10.7	10.6	13.1	17.4	49.3	69.5	79.4
Ampara							28.6	32.0	53.3
Trincomalee	11.6	11.3	8.9	9.4	32.5	26.4	34.8	72.2	82.7
Kurunegala	4.7	6.5	8.2	11.7	15.5	20.5	30.1	42.2	43.5
Puttalam	8.8	9.3	11.0	13.6	16.9	21.6	38.2	52.4	61.7
Anuradhapura	2.7	3.7	5.3	7.7	12.3	18.4	32.9	38.8	41.4
Polonnaruwa							5.9	16.3	20.5
Badulla	5.1	5.9	8.0	9.8	16.3	22.1	42.3	55.4	51.6
Moneragala							3.4	5.1	6.0
Ratnapura	3.5	4.0	6.3	8.1	14.5	19.0	26.3	50.0	59.2
Kegalle	3.1	2.3	2.5	3.5	4.9	5.5	17.5	46.1	52.8

Table 2.2 (Contd.) - Urban(1) population by sex and district, census years

Thousands									
District	1891	1901	1911	1921	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Males									
Sri Lanka	174.9	228.4	305.8	360.9	594.9	702.8	1,091.3	1,513.1	1,669.5
Colombo	81.2	116.1	170.6	206.3	345.2	410.3	564.6	795.3	674.3
Gampaha									200.5
Kalutara	5.4	7.9	11.0	15.0	26.3	30.2	64.4	80.8	89.7
Kandy	13.3	20.3	25.4	27.6	44.9	52.5	66.5	80.0	76.0
Matale	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.5	7.8	9.7	16.0	19.7	19.9
Nuwara - Eliya	1.7	3.1	4.7	4.5	6.3	10.9	13.7	15.0	20.6
Galle	17.0	18.8	21.0	21.2	30.0	34.0	64.6	77.7	82.1
Matara	4.3	9.7	11.1	12.6	17.0	20.1	30.8	32.9	34.7
Hambantota	1.4	2.7	3.4	3.9	5.6	5.9	11.8	17.7	22.3
Jaffna	21.4	17.1	20.1	21.7	33.5	41.3	77.7	118.7	136.2
Mannar							5.1	6.0	7.3
Vavuniya							6.7	11.6	10.3
Mullaitivu									3.9
Batticaloa	3.9	5.2	5.6	5.4	6.8	9.6	25.1	35.5	39.2
Ampara							14.9	16.3	27.8
Trincomalee	6.4	6.1	4.5	4.9	24.4	15.5	20.0	39.4	44.0
Kurunegala	2.9	4.0	5.1	7.5	9.5	12.8	17.1	23.4	23.8
Puttalam	5.1	5.1	6.2	8.0	9.3	11.9	20.5	27.2	31.9
Anuradhapura	1.7	2.4	3.5	5.0	7.7	11.1	19.3	22.1	23.1
Polonnaruwa							3.9	10.5	12.0
Badulla	2.9	3.3	4.6	5.7	9.3	12.9	23.3	29.6	27.3
Monaragala							2.0	2.9	3.5
Ratnapura	2.1	2.4	4.1	5.1	8.7	11.1	14.5	26.6	31.7
Kegalle	1.7	1.3	1.4	2.0	2.7	3.1	9.5	24.1	27.3

Table 2.2 (Contd.) - Urban(1) population by sex and district, census years

Thousands									
District	1891	1901	1911	1921	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Females									
Sri Lanka	146.5	185.6	237.2	277.0	428.1	536.3	925.0	1,335.0	1,523.5
Colombo	64.5	88.7	121.4	147.0	233.3	299.1	459.3	680.9	590.8
Gampaha									187.8
Kalutara	5.5	7.5	10.4	14.3	24.3	27.8	62.0	78.6	88.3
Kandy	10.0	14.9	18.6	19.3	31.0	37.9	52.7	67.4	69.2
Matale	1.7	2.0	2.3	3.4	6.3	7.6	13.4	17.8	18.2
Nuwara - Eliya	1.0	1.9	2.7	3.0	4.5	6.9	10.8	12.6	16.7
Galle	16.6	18.4	20.8	21.2	29.0	32.4	65.4	77.3	84.2
Matara	4.3	9.7	11.4	13.4	17.8	20.4	30.3	33.2	36.5
Hambantota	1.1	2.5	3.2	3.8	5.2	5.3	10.4	15.6	19.2
Jaffna	21.7	16.8	20.4	20.7	29.1	35.9	73.1	115.2	134.4
Mannar							3.9	5.1	6.6
Vavuniya							4.5	9.0	8.2
Mullaitivu									3.3
Batticaloa	3.4	4.8	5.1	5.2	6.3	7.8	24.2	33.7	40.2
Ampara							13.7	15.7	25.5
Trincomalee	5.2	5.2	4.4	4.5	8.1	10.9	14.8	32.8	38.7
Kurunegala	1.8	2.5	3.1	4.2	6.0	7.7	13.0	18.9	19.7
Puttalam	3.7	4.2	4.8	5.6	7.6	9.7	17.7	25.2	29.7
Anuradhapura	1.0	1.3	1.8	2.7	4.6	7.3	13.6	16.8	18.3
Polonnaruwa							2.0	5.8	8.5
Badulla	2.2	2.6	3.4	4.1	7.0	9.2	19.0	25.8	24.3
Monaragala							1.4	2.2	2.5
Ratnapura	1.4	1.6	2.2	3.0	5.8	7.9	11.8	23.3	27.5
Kegalle	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.5	2.2	2.4	8.0	22.0	25.5

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

(1) Data from 1891 to 1953 are in respect of Municipal and Urban council area only. Data from 1963 onwards include Municipal, Urban and Town council area.

Note- Gampaha and Mullaitivu are two new districts which have been carved out in terms of constitutional changes promulgated in September, 1978.

Table 2.3- Rural(1) population by sex and district, census years

District	1891	1901	1911	1921	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Total									
Sri Lanka	2,866.3	3,151.9	3,563.4	3,860.0	5,634.3	6,858.7	8,565.8	9,841.8	11,654.3
Colombo	433.1	486.0	534.7	569.9	841.8	999.3	1,183.6	1,196.1	435.0
Gampaha									1,002.5
Kalutara	172.7	214.5	258.1	294.4	406.0	465.5	505.0	570.0	651.6
Kandy	285.0	342.4	364.4	387.1	635.6	749.9	924.4	1,040.6	903.2
Matale	72.3	87.3	102.6	108.7	141.7	183.8	226.3	277.3	319.2
Nuwara - Eliya	106.9	148.1	148.1	159.6	257.3	307.4	373.2	422.7	566.3
Galle	189.3	221.0	249.1	270.7	400.9	458.0	511.5	580.2	648.2
Matara	169.0	184.3	204.8	212.5	317.2	373.0	454.5	520.3	572.6
Hambantota	86.8	99.7	103.9	111.9	138.8	180.4	252.1	307.0	382.9
Jaffna	236.1	267.0	286.3	288.1	362.2	414.7	461.8	467.7	560.0
Mannar	24.5	24.9	25.6	25.5	31.6	43.7	51.1	66.7	92.3
Vavuniya	15.5	15.1	17.3	18.7	23.2	35.2	57.4	74.6	76.9
Mullattivu									70.0
Batticaloa	115.5	135.2	143.2	148.2	190.1	253.0	146.9	187.2	250.9
Ampara							183.1	240.0	335.7
Trincomealee	14.2	17.2	20.9	24.7	43.4	57.6	103.7	116.0	173.2
Kurunegala	225.5	243.0	298.6	342.5	469.5	605.8	822.6	983.4	1,168.3
Puttalam	81.1	94.9	116.3	124.4	66.0	207.2	264.3	326.0	430.8
Anuradhapura	72.8	75.4	81.0	88.8	127.2	210.9	246.9	349.9	546.5
Polonnaruwa							108.1	147.4	241.1
Badulla	154.2	180.7	208.7	224.0	356.0	444.8	479.6	560.0	589.4
Moneragala							128.9	187.9	267.6
Ratnapura	104.5	128.8	159.7	195.0	329.0	402.5	519.9	611.4	737.9
Kegalle	147.5	186.5	240.0	265.3	396.8	466.1	561.0	608.7	632.2

Table 2.3(Contd.) - Rural(1) population by sex and district, census years

District	1891	1901	1911	1921	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Males									
Sri Lanka	1,418.4	1,667.8	1,869.2	2,020.3	2,937.3	3,566.2	4,407.4	5,018.3	5,898.8
Colombo	223.6	253.5	276.1	292.9	434.6	514.2	606.6	605.3	220.2
Gampaha									502.5
Kalutara	88.2	111.9	134.2	152.7	208.3	237.9	255.4	286.6	323.5
Kandy	144.3	184.0	191.2	201.4	332.1	385.2	472.5	525.4	443.4
Matale	38.9	47.1	55.0	58.1	75.4	98.2	116.8	142.6	161.9
Nuwara - Eliya	62.0	81.8	78.6	83.4	134.3	159.3	191.3	214.6	283.5
Galle	94.0	111.1	123.9	133.5	197.1	223.7	251.2	285.6	314.6
Matara	86.8	94.3	103.8	107.0	158.9	188.4	225.4	256.7	277.5
Hambantota	45.1	52.1	53.7	59.1	74.2	94.1	129.4	157.2	194.6
Jaffna	116.2	132.1	139.6	139.8	178.7	205.1	230.2	231.3	276.5
Mannar	14.1	14.1	14.8	14.8	18.8	25.9	27.9	35.9	49.4
Vavuniya	8.7	8.4	9.8	10.8	13.4	20.3	32.5	41.1	40.5
Mullattivu									38.7
Batticaloa	59.3	69.7	72.8	73.8	95.5	134.6	76.6	97.0	128.4
Ampara							100.2	126.5	175.8
Trincomealee	7.9	9.6	11.5	13.7	26.2	34.1	58.2	62.9	93.4
Kurunegala	121.8	133.6	164.1	190.6	250.5	321.9	425.3	502.7	589.0
Puttalam	44.9	53.1	65.0	69.8	89.9	111.0	136.6	167.5	218.7
Anuradhapura	39.6	40.9	44.1	49.9	74.7	120.8	132.9	186.1	291.2
Polonnaruwa							62.0	80.4	136.3
Badulla	85.3	97.6	111.0	118.5	186.9	233.9	246.5	284.9	298.3
Moneragala							69.0	100.4	146.3
Ratnapura	57.6	71.1	89.4	107.0	177.3	214.2	272.3	318.1	281.5
Kegalle	80.4	101.9	130.5	143.2	210.4	243.4	288.6	309.4	312.8

Table 2.3(Contd.) - Rural(1) population by sex and district,census years

Thousands									
District	1891	1901	1911	1921	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Females									
Sri Lanka	1,267.8	1,484.1	1,694.2	1,839.7	2,697.0	3,292.8	4,158.4	4,824.3	5,755.5
Colombo	209.5	232.5	258.6	277.0	407.2	485.1	577.0	590.8	214.7
Gampaha									500.0
Kalutara	84.5	102.6	123.9	141.7	197.7	227.6	249.6	283.4	328.1
Kandy	120.7	158.4	173.2	185.7	303.5	364.7	451.9	515.2	459.8
Matale	33.4	40.2	47.6	50.6	66.3	85.8	109.5	134.8	157.4
Nuwara - Eliya	44.9	66.3	69.5	76.2	123.0	148.1	181.9	208.0	282.8
Galle	95.3	109.9	125.2	137.2	203.8	234.3	260.3	294.6	333.5
Matara	82.2	90.0	101.0	105.5	158.3	184.6	229.1	263.7	295.1
Hambantota	41.7	47.6	50.2	52.8	64.6	86.3	122.7	149.8	188.3
Jaffna	119.9	134.9	146.7	148.3	163.5	209.6	231.6	236.4	283.5
Mannar	10.4	10.8	10.8	10.7	12.8	17.8	23.3	30.8	42.9
Vavuniya	6.8	6.7	7.5	7.9	9.8	14.9	24.9	33.5	36.4
Mullaitivu									31.3
Batticaloa	56.2	65.5	70.4	74.4	94.6	118.4	70.3	90.2	122.5
Ampara							82.9	114.1	159.9
Trincomalee	6.3	7.6	9.4	11.0	17.2	23.5	45.6	53.9	79.8
Kurunegala	103.7	109.4	134.5	151.9	219.0	283.9	397.3	480.7	579.3
Puttalam	36.2	41.8	51.3	54.6	76.1	96.2	127.7	158.5	212.1
Anuradhapura	33.2	34.5	36.9	38.9	52.5	90.1	114.0	163.8	255.4
Polonnaruwa							46.1	67.0	104.7
Badulla	68.9	83.1	97.7	105.5	169.1	210.9	233.1	275.1	291.0
Moneragala							59.9	87.5	121.2
Ratnapura	46.9	57.7	70.3	88.0	151.7	188.3	247.5	293.3	356.4
Kegalle	67.1	84.6	109.5	122.1	186.4	222.7	272.4	299.2	319.3

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

(1) Including estate sector.

Note- Gampaha and Mullaitivu are two new districts which have been carved out in terms of constitutional changes promulgated in September, 1978.

Table 2.4 - Population of principal towns by sex, census years

Number										
Principal Town	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931*	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Both sexes										
Colombo	126,825	154,691	211,274	244,163	284,155	362,074	426,127	511,644	562,420	587,647
Dehiwela - Mt.Lavinia	-	-	18,466	25,341	34,288	56,881	78,213	110,934	154,194	173,529
Negombo	18,933	19,819	12,960	21,262	25,291	32,479	38,628	46,908	56,795	60,762
Moratuwa	-	29,600	27,253	28,608	32,409	50,698	60,215	77,833	96,267	134,826
Kotte	-	-	10,151	14,511	19,402	40,218	54,381	73,324	93,680	101,039
Kalutara	10,864	11,500	13,006	13,596	14,280	18,965	20,323	25,260	28,634	31,503
Kandy	20,375	26,386	29,927	32,562	37,147	51,266	57,200	68,202	93,303	97,872
Matale	4,197	4,951	5,792	7,865	10,415	14,090	17,244	25,609	30,065	29,752
Nuwara - Eliya	2,726	5,026	7,406	7,525	7,823	10,828	14,405	15,482	17,288	20,471
Galle	33,590	37,165	39,960	39,073	38,424	49,009	55,848	65,236	71,266	76,863
Matara	8,602	11,848	13,851	16,779	18,893	22,908	27,641	32,541	36,554	38,843
Hambantota	2,576	2,843	3,092	2,849	3,133	3,970	4,299	5,330	6,895	8,577
Jaffna	43,179	33,879	40,441	42,436	45,708	62,543	77,811	94,670	107,184	118,224
Mannar	-	5,332	3,777	3,705	4,084	-	-	8,993	11,095	13,931
Vavuniya	-	566	808	936	1,287	-	-	7,159	15,720	18,512
Batticaloa	7,257	9,969	10,666	10,564	11,585	13,037	17,439	22,986	36,696	42,963
Trincomalee	11,596	11,295	8,837	9,414	10,160	32,507	26,356	34,817	40,592	44,313
Kurunegala	4,745	6,483	8,163	10,187	10,467	13,372	17,505	21,179	24,357	26,198
Puttalam	5,034	5,115	5,990	6,905	6,709	7,792	10,237	13,195	18,167	21,586
Chilaw	3,738	4,168	5,033	6,642	7,205	9,108	11,392	14,090	17,608	20,810
Anuradhapura	2,508	3,672	5,361	7,781	8,975	12,314	18,390	29,426	34,734	35,981
Badulla	5,023	5,924	6,488	8,126	9,849	13,387	17,043	27,115	35,470	33,068
Ratnapura	3,527	4,084	5,476	7,014	8,497	12,441	16,598	21,592	10,614	37,497
Kegalle	3,143	2,340	2,536	3,508	3,711	4,903	5,510	11,427	13,305	15,016

Table 2.4(Contd.) - Population of principal towns by sex, census years

Principal Town	Number									
	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931*	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Males										
Colombo	71,684	91,638	129,675	149,595	176,736	229,493	258,878	296,346	317,335	327,213
Dehiwala - Mt. Lavinia	-	-	9,452	13,159	17,805	30,406	42,290	58,792	80,693	87,910
Negombo	9,535	10,020	6,867	10,895	12,959	17,194	20,502	24,113	29,355	30,966
Moratuwa	-	14,000	13,016	14,232	16,123	26,098	31,053	39,645	49,041	67,544
Kotte	-	-	5,255	7,571	10,128	22,046	29,152	38,384	48,787	51,948
Kalutara	5,401	5,821	6,542	6,958	7,308	10,069	10,605	12,850	14,659	16,150
Kandy	11,622	15,049	16,938	18,894	21,554	30,045	32,924	38,090	50,951	51,731
Matale	2,481	2,981	3,475	4,497	5,955	7,821	9,679	13,767	15,500	15,067
Nuwara-Eliya	1,718	3,084	4,725	4,490	4,668	6,298	8,599	8,489	9,285	11,121
Galle	17,003	18,773	20,093	19,465	19,161	25,129	28,871	33,264	36,658	38,699
Matara	4,344	6,007	7,010	8,413	9,473	11,436	14,034	16,779	18,643	19,080
Hambantota	1,436	1,534	1,583	1,447	1,591	2,072	2,327	2,861	3,774	4,053
Jaffna	21,438	17,126	20,071	21,731	23,407	33,483	41,278	49,673	54,993	59,808
Mannar	-	2,641	2,089	1,951	2,151	-	-	5,061	5,977	7,338
Vavuniya	-	356	508	611	840	-	-	4,308	8,993	10,275
Batticaloa	3,863	5,159	5,584	5,406	5,928	6,784	9,628	12,582	19,482	21,824
Trincomalee	6,378	6,125	4,469	4,881	5,268	24,442	15,491	20,013	22,649	24,010
Kurunegala	2,918	4,013	5,060	6,459	6,637	8,164	10,817	12,023	13,488	14,198
Puttalam	2,945	2,786	3,343	4,007	3,893	4,299	5,684	7,075	9,453	11,078
Chilaw	2,115	2,280	2,856	3,954	4,289	4,986	6,237	7,518	9,123	10,755
Anuradhapura	1,708	2,351	3,544	5,037	5,810	7,667	1,066	17,156	19,696	20,003
Badulla	2,850	3,293	3,610	4,578	5,549	7,497	9,624	14,460	18,505	16,811
Ratnapura	2,080	2,440	3,561	4,414	5,347	7,420	9,595	11,754	16,217	19,814
Kegalle	1,729	1,312	1,436	1,983	2,098	2,658	3,073	6,111	6,744	7,672

Table 2.4(Contd.) - Population of principal towns by sex, census years

Principal Town	Number									
	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931*	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Females										
Colombo	55,141	63,053	81,599	94,568	107,419	132,581	167,249	215,298	245,085	260,434
Dehiwala - Mt. Lavinia	-	-	9,014	2,182	16,483	26,475	35,923	52,142	73,500	85,619
Negombo	9,938	9,799	6,093	10,367	12,332	15,285	18,126	22,795	27,438	29,796
Moratuwa	-	15,600	14,237	14,376	16,286	24,600	29,162	38,188	47,224	67,282
Kotte	-	-	4,896	6,940	9,274	18,172	25,229	34,940	44,899	49,094
Kalutara	5,463	5,679	6,464	6,638	6,972	8,896	9,718	12,410	13,984	15,353
Kandy	8,753	11,337	12,989	13,668	15,593	21,221	24,276	30,112	42,352	46,141
Matale	1,716	9,970	2,317	3,368	4,460	6,269	7,565	11,842	14,590	14,685
Nuwara-Eliya	1,009	1,042	2,001	3,035	3,155	4,530	5,806	6,993	8,003	9,350
Galle	16,587	18,392	19,867	19,588	19,263	23,880	26,977	31,967	34,608	38,164
Matara	4,258	5,841	6,841	8,366	9,420	11,472	13,607	15,767	17,906	19,763
Hambantota	1,140	1,309	1,509	1,402	1,542	1,898	1,972	2,469	3,121	3,924
Jaffna	21,741	16,573	20,370	20,705	22,301	29,060	35,903	44,997	52,191	58,416
Mannar	-	2,691	1,688	1,754	1,933	-	-	3,932	5,118	6,593
Vavuniya	-	210	300	325	447	-	-	2,851	6,787	8,237
Batticaloa	3,394	4,810	5,082	5,158	5,657	6,253	7,811	10,404	17,214	21,139
Trincomalee	5,218	5,170	4,368	4,533	4,892	8,065	10,865	14,804	17,943	20,303
Kurunegala	1,827	2,470	3,103	3,728	3,830	5,208	6,688	9,156	10,859	12,000
Puttalam	2,089	2,329	2,647	2,898	2,816	3,493	4,553	6,120	8,714	10,508
Chilaw	1,623	1,888	2,177	2,688	2,916	4,122	5,155	6,572	8,445	10,055
Anuradhapura	800	1,321	1,817	2,744	3,165	4,647	7,324	12,270	15,038	15,978
Badulla	2,173	2,631	2,878	3,548	4,300	5,890	7,419	12,655	16,965	16,257
Ratnapura	1,447	1,644	1,915	2,600	3,150	5,021	7,003	9,838	14,397	17,683
Kegalle	1,414	1,028	1,100	1,525	1,613	2,245	2,437	5,316	6,561	7,344

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

* Estimated on a prorata basis on the data of the 1921 Census except for Colombo where a full census was taken.

Table 2.5 - Number of housing units, households and average household size by district

District	1971			1981			1994*		
	No. of housing units	No. of households	Average no. of occupants per unit(1)	No. of housing units	No. of households	Average households size(2)	No. of housing units	No. of households	Average households size(2)
Colombo	458,575	479,901	5.9	279,142	309,765	5.4	389,188	412,630	4.9
Gampaha	-	-	-	272,966	289,652	4.9	360,991	372,431	4.6
Kalutara	137,195	141,194	5.7	166,822	175,458	4.9	197,182	203,094	4.6
Kandy	222,119	240,581	5.7	188,203	197,161	5.1	248,554	262,272	4.7
Matale	62,835	61,151	5.5	71,593	73,713	4.9	89,994	93,401	4.5
Nuwara Eliya	89,060	118,669	5.2	127,231	136,602	4.6	141,654	147,222	4.6
Galle	138,076	138,953	5.7	154,702	154,531	5.0	200,177	203,879	4.7
Matara	108,476	108,308	6.0	130,607	129,544	5.1	155,112	161,685	4.7
Hambantota	62,795	60,880	6.0	82,084	84,050	5.2	106,889	109,806	4.7
Jaffna	133,057	143,180	5.5	159,053	176,893	4.9	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	15,396	15,097	5.3	18,394	20,770	4.8	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	13,877	14,906	4.7	-	-	-
Vavuniya	18,832	19,735	5.3	17,865	19,719	4.9	-	-	-
Batticaloa	52,706	53,589	5.4	71,137	74,375	4.7	-	-	-
Ampara	54,035	54,122	5.6	78,869	84,407	5.0	-	-	-
Trincomalee	35,318	37,035	5.5	48,592	51,837	4.9	-	-	-
Kurunegala	207,027	200,726	5.4	279,638	275,718	4.6	322,498	324,508	4.2
Puttalam	80,178	80,684	5.2	107,964	111,177	4.5	133,937	135,235	4.4
Anuradhapura	72,913	72,893	5.6	110,514	117,329	4.8	152,324	155,258	4.4
Poionnarua	30,120	28,609	5.8	49,385	51,481	5.0	75,076	75,900	4.4
Badulla	111,791	127,353	5.6	127,026	129,020	5.0	159,982	166,294	4.5
Moneragala	36,641	35,092	5.7	52,653	53,911	4.8	75,294	77,138	4.4
Ratnapura	133,166	136,327	5.4	168,443	169,277	4.8	197,497	201,456	4.6
Kegalle	121,690	131,096	5.6	147,658	147,302	4.9	169,552	172,381	4.7
Sri Lanka	2,382,001	2,485,175	5.6	2,924,418	3,048,598	4.9	3,175,901	3,274,590	4.6

(1) Average number of occupants per housing unit

(2) Average number of occupants per household

* Excluding Northern and Eastern Provinces

Source - Demographic Survey 1994

Department of Census and Statistics

Table 2.6 - Estimated mid year population by district ,1985- 1998

District	Thousands							
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990*	1994*	1998*
Sri Lanka	15,842	16,127	16,373	16,599	16,825	16,993	15,021	18,802
Colombo	1,812	1,840	1,867	1,891	1,915	1,935	2,057	2,281
Gampaha	1,454	1,467	1,481	1,494	1,506	1,518	1,708	1,795
Kalutara	879	891	903	914	925	934	938	992
Kandy	1,162	1,185	1,200	1,214	1,227	1,236	1,221	1,335
Matale	383	392	398	405	410	414	423	462
Nuwara - Eliya	500	513	520	525	531	530	671	748
Galle	870	883	897	910	922	932	955	1,017
Matara	703	718	731	744	757	765	754	804
Hambantota	468	477	486	494	502	510	516	543
Jaffna	899	822	836	844	856	863	..	..
Kilinochchi	-	94	96	99	101	99	..	..
Mannar	118	120	122	124	127	129	..	..
Vavuniya	106	107	109	110	112	114	..	..
Mullaitivu	85	87	89	90	91	91	..	2,598
Batticaloa	370	378	386	393	401	409	..	..
Amparal	432	444	452	461	470	474	..	..
Trincomalee	287	292	297	302	307	311	..	..
Kurunegala	1,310	1,333	1,354	1,373	1,391	1,410	1,378	1,448
Puttalam	540	552	562	571	580	589	601	692
Anuradhapura	647	660	671	682	694	705	676	737
Poionnarua	289	295	299	304	310	314	332	359
Badulla	651	667	678	689	698	701	750	822
Moneragala	312	320	327	334	340	344	365	391
Ratnapura	852	870	885	899	913	923	917	993
Kegalle	712	720	727	733	739	743	760	787

Source - Registrar General's Department

Demographic Survey 1994,

Department of Census and Statistics

* Provisional

Note - Statistically reliable estimates could not be prepared for the Northern and Eastern provinces.

Table 2.7 - Population density by district, census years

District	Population per Sq.Km.											
	1871	1881	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Sri Lanka	37	43	47	55	63	70	82	103	125	165	196	230
Colombo	203	245	280	334	400	447	523	687	838	1,089	2,297	2,586
Gampaha											839	870
Kalutara	91	103	115	142	173	203	228	286	328	398	454	602
Kandy	99	127	123	161	175	186	251	304	359	446	508	550
Matale	32	38	33	40	47	50	56	68	87	130	158	179
Nuwara Eliya	48	81	90	126	128	138	194	221	268	328	377	351
Galle	116	126	134	155	174	188	218	275	314	388	439	498
Matara	116	123	144	166	184	194	230	286	336	418	470	502
Hambantota	23	28	34	41	43	46	48	58	74	107	131	164
Jaffna	96	104	109	118	128	129	139	166	193	248	336	845
Mannar	8	9	10	10	11	11	10	13	18	25	37	53
Vavuniya	4	4	4	4	5	5	5	6	9	19	23	48
Mullaitivu											22	31
Batticaloa										81	104	123
Ampara	13	15	17	20	22	22	25	29	38	72	60	90
Trincomalee	7	8	10	11	11	13	14	28	31	54	72	97
Kurunegala	44	46	49	53	65	75	84	103	133	181	215	252
Puttalam	23	26	11	13	17	15	15	18	25	103	127	164
Chilaw			94	111	131	152	171	208	254			
Anuradhapura										40	55	84
Polonnaruwa	6	6	7	8	9	9	9	14	22	34	48	81
Badulla										188	218	229
Moneragala	15	20	19	22	26	28	36	45	56	19	35	49
Ratnapura	29	33	34	41	52	63	82	107	132	171	208	245
Kegalle	64	73	91	115	148	164	191	245	287	352	387	405

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note- Gampaha and Mullaitivu are two new districts which have been carved out in terms of constitutional changes promulgated in September, 1978.

Table 2.8 - Population density by district, 1985- 1998

District	Population per Sq.Km.							
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1994**	1998*
Sri Lanka	245	250	253	265	268	271	240	300
Colombo	2,758	2,801	2,842	2,797	2,833	2,862	3,043	3,374
Gampaha	910	918	927	1,114	1,123	1,132	1,273	1,338
Kalutara	638	647	655	580	587	593	595	629
Kandy	606	618	626	633	640	645	637	696
Matale	192	197	200	207	210	212	217	237
Nuwara Eliya	287	295	299	308	311	311	394	438
Galle	532	540	548	563	570	576	591	629
Matara	548	560	570	586	596	602	594	633
Hambantota	181	185	188	198	201	204	207	217
Jaffna	915	836	850	908	921	929		
Kilinochchi	-	76	78	82	84	82		
Mannar	59	60	61	66	68	69		
Vavuniya	54	54	55	59	60	61		
Mullaitivu	34	35	35	37	38	38		147
Batticaloa	138	141	144	151	154	157		
Ampara	99	102	104	109	111	112		
Trincomalee	109	111	113	119	121	123		
Kurunegala	272	277	281	297	301	305	298	313
Puttalam	179	183	187	198	201	204	209	240
Anuradhapura	92	94	95	102	104	106	101	111
Polonnaruwa	89	91	92	99	101	102	108	117
Badulla	228	233	237	244	247	248	265	291
Moneragala	56	58	59	61	62	62	66	71
Ratnapura	260	266	270	278	282	285	283	307
Kegalle	421	425	429	435	439	441	451	467

Source - Demographic Survey, 1994

Department of Census and Statistics

* Provisional

Note :- Figures from 1988 to 1994 are revised according to land area as at 1988.

** Estimated without adjusting for the migrants from Northern and Eastern provinces.

Table 2.9 - Population by age and sex, 1991 - 2031: standard,high and low projections

Thousands

Age group	Standard projection								
	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
All ages	17,259	18,111	19,015	19,977	20,873	21,690	22,324	22,794	23,129
0 - 4	1,664	1,591	1,599	1,609	1,558	1,499	1,397	1,329	1,295
5 - 9	1,864	1,629	1,566	1,583	1,598	1,552	1,494	1,394	1,325
10 - 14	1,863	1,845	1,616	1,558	1,578	1,596	1,550	1,492	1,392
15 - 19	1,691	1,801	1,802	1,594	1,546	1,576	1,594	1,548	1,490
20 - 24	1,536	1,589	1,729	1,765	1,574	1,542	1,572	1,590	1,545
25 - 29	1,469	1,487	1,554	1,708	1,751	1,568	1,537	1,568	1,586
30 - 34	1,414	1,436	1,463	1,538	1,697	1,744	1,562	1,532	1,563
35 - 39	1,260	1,391	1,418	1,450	1,528	1,688	1,736	1,556	1,526
40 - 44	1,046	1,238	1,372	1,403	1,437	1,516	1,677	1,726	1,547
45 - 49	828	1,025	1,217	1,352	1,385	1,421	1,501	1,662	1,711
50 - 54	665	804	999	1,191	1,326	1,361	1,398	1,479	1,639
55 - 59	561	637	774	967	1,156	1,290	1,327	1,366	1,447
60 - 64	472	527	602	735	922	1,106	1,238	1,277	1,318
65 - 69	369	428	482	554	681	858	1,033	1,161	1,204
70 - 74	261	316	371	421	488	603	765	928	1,053
75+	298	366	453	550	652	772	944	1,188	1,488

Table 2.9(Contd.) - Population by age and sex, 1991 - 2031: standard,high and low projections

Thousands

Age group	Standard projection								
	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
Males									
All ages	8,736	9,141	9,574	10,031	10,455	10,838	11,128	11,339	11,485
0 - 4	838	802	806	811	786	756	705	671	654
5 - 9	937	818	787	796	804	781	752	702	668
10 - 14	946	927	812	783	793	802	780	751	701
15 - 19	864	916	907	800	777	792	801	778	750
20 - 24	785	814	881	888	790	774	789	799	776
25 - 29	742	760	796	870	880	786	771	787	796
30 - 34	708	724	746	787	863	876	783	768	784
35 - 39	629	694	713	738	780	858	870	779	764
40 - 44	525	617	683	704	730	773	851	864	773
45 - 49	419	513	604	671	694	720	764	841	855
50 - 54	338	405	498	589	656	679	706	750	827
55 - 59	286	322	388	479	568	634	657	685	729
60 - 64	242	266	301	364	451	537	601	625	654
65 - 69	190	216	239	272	332	413	493	555	580
70 - 74	134	160	184	205	235	288	361	434	492
75+	155	188	229	273	318	370	445	553	682

Table 2.9(Contd.) - Population by age and sex, 1991 - 2031: standard,high and low projections

Age group	Standard projection								
	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
Females									
All ages	8,523	8,971	9,442	9,946	10,418	10,852	11,196	11,455	11,644
0 - 4	826	790	793	798	772	743	692	658	640
5 - 9	927	811	778	787	794	771	742	691	657
10 - 14	917	918	804	775	785	794	770	741	691
15 - 19	827	885	896	793	769	784	793	770	741
20 - 24	751	775	848	877	784	768	783	792	769
25 - 29	726	728	758	838	871	782	766	781	790
30 - 34	706	712	717	752	834	869	779	764	779
35 - 39	631	697	705	712	747	830	866	777	762
40 - 44	521	622	689	698	707	743	826	862	774
45 - 49	410	512	613	680	691	701	738	821	857
50 - 54	327	399	501	602	670	682	692	730	812
55 - 59	275	315	387	488	588	656	669	681	718
60 - 64	230	261	301	371	471	569	637	651	664
65 - 69	179	212	242	282	349	445	540	607	623
70 - 74	127	157	187	216	252	316	404	494	561
75+	143	178	224	277	334	402	498	636	806

Table 2.9(Contd.) - Population by age and sex, 1991 - 2031: standard,high and low projections

Age group	High projection								
	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
All ages	17,259	18,158	19,069	20,204	21,272	22,286	23,227	24,085	24,859
0 - 4	1,664	1,657	1,646	1,672	1,658	1,670	1,658	1,655	1,664
5 - 9	1,864	1,623	1,626	1,638	1,666	1,653	1,666	1,654	1,652
10 - 14	1,863	1,841	1,607	1,624	1,636	1,664	1,652	1,664	1,653
15 - 19	1,691	1,787	1,781	1,604	1,621	1,634	1,663	1,650	1,663
20 - 24	1,536	1,579	1,695	1,775	1,600	1,617	1,630	1,660	1,647
25 - 29	1,469	1,485	1,538	1,687	1,769	1,595	1,613	1,627	1,656
30 - 34	1,414	1,436	1,459	1,530	1,680	1,763	1,590	1,609	1,623
35 - 39	1,260	1,392	1,417	1,451	1,523	1,673	1,756	1,585	1,604
40 - 44	1,046	1,240	1,373	1,406	1,440	1,513	1,664	1,747	1,578
45 - 49	828	1,027	1,220	1,356	1,390	1,426	1,500	1,651	1,735
50 - 54	665	806	1,003	1,197	1,333	1,369	1,407	1,482	1,633
55 - 59	561	639	779	973	1,165	1,300	1,339	1,379	1,455
60 - 64	472	529	606	742	932	1,119	1,255	1,297	1,340
65 - 69	369	430	486	561	691	871	1,054	1,190	1,238
70 - 74	261	318	375	427	498	617	788	965	1,103
75+	298	368	458	561	671	801	992	1,270	1,616

Table 2.9(Contd.) - Population by age and sex, 1991 - 2031: standard,high and low projections

Age group	Thousands								
	High projection								
	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
Males									
All ages	8,736	9,162	9,595	10,140	10,650	11,135	11,588	12,008	12,395
0 - 4	838	835	830	843	837	843	838	838	843
5 - 9	937	815	818	824	838	833	840	835	835
10 - 14	946	926	808	816	822	837	832	839	834
15 - 19	864	909	895	806	814	821	836	831	838
20 - 24	785	808	862	892	803	812	819	834	829
25 - 29	742	758	786	858	888	800	809	817	832
30 - 34	708	724	743	782	854	884	797	807	815
35 - 39	629	695	713	738	777	849	880	794	804
40 - 44	525	618	684	706	732	771	843	875	790
45 - 49	419	514	606	674	696	723	763	835	868
50 - 54	338	406	500	592	660	683	711	752	825
55 - 59	286	323	389	482	572	639	664	694	736
60 - 64	242	267	303	367	456	543	611	639	671
65 - 69	190	217	241	275	336	420	505	573	604
70 - 74	134	160	185	208	239	294	373	455	523
75+	155	189	231	278	326	383	468	593	748

Table 2.9(Contd.) - Population by age and sex, 1991 - 2031: standard,high and low projections

Age group	Thousands								
	High projection								
	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
Females									
All ages	8,523	8,996	9,474	10,065	10,621	11,151	11,638	12,077	12,464
0 - 4	826	822	816	829	821	827	820	818	821
5 - 9	927	808	809	814	828	820	826	819	817
10 - 14	917	916	800	808	813	827	820	826	819
15 - 19	827	879	885	799	807	813	827	819	825
20 - 24	751	771	832	883	797	805	811	826	818
25 - 29	726	727	751	830	881	795	804	810	824
30 - 34	706	712	716	748	827	878	793	802	808
35 - 39	631	697	705	713	746	824	876	791	800
40 - 44	521	623	689	700	709	742	821	873	788
45 - 49	410	513	614	683	694	704	737	816	867
50 - 54	327	400	503	605	673	686	696	730	808
55 - 59	275	317	389	491	592	661	675	685	719
60 - 64	230	262	304	375	476	575	644	658	670
65 - 69	179	213	245	286	355	452	549	618	634
70 - 74	127	157	189	219	258	323	415	510	579
75+	143	179	227	283	345	418	524	678	867

Table 2.11- Population by ethnic group and district, Census 1981

District	Total	Sinhalese	Number					Others
			Sri Lankan Tamil	Indian Tamil	Sri Lankan Moor	Burgher	Malay	
Sri Lanka	14,846,750	10,979,568	1,886,864	818,656	1,046,927	39,374	46,963	28,398
Colombo	1,699,241	1,318,835	170,590	19,824	139,743	19,688	22,233	8,328
Gampaha	1,390,862	1,279,512	48,182	5,919	37,826	8,423	8,675	2,325
Kalutara	829,704	723,483	9,744	33,659	61,159	431	762	466
Kandy	1,048,317	778,801	52,791	98,436	109,779	2,122	2,755	3,633
Matale	357,354	285,354	20,579	24,912	24,995	272	574	668
Nuwara - Eliya	603,577	254,375	76,449	257,478	12,163	696	1,136	1,280
Galle	814,531	769,343	7,271	11,056	25,678	288	186	709
Mafara	643,786	608,516	4,683	13,875	16,122	205	79	306
Hambantota	424,344	412,055	2,500	284	4,899	82	4,445	79
Jaffna	830,552	6,659	790,385	19,980	12,958	383	72	115
Mannar	106,235	8,683	54,474	13,850	27,717	36	35	1,440
Vavuniya	95,428	15,794	54,179	18,714	6,505	25	34	177
Mullaitivu	77,189	3,992	58,209	11,215	3,651	95	19	8
Batticaloa	330,333	11,255	233,713	4,074	78,829	2,292	46	124
Amparai	388,970	146,943	77,826	1,411	161,568	697	168	357
Trincomalee	255,948	85,503	87,760	5,372	75,039	1,169	831	274
Kurunegala	1,211,801	1,125,912	14,920	6,616	60,791	562	1,259	1,741
Puttalam	492,533	407,067	32,282	2,289	49,000	440	954	501
Anuradhapura	587,929	535,834	8,026	719	41,777	228	338	1,007
Polonnaruwa	261,563	238,965	5,267	124	16,636	59	109	403
Badulla	640,952	443,024	37,520	129,498	26,600	613	1,419	2,278
Monaragala	273,570	253,572	5,346	8,859	5,312	70	193	218
Ratnapura	797,087	677,510	19,094	84,740	13,791	342	412	1,198
Kegalle	684,944	588,581	15,074	45,752	34,389	156	229	763

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 2.12 - Percentage distribution of population by ethnic group and district, Census 1981

District	All Races	Sinhalese (Low Country and Kandyan)	Percentage					Others
			Sri Lankan Tamils	Indian Tamils	Sri Lankan Moors	Burghers	Malays	
Colombo	100	77.6	10.0	1.2	8.3	1.2	0.3	0.5
Gampaha	100	92.0	3.5	0.4	2.7	0.6	0.6	0.2
Kalutara	100	87.2	1.2	4.1	7.4	0.1	0.1	0.1
Kandy	100	74.3	5.0	9.4	10.5	0.2	0.3	0.3
Matale	100	79.9	5.8	7.0	7.0	0.1	0.2	0.2
Nuwara - Eliya	100	42.1	12.7	42.7	2.0	0.1	0.2	0.2
Galle	100	94.5	0.9	1.4	3.2	-	-	0.1
Mafara	100	94.5	0.7	2.2	2.5	-	-	-
Hambantota	100	97.1	0.6	0.1	1.2	-	1.0	-
Jaffna	100	0.8	95.2	2.4	1.6	-	-	-
Mannar	100	8.2	51.3	13.0	26.1	-	-	1.4
Vavuniya	100	16.6	56.8	19.6	6.8	-	-	0.2
Mullaitivu	100	5.2	75.4	14.5	4.7	0.1	-	-
Batticaloa	100	3.4	70.8	1.2	23.9	0.7	-	-
Amparai	100	37.8	20.0	0.4	41.5	0.2	-	0.1
Trincomalee	100	33.4	34.3	2.1	29.3	0.5	0.3	0.1
Kurunegala	100	92.9	1.2	0.5	5.0	-	0.1	0.1
Puttalam	100	82.6	6.6	0.5	9.9	0.1	0.2	0.1
Anuradhapura	100	91.1	1.4	0.1	7.1	-	0.1	0.2
Polonnaruwa	100	91.4	2.0	-	6.4	-	-	0.2
Badulla	100	69.1	5.9	20.2	4.2	0.1	0.2	0.4
Monaragala	100	92.7	2.0	3.2	1.9	-	0.1	0.1
Ratnapura	100	85.0	2.4	10.6	1.7	-	0.1	0.2
Kegalle	100	85.9	2.2	6.7	5.0	-	-	0.1

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 2.13 - Estimated mid year population by ethnic group, 1980 - 1989

Ethnic group	In Thousands									
	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Total (1)	14,742	15,011	15,195	15,417	15,603	15,842	16,127	16,373	16,599	16,825
Sinhalese	10,827	11,027	11,252	11,430	11,578	11,757	11,955	12,121	12,280	12,437
Sri Lankan Tamil	1,714	1,752	1,919	1,951	1,976	2,008	2,042	2,072	2,096	2,124
Indian Tamil	1,031	1,031	824	812	807	811	828	845	859	873
Sri Lankan Moor	1,031	1,056	1,088	1,111	1,129	1,152	1,179	1,203	1,226	1,249
Burghers	49	49	39	39	40	40	41	41	41	42
Malays	50	50	44	45	45	45	46	47	48	48
Others	45	45	29	29	29	29	36	44	50	52

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

(1) Total figure may not tally due to rounding off.

Table 2.14- Population by religion, census years

Religion	In Thousands										
	1881	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931(1)	1946	1953	1963	1971	1981
Total	2,759.8	3,007.8	3,566.0	4,106.4	4,497.9	5,306.9	6,657.3	8,097.9	10,582.0	12,669.8	14,846.7
Buddhist	1,698.1	1877.0	2,141.4	2,474.2	2,769.8	3,266.6	4,294.9	5,209.4	7,003.3	8,536.8	10,288.3
Hindus	593.6	615.9	826.8	938.3	982.1	1,166.9	1,320.4	1,610.5	1,958.4	2,238.6	2,297.8
Muslims	197.8	212.0	246.1	283.6	302.5	354.2	436.6	541.5	724.0	901.7	1,121.7
Christians	268.0	302.1	349.2	409.2	443.4	518.1	603.2	724.4	884.9	1,004.3	1,130.6
Others	2.3	0.7	2.4	1.1	0.8	1.0	2.3	11.9	11.4	8.2	8.3

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

(1) Estimated by distributing the total population according to the percent distribution of religions in the 1921 census. The figures include 442 persons of unspecified sex enumerated at the partial census of 1931.

Table 2.15 - Population by religion and district, Census 1981

District	Total	Buddhist	Hindus	Muslims	Number		
					Roman Catholics	Other Christians	Others
Sri Lanka	14,846,750	10,288,328	2,297,806	1,121,715	1,023,713	106,854	8,334
Colombo	1,699,241	1,196,964	130,215	168,863	159,947	40,598	2,654
Gampaha	1,390,862	989,212	26,750	48,117	313,352	12,563	868
Kalutara	829,704	699,613	37,035	62,659	27,897	2,424	276
Kandy	1,048,317	771,435	132,943	115,941	20,067	7,498	433
Matale	357,354	281,004	41,352	26,265	7,443	1,202	88
Nuwara - Eliya	603,577	251,247	303,571	14,902	28,382	5,312	163
Galle	814,531	767,661	15,086	26,301	3,586	1,452	445
Matara	643,786	608,714	15,356	16,670	2,026	818	202
Hambantota	424,344	411,919	2,174	9,408	542	174	127
Jaffna	830,552	5,104	705,705	14,844	95,613	9,153	133
Mannar	106,235	3,363	28,885	29,161	43,633	1,056	137
Vavuniya	95,428	15,754	65,574	6,740	6,493	845	22
Mullaitivu	77,189	1,060	60,117	3,789	11,735	476	12
Batticaloa	330,333	9,127	218,812	78,810	19,704	3,795	85
Amparal	388,970	145,687	72,809	162,140	5,643	2,387	304
Trincomalee	255,948	82,602	80,843	76,404	14,303	1,280	516
Kurunegala	1,211,801	1,092,128	15,133	64,112	36,340	3,641	447
Puttalam	492,533	236,241	18,997	50,351	184,555	2,082	307
Anuradhapura	587,929	530,008	6,843	42,999	6,949	939	191
Polonnaruwa	261,563	235,758	4,781	17,090	3,471	351	112
Badulla	640,952	440,755	156,037	29,317	11,529	3,081	233
Moneragala	273,570	253,576	12,778	5,584	1,224	314	94
Ratnapura	797,087	675,785	92,156	15,576	11,107	2,188	275
Kegalle	684,944	583,611	53,854	35,672	8,372	3,225	210

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 2.16 - Percentage distribution of the population by religion and district, Census 1981

District	All	Buddhists	Hindus	Muslims	Roman Catholics	Other Christians	Others
Sri Lanka	100.0	69.3	15.5	7.6	6.9	0.7	0.1
Colombo	100.0	70.4	7.7	9.9	9.4	2.4	0.2
Gampaha	100.0	71.1	1.9	3.5	22.5	0.9	0.1
Kalutara	100.0	84.3	4.5	7.6	3.3	0.3	-
Kandy	100.0	73.6	12.7	11.1	1.9	0.7	-
Matale	100.0	78.6	11.6	7.3	2.1	0.3	-
Nuwara Eliya	100.0	41.6	50.3	2.5	4.7	0.9	-
Galle	100.0	94.2	1.9	3.2	0.4	0.2	0.1
Matara	100.0	94.6	2.4	2.6	0.3	0.1	-
Hambantota	100.0	97.1	0.5	2.2	0.1	-	-
Jaffna	100.0	0.6	85.0	1.8	11.5	1.1	-
Mannar	100.0	3.2	27.2	27.4	41.1	1.0	0.1
Vavuniya	100.0	16.5	68.7	7.1	6.8	0.9	-
Mullaitivu	100.0	1.4	77.9	4.9	15.2	0.6	-
Batticaloa	100.0	2.7	66.3	23.9	6.0	1.1	-
Amparal	100.0	37.4	18.7	41.7	1.5	0.6	0.1
Trincomalee	100.0	32.3	31.6	29.9	5.6	0.5	0.2
Kurunegala	100.0	90.1	1.2	5.3	3.0	0.3	-
Puttalam	100.0	48.0	3.9	10.2	37.5	0.4	-
Anuradhapura	100.0	90.1	1.2	7.3	1.2	0.2	-
Polonnaruwa	100.0	90.1	1.8	6.5	1.3	0.1	-
Badulla	100.0	68.8	24.3	4.6	1.0	0.5	-
Moneragala	100.0	92.7	4.7	2.0	0.4	0.1	-
Ratnapura	100.0	84.8	11.6	2.0	1.4	0.3	-
Kegalle	100.0	85.2	7.9	5.2	1.2	0.5	-

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

CHAPTER III - VITAL STATISTICS

VITAL STATISTICS

Statistics pertaining to Births, Deaths, Marriages, Divorces and population are compiled and published by the Registrar General's Department in its annual reports. Vital statistics cover the entire island.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS

The collection of birth and death statistics commenced in 1867 and annual figures are available since 1867. These statistics are compiled at the Statistics Branch of the Registrar General's from the birth and death returns furnished by the Registrars of Births and Deaths. These statistics are by place of occurrence and date of registration and some data are tabulated by Place of Residence and Date of Occurrence as well.

MORTALITY STATISTICS

The collection of statistics on diseases commenced in 1880 and have been published annually from 1911. These statistics have been compiled in accordance with the

International List (3rd Revision). The List (4th Revision) was adopted in 1933 and the 5th Revision in 1943. The International Classification of Diseases of the W.H.O. (6th Revision) was adopted in 1950, the 7th Revision from 1969, 8th Revision from 1974 and the 9th Revision from 1980.

MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES

These statistics cover all registered marriages under the General, Kandyan and Muslim Law and have been collected and published since 1867 annually.

VITAL STATISTICS RATES

All rates are based on the mid - year estimates of population made by the Registrar General's Department.

NATALITY

Table 3.1 - Live births by sex, sex ratio at birth and crude live birth rate, 1956 - 1997

Year	Total	Male	Female	Male births per 1000 female births	Crude birth rate per 1000 population
1956	325,067	165,485	159,582	1,037	36.3
1957	334,135	169,681	164,454	1,032	36.4
1958	335,690	170,868	164,822	1,037	35.8
1959	356,336	181,418	174,918	1,037	37.0
1960	361,702	183,799	177,903	1,033	36.6
1961	363,677	184,984	178,693	1,040	35.8
1962	370,762	188,938	181,824	1,039	35.5
1963	365,842	186,484	179,358	1,040	34.1
1964	361,577	183,721	177,856	1,033	33.2
1965	369,437	187,764	181,680	1,033	33.1
1966	369,153	187,796	181,357	1,039	32.3
1967	369,531	187,575	181,956	1,031	31.6
1968	384,178	195,601	188,577	1,037	32.0
1969	372,774	189,370	183,404	1,033	30.4
1970	367,901	187,535	180,366	1,040	29.4
1971	382,668	195,306	187,362	1,042	30.4
1972	385,462	196,354	189,108	1,038	30.0
1973	367,158	187,251	179,907	1,041	28.0
1974	365,902	186,054	179,848	1,035	27.5
1975	375,857	190,669	185,188	1,030	27.8
1976	380,702	194,019	186,683	1,039	27.8
1977	389,522	198,267	191,255	1,037	27.9
1978	404,831	206,845	197,986	1,045	28.5
1979	417,986	213,238	204,748	1,041	28.9
1980	418,373	213,584	204,789	1,043	28.4
1981	423,793	217,314	206,479	1,052	28.2
1982	408,895	208,630	200,265	1,042	26.9
1983	405,122	206,644	198,478	1,041	26.3
1984	391,064	199,834	191,230	1,045	25.1
1985	389,599	198,935	190,664	1,043	24.6
1986	361,735	184,707	177,028	1,043	22.4
1987	357,723	183,105	174,618	1,049	21.8
1988	344,179	176,467	167,712	1,052	20.7
1989	363,343	185,607	177,736	1,044	21.6
1990	338,218	172,819	165,399	1,045	19.9
1991	356,593	181,691	174,902	1,039	20.7
1992	356,842	181,625	175,217	1,037	20.5
1993	350,707	178,577	172,130	1,037	19.9
1994	356,071	181,634	174,437	1,041	19.9
1995	343,224	174,675	168,549	1,036	18.9
1996	340,649	173,603	167,046	1,039	18.6
1997*	332,626	171,340	161,286	1,062	17.9

Source - Registrar General's Department

* Provisional.

Table 3.2 - Live births by district, 1988 - 1997

District	1988	1989	1990*	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997*
Sri Lanka	344,179	363,643	341,223	356,593	356,842	350,707	356,071	343,224	340,649	332,626
Colombo	42,367	42,730	44,863	50,574	51,663	51,508	51,179	53,517	55,616	55,409
Gampaha	21,191	23,293	22,486	22,856	23,213	22,981	24,432	23,689	23,535	23,852
Kalutara	16,880	17,099	15,522	16,350	15,016	14,971	14,914	14,094	16,028	15,459
Kandy	26,393	27,950	26,554	26,796	27,958	28,226	27,899	28,403	27,761	27,241
Matale	8,873	8,881	8,283	8,092	8,899	8,793	8,084	8,269	8,111	8,164
Nuwara Eliya	14,439	14,769	12,187	14,269	13,029	10,555	10,690	11,517	10,610	9,709
Galle	18,173	19,228	18,947	19,673	19,286	18,227	18,665	18,329	18,353	18,035
Matara	17,107	17,305	16,423	15,657	16,679	16,559	16,894	16,944	16,005	14,612
Hambantota	8,784	10,538	9,907	9,690	9,201	8,761	9,165	7,971	7,526	7,335
Jaffna	17,388	17,714	9,631	16,820	14,114	12,515	13,117	10,107	7,251	7,457
Kilinochchi	2,279	2,939	2,611	3,049	3,626	3,153	3,493	3,597	5,577	3,096
Mannar	2,777	3,394	3,022	24#	1,689	2,007	1,988	1,915	2,071	2,069
Vavuniya	1,921	2,391	1,783	1,567	1,825	2,585	2,515	2,879	3,320	2,748
Mullaitivu	1,672	1,989	1,390	2,302	2,331	2,474	2,477	2,583	4,109	4,513
Batticaloa	9,880	11,219	12,121	11,410	12,275	11,118	12,055	11,447	9,753	11,379
Ampara	11,073	11,472	11,170	11,386	13,267	11,913	12,691	11,730	10,310	11,641
Trincomalee	6,687	6,098	5,664	5,688	5,723	6,561	7,937	7,525	7,305	7,917
Kurunegala	25,336	28,699	26,327	25,593	25,470	25,316	27,162	24,653	23,072	22,214
Puttalam	12,266	12,471	12,392	13,074	13,511	13,402	13,247	13,108	13,231	13,133
Anuradhapura	14,939	16,250	14,511	15,684	15,654	16,858	17,106	15,081	14,830	14,383
Polonnaruwa	6,272	6,247	6,586	6,881	7,122	7,795	6,902	5,828	5,539	5,001
Badulla	17,282	17,923	18,316	18,902	17,474	17,422	16,807	16,940	17,236	16,202
Moneragala	7,402	8,328	7,288	7,543	7,766	7,746	7,976	6,743	7,112	5,702
Ratnapura	21,802	22,604	22,266	21,565	19,854	18,956	18,597	17,306	16,929	15,929
Kegalle	10,996	12,112	10,973	11,148	10,197	10,305	10,079	9,049	9,459	9,426

Source - Registrar General's Department

* Provisional.

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Table 3.3 - Live births by age of mother, 1980 - 1996

Year	Total	<15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	Unsp.
1980	418,373	96	29,748	130,531	128,345	82,022	37,691	8,775	1,163	2
1981	423,793	105	30,329	132,220	127,229	85,188	38,318	9,193	1,207	4
1982	408,895	102	30,674	131,448	120,062	80,960	35,567	8,868	1,183	31
1983	405,122	116	30,606	130,822	118,869	80,403	34,962	8,253	1,090	1
1984	391,064	97	29,457	126,000	114,104	77,585	34,716	8,197	908	-
1985	389,599	78	29,676	122,525	117,453	74,434	36,387	8,009	1,036	1
1986	361,735	85	28,781	112,718	109,959	68,307	33,658	7,305	920	2
1987	357,723	90	27,948	109,007	109,273	68,723	34,345	7,402	930	5
1988	344,179	87	25,730	102,001	106,719	67,335	33,564	7,916	824	3
1989	363,343	111	28,458	105,266	111,904	72,530	35,513	8,650	910	1
1991	356,593	117	26,084	97,630	111,600	75,187	36,624	8,507	844	-
1992	356,842	126	26,245	96,441	109,546	77,012	37,408	9,256	808	-
1993	350,707	135	26,783	92,862	106,409	77,592	36,716	9,393	817	-
1994	356,071	91	28,594	94,522	107,105	79,303	36,209	9,370	877	-
1995	343,224	135	28,360	88,212	102,949	76,589	37,028	8,986	965	-
1996	340,649	139	28,271	83,244	101,510	76,096	42,130	8,378	881	-

Source - Registrar General's Department

Note - Data processing is still not completed for the year 1990.

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Table 3.4 - Foetal deaths(1) by sex and foetal deaths per 1000 live births in proclaimed towns, 1956 - 1996

Year	Total	Male	Female	Foetal deaths per 1000 live births (Still births)
1956	4,171	2,152	2,016	47.0
1957	4,648	2,434	2,214	49.0
1958	4,894	2,527	2,367	51.0
1959	5,440	2,913	2,527	50.0
1960	5,500	2,937	2,563	49.0
1961	5,472	2,919	2,553	47.0
1962	5,692	2,982	2,707	47.0
1963	5,974	3,074	2,900	48.0
1964	5,850	3,066	2,784	48.0
1965	6,115	3,223	2,892	47.0
1966	6,128	3,222	2,906	49.0
1967	5,721	2,961	2,760	43.0
1968	5,378	2,756	2,622	50.0
1969	5,327	2,763	2,564	36.0
1970	5,001	2,689	2,312	34.0
1971	5,254	2,721	2,533	34.0
1972	5,057	2,583	2,474	35.0
1973	4,596	2,360	2,236	32.0
1974	3,969	2,024	1,945	28.0
1975	3,797	1,908	1,889	27.0
1976	3,849	2,030	1,819	26.0
1977	3,803	1,973	1,830	25.0
1978	3,830	2,018	1,812	23.0
1979	3,797	1,974	1,823	24.0
1980	3,746	1,960	1,786	24.0
1981	3,175	1,629	1,546	19.0
1982	2,887	1,505	1,382	23.0
1983	2,552	1,321	1,231	17.0
1984	2,590	1,282	1,308	17.0
1985	2,865	1,488	1,377	15.4
1986	2,993	1,542	1,451	20.0
1987	3,103	1,623	1,480	21.0
1988	3,132	1,625	1,507	21.0
1989	1,989	997	992	12.6
1990	1,995	982	1,013	13.4
1991	1,551	802	749	8.5
1992	1,587	798	789	9.5
1993	1,929	1,040	889	11.0
1994	1,516	805	711	7.7
1995	1,390	683	707	7.2
1996	1,113	556	557	5.6

Source - Registrar General's Department

(1) Refers to foetal deaths occurring after 28th week of gestation

Table 3.5 - Infant Mortality per 1000 live births by district, 1987 - 1996

District	1987	1988	1989	1990*	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Sri Lanka	22.6	20.2	18.4	19.3	17.7	17.9	16.3	16.9	16.5	17.3
Colombo	25.6	24.6	25.7	29.2	27.0	28.0	24.7	25.4	21.3	21.6
Gampaha	17.2	14.9	11.2	12.0	9.9	10.6	10.9	8.4	8.7	11.2
Kalutara	20.5	15.4	14.0	16.5	16.6	19.6	14.8	13.8	13.4	10.6
Kandy	31.2	29.1	26.3	26.6	26.8	27.6	25.9	26.7	24.0	26.7
Matale	18.0	14.9	10.2	9.7	11.5	9.0	8.3	9.3	10.9	10.6
Nuwara Eliya	43.6	35.5	40.8	38.9	28.9	26.9	27.5	25.4	23.5	23.9
Galle	19.5	18.5	17.8	18.1	13.0	15.5	17.7	18.5	18.3	21.8
Matara	26.2	21.7	16.1	18.5	23.2	22.9	17.8	20.7	21.0	24.9
Hambantota	9.3	8.2	5.2	6.6	6.5	4.9	5.0	3.9	4.9	3.3
Jaffna	17.9	21.1	15.7	3.3	10.2	19.8	15.3	13.2	5.6	17.5
Kilinochchi	9.1	11.4	10.5	7.7	3.9	2.2	8.6	5.4	7.8	10.8
Mannar	22.9	16.9	15.0	15.6	41.7#	5.3	11.0	4.5	6.8	7.2
Vavuniya	22.2	15.6	7.5	10.1	4.5	4.9	9.7	4.0	5.2	8.4
Mullaitivu	12.7	23.3	10.1	5.8	4.3	2.6	5.7	4.8	2.3	7.8
Batticaloa	13.8	8.5	10.0	8.2	12.4	12.2	10.2	11.3	7.5	12.6
Ampara	14.3	12.6	8.1	9.6	8.0	6.9	5.1	6.9	4.0	5.4
Trincomalee	13.4	9.3	7.1	9.0	5.6	5.9	6.6	4.3	7.0	1.4
Kurunegala	21.3	21.6	16.0	17.6	19.2	15.1	15.7	15.1	16.6	14.1
Puttalam	21.4	14.3	17.0	16.0	19.4	16.9	11.6	16.2	19.1	10.9
Anuradhapura	25.9	24.9	19.4	23.1	21.0	22.4	14.3	25.7	28.0	27.5
Polonnaruwa	11.7	11.3	10.4	5.5	6.7	12.9	17.7	18.4	13.2	18.2
Badulla	27.0	24.2	25.3	25.9	14.6	14.3	15.6	13.7	18.6	19.2
Moneragala	8.3	7.0	4.1	7.2	5.3	5.0	5.8	4.3	5.0	4.8
Ratnapura	31.4	26.0	24.0	29.1	22.6	20.5	18.6	22.4	23.7	22.7
Kegalle	18.0	12.4	19.9	16.0	14.3	13.9	10.8	12.9	14.1	17.1

Source - Registrar General's Department

* Provisional.

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Table 3.6 - Maternal Mortality per 1000 live births by district, 1986 - 1996

District	1986	1987	1988	1989	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Sri Lanka	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
Colombo	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Gampaha	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Kalutara	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	-	0.1	-	0.0	-
Kandy	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.9	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.2
Matale	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.1	0.3	-	0.0	-
Nuwara Eliya	0.6	0.4	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.4	-	0.5	0.7
Galle	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	-	0.3	0.2
Matara	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1
Hambantota	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.2	-	-	0.3	0.3
Jaffna	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.3
Kilinochchi	1.3	0.8	1.8	0.7	0.3	0.8	1.9	0.9	1.4	1.3
Mannar	0.4	0.7	0.7	1.5	0.0	0.6	-	-	0.5	1.0
Vavuniya	3.4	1.7	0.0	-	0.6	-	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.6
Mullaitivu	1.0	2.1	1.8	-	0.9	1.3	0.8	-	0.0	-
Batticaloa	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.2	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5
Ampara	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.3	1.1
Trincomalee	1.1	0.7	1.2	0.3	1.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.4
Kurunegala	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	-	0.1	0.1
Puttalam	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	-
Anuradhapura	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.1
Polonnaruwa	0.9	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.5
Badulla	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Moneragala	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.6	0.3
Ratnapura	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2
Kegalle	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2	-	0.2	0.3	0.1

Source - Registrar General's Department

Note - Data processing is still not completed for the year 1990

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Table 3.7 - Deaths by sex and crude death rate, 1956 - 1997

Year	Total	Male	Female	Crude death rate per 1000 population
1956	87,561	45,002	42,559	9.8
1957	92,759	47,796	44,963	10.1
1958	90,815	47,095	43,720	9.7
1959	87,971	45,972	41,999	9.1
1960	84,918	44,654	40,264	8.6
1961	81,653	43,022	38,631	8.0
1962	88,928	47,060	41,868	8.5
1963	91,673	48,645	43,028	8.5
1964	95,618	50,990	44,628	8.8
1965	91,728	49,732	41,996	8.8
1966	94,419	51,179	43,240	8.3
1967	87,877	48,610	39,267	7.5
1968	94,903	52,859	42,044	7.9
1969	99,841	55,405	44,436	8.1
1970	94,147	52,692	41,455	7.5
1971	97,209	54,571	42,638	7.7
1972	103,918	58,442	45,476	8.1
1973	100,678	57,049	43,629	7.7
1974	119,518	69,883	49,635	9.0
1975	115,108	66,373	48,735	8.5
1976	106,506	59,893	46,613	7.8
1977	103,284	59,110	44,174	7.4
1978	93,971	53,721	40,250	6.6
1979	94,244	54,207	40,037	6.5
1980	91,020	52,878	38,142	6.2
1981	88,481	50,818	37,663	5.9
1982	92,244	54,701	37,543	6.1
1983	95,174	56,368	38,806	6.2
1984	100,725	60,309	40,416	6.5
1985	98,089	59,236	38,853	6.2
1986	96,145	59,041	37,104	6.0
1987	97,756	59,863	37,893	6.0
1988	95,934	60,036	35,898	5.8
1989	105,239	68,128	37,111	6.3
1990	97,716	61,635	36,081	5.7
1991	95,574	59,250	36,324	5.5
1992	98,380	61,191	37,189	5.6
1993	96,179	59,737	36,442	5.5
1994	100,394	62,020	38,374	5.6
1995	104,707	65,716	38,991	5.8
1996	122,161	79,784	42,377	6.7
1997*	113,078	70,212	42,866	6.1

Source - Registrar General's Department

* Provisional.

Table 3.8 - Deaths by district ,1987- 1997

District	1987	1988	1989	1990*	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997*
Sri Lanka	97,756	95,934	105,239	97,713	95,534	98,380	96,179	100,394	104,707	122,161	113,078
Colombo	15,932	16,424	17,354	17,089	17,215	17,966	18,154	18,915	19,043	20,643	19,812
Gampaha	8,717	8,426	8,744	8,788	8,090	8,355	8,528	8,677	9,337	10,993	10,333
Kalutara	5,403	5,220	5,573	5,145	5,011	5,299	5,045	5,207	5,405	6,316	5,976
Kandy	7,699	7,148	8,443	7,728	7,463	7,767	7,831	7,862	8,283	10,578	8,702
Matale	2,210	1,978	2,374	2,016	1,997	2,075	2,065	2,101	2,391	2,727	2,475
Nuwara Eliya	4,078	4,052	4,849	4,416	4,221	3,749	3,558	3,730	3,840	4,053	3,441
Galle	4,950	5,167	5,716	5,507	5,247	5,529	5,465	5,883	6,145	7,063	6,625
Matarā	4,416	4,046	4,813	4,688	4,172	4,117	4,145	4,449	5,498	6,047	4,849
Hambantota	1,874	1,850	2,321	1,836	2,015	1,874	1,761	1,791	1,895	3,183	2,508
Jaffna	4,531	6,444	4,179	2,442	4,125	4,232	4,388	5,156	3,552	4,295	2,534
Kilinochchi	344	508	526	389	555	548	664	696	1,223	1,666	1,979
Mannar	787	698	718	722	36#	374	510	384	388	410	491
Vavuniya	538	622	569	367	340	516	574	466	708	807	855
Mullaitivu	338	827	512	226	372	424	432	335	398	1,054	1,714
Batticaloa	2,306	1,946	3,101	3,231	3,043	3,068	2,206	2,575	2,504	2,235	2,158
Ampara	2,308	2,178	2,348	2,180	2,746	2,629	1,842	2,027	2,515	2,160	2,126
Trincomalee	1,233	1,452	1,615	1,277	996	1,240	1,366	1,156	1,174	1,234	1,194
Kurunegala	7,711	6,899	7,911	7,077	7,387	7,367	7,067	7,388	7,686	8,959	8,496
Puttalam	3,162	2,928	3,046	2,974	3,226	3,050	3,003	3,189	3,249	3,845	3,639
Anuradhapura	3,805	3,096	3,729	3,635	3,216	3,502	3,327	3,852	4,269	4,931	4,256
Polonnaruwa	1,411	1,142	1,473	1,319	1,385	1,851	1,727	1,668	1,621	2,209	1,788
Badulla	3,904	3,628	4,363	4,581	3,599	3,578	3,395	3,482	3,847	4,798	6,323
Moneragala	1,033	919	1,458	1,083	1,101	994	1,066	1,143	1,276	1,756	1,302
Ratnapura	4,810	4,844	5,011	5,003	4,441	4,538	4,418	4,710	4,616	5,477	5,106
Kegalle	4,256	3,492	4,493	3,994	3,575	3,738	3,642	3,552	3,844	4,722	4,396

Source - Registrar General's Department

* Provisional.

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Table 3.9 - Deaths by age and sex ,1985- 1996

Age and sex	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Total	98,089	96,145	97,756	95,934	105,239	95,574	98,380	96,179	100,394	104,707	122,161
Under 1 year	9,415	8,409	8,076	6,943	6,668	6,314	6,394	5,709	6,019	5,660	5,879
1 and under 2	1,218	1,079	1,001	829	669	476	582	491	509	438	386
2-4	2,098	1,753	1,798	1,404	1,298	1,120	1,039	891	834	771	851
5-14	2,748	2,654	2,791	2,478	2,579	2,320	2,332	1,855	1,958	1,857	1,914
15-24	5,899	5,634	6,007	6,411	7,994	6,399	6,589	6,160	5,638	6,914	9,500
25-34	5,827	5,671	5,992	6,406	8,743	6,272	6,176	6,103	6,229	7,175	10,587
35-44	5,911	6,126	6,315	6,919	8,586	6,710	6,467	6,490	6,782	7,486	9,445
45-54	8,659	8,773	9,072	9,251	10,341	8,821	8,998	8,800	9,306	10,607	12,206
55-64	12,572	12,870	12,937	13,253	13,985	12,961	13,118	13,007	13,570	13,771	15,335
65-74	17,353	17,590	18,006	17,431	18,652	18,180	19,275	19,528	20,461	21,153	23,248
75 and over	26,372	25,560	25,686	24,578	25,728	26,001	27,410	27,145	28,588	28,675	32,810
Age not stated	17	26	75	31	16	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male											
Total	59,236	59,041	59,863	60,036	68,128	59,250	61,191	59,737	62,020	65,716	79,784
Under 1 year	5,230	4,684	4,500	3,833	3,699	3,616	3,637	3,198	3,361	3,120	3,271
1 and under 2	631	565	513	426	366	240	294	253	268	236	208
2-4	1,074	878	898	729	650	555	537	440	427	383	459
5-14	1,531	1,427	1,534	1,388	1,407	1,307	1,360	996	1,054	1,034	1,064
15-24	3,551	3,555	3,830	4,290	5,817	4,352	4,644	4,447	3,901	5,041	7,728
25-34	3,838	3,836	4,095	4,568	6,754	4,447	4,513	4,429	4,501	5,506	8,841
35-44	4,140	4,279	4,435	5,032	6,557	4,810	4,636	4,649	4,921	5,589	7,378
45-54	5,979	6,193	6,412	6,637	7,542	6,289	6,262	6,162	6,950	7,555	8,820
55-64	8,615	8,813	8,826	9,168	9,767	8,839	8,955	8,787	9,115	9,352	10,396
65-74	10,650	10,929	11,036	10,818	11,551	11,183	11,773	11,877	12,336	12,823	14,175
75 and over	13,983	13,864	13,738	13,128	14,007	13,612	14,580	14,499	15,186	15,077	17,444
Age not stated	14	18	46	19	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female											
Total	38,853	37,104	37,893	35,898	37,111	36,324	37,189	36,442	38,374	38,991	42,377
Under 1 year	4,185	3,725	3,576	3,110	2,969	2,698	2,757	2,511	2,658	2,540	2,608
1 and under 2	587	514	488	403	303	236	288	238	241	202	178
2-4	1,024	875	900	675	648	565	502	451	407	388	392
5-14	1,217	1,227	1,257	1,090	1,172	1,013	972	859	904	823	850
15-24	2,348	2,079	2,177	2,121	2,177	2,047	1,945	1,713	1,737	1,873	1,772
25-34	1,989	1,835	1,897	1,838	1,969	1,825	1,663	1,674	1,728	1,669	1,746
35-44	1,771	1,847	1,880	1,887	2,009	1,900	1,831	1,841	1,861	1,897	2,067
45-54	2,680	2,580	2,660	2,614	2,799	2,532	2,736	2,638	2,856	3,052	3,386
55-64	3,957	4,057	4,111	4,085	4,218	4,122	4,163	4,220	4,455	4,419	4,939
65-74	6,703	6,661	6,970	6,613	7,101	6,997	7,502	7,651	8,125	8,330	9,073
75 and over	12,389	11,696	11,948	11,450	11,721	12,389	12,830	12,646	13,402	13,798	15,336
Age not stated	3	8	29	12	5	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source - Registrar General's Department

Note - Data processing is still not completed for the year 1990

Table 3.10 - Deaths by cause, 1995 & 1996

Cause	1995		1996	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
01. Intestinal infectious diseases	390	318	425	362
02. Tuberculosis	614	231	609	202
03. Other bacterial diseases	793	557	869	582
04. Viral diseases	221	133	263	123
05. Rickettsiosis and other arthropod-borne diseases	84	81	73	72
06. Venereal diseases	-	2	10	7
07. Other infectious and parasitic diseases and late effects of infectious and parasitic diseases	16	5	17	16
08. Malignant neoplasm of lip, oral cavity and pharynx	312	131	299	137
09. Malignant neoplasm of digestive organs and peritoneum	514	471	497	480
10. Malignant neoplasm of respiratory and intrathoracic	305	127	375	168
11. Malignant neoplasm of bone, connective tissue, skin and breast	31	224	27	227
12. Malignant neoplasm genito-urinary organs	71	242	113	275
13. Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified sites	1,433	1,206	1,654	1,435
14. Malignant neoplasm of lymphatic and haemopoietic tissue	328	229	373	221
15. Benign neoplasm	16	15	7	15
16. Carcinomain situ	1	1	2	-
17. Other and unspecified neoplasm	23	30	48	26
18. Endocrine and metabolic diseases, immunity disorders	933	755	966	833
19. Nutritional deficiencies	58	42	65	38
20. Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	269	294	210	237
21. Mental disorders	389	99	530	93
22. Diseases of nervous system	3,226	2,140	3,562	2,263
23. Disorders of the eye and adnexa	4	7	5	2
24. Diseases of ear and mastoid process	-	1	6	3
25. Rheumatic fever and rheumatic heart disease	37	61	32	47
26. Hypertensive heart disease	1,351	1,011	1,432	1,016
27. Ischaemic heart disease	2,969	1,447	3,011	1,559
28. Disease of pulmonary circulation and other forms of heart diseases	6,694	3,592	7,502	3,808
29. Cerebrovascular disease	2,131	1,294	1,954	1,268
30. Other diseases of the circulatory system	295	146	390	184
31. Diseases of the upper respiratory tract	13	10	201	132
32. Other diseases of the respiratory system	3,502	2,244	3,870	2,431
33. Diseases of oral cavity, salivary glands and jaws	1	-	4	2
34. Diseases of other parts of the digestive system	2,882	607	3,539	660
35. Diseases of urinary system	1,089	444	1,030	469
36. Diseases of male genital organs	1	-	2	-
37. Diseases of female genital organs	-	10	-	7
38. Abortion	-	14	-	13
39. Direct obstetric causes	-	66	-	66
40. Indirect obstetric causes	-	1	-	1
41. Normal delivery	-	-	-	-
42. Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	65	25	58	39
43. Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	240	194	208	191
44. Congenital anomalies	241	218	247	215
45. Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	2,229	1,727	2,324	1,814
46. Signs, symptoms and ill-defined conditions	17,323	14,966	20,387	17,149
47. Transport accidents	1,432	305	1,287	281
48. Accidental poisoning	50	19	148	30
49. Misadventures during medical care, abnormal reactions, late complications	4	4	-	5
50. Accidental falls	420	80	478	103
51. Accidents caused by fire and flames	85	162	102	179
52. Other accidents, including late effects	2,419	848	2,803	752
53. Drugs medicaments causing adverse effects in therapeutic use	3	-	3	1
54. Suicide and self-inflicted injury	3,991	1,524	4,190	1,329
55. Homicide and injury purposely inflicted by other persons	4,716	575	10,705	491
56. Other violence	1,502	56	2,870	318
Total deaths (Sri Lanka)	65,716	38,991	79,784	42,377

Source - Registrar General's Department

Table 3.11 - Deaths by cause and age groups, 1996

Cause	Number								
	Total	Under1	1-4	5-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65-74	75+
01. Intestinal infections diseases	787	57	88	57	36	106	194	120	129
02. Tuberculosis	811	3	4	4	15	153	379	183	70
03. Other bacterial diseases	1,451	165	80	83	62	233	406	238	184
04. Viral diseases	386	18	19	66	19	73	107	37	47
05. Rickettsiosis and other arthropod-borne diseases	145	8	18	16	15	34	38	9	7
06. Venereal diseases	17	-	2	1	-	1	2	3	8
07. Other infectious and parasitic diseases and late effects of infectious and parasitic diseases	33	1	2	4	2	6	9	7	2
08. Malignant neoplasm of lip, oral cavity and pharynx	436	-	1	4	2	26	199	137	67
09. Malignant neoplasm of digestive organs and peritoneum	977	3	4	1	5	108	453	276	127
10. Malignant neoplasm of respiratory and intrathoracic organs	543	3	1	1	6	47	285	136	64
11. Malignant neoplasm of bone, connective tissue, skin and breast	254	-	1	4	3	62	130	38	16
12. Malignant neoplasm genito-urinary organs	388	-	1	3	6	62	172	84	60
13. Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified sites	3,089	2	18	38	61	369	1,439	788	374
14. Malignant neoplasm of lymphatic and haemopoietic tissue	594	12	30	85	68	134	159	75	31
15. Benign neoplasm	22	-	2	1	-	6	6	3	4
16. Carcinomain situ	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
17. Other and unspecified neoplasm	74	1	7	2	11	17	23	8	5
18. Endocrine and metabolic diseases, immunity disorders	1,799	42	9	12	18	151	648	520	399
19. Nutritional deficiencies	103	21	10	6	3	12	22	16	13
20. Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	447	15	4	12	17	63	156	93	87
21. Mental disorders	623	2	1	10	19	200	283	72	36
22. Diseases of nervous system	5,825	124	104	96	120	326	1,236	1,774	2,045
23. Disorders of the eye and adnexa	7	-	1	-	-	2	2	1	1
24. Diseases of ear and mastoid process	9	-	-	2	-	1	3	3	-
25. Rheumatic fever and rheumatic heart disease	79	5	-	4	8	25	29	3	5
26. Hypertensive heart disease	2,448	5	3	8	28	115	837	812	640
27. Ischaemic heart disease	4,570	16	3	12	24	420	1,947	1,233	915
28. Disease of pulmonary circulation and other	11,310	200	101	125	204	1,249	4,170	2,979	2,282
29. Cerebrovascular disease	3,222	12	15	21	42	198	952	1,008	974
30. Other diseases of the circulatory system	574	3	6	6	9	77	200	151	122
31. Diseases of the upper respiratory tract	333	10	5	10	4	31	94	95	84
32. Other diseases of the respiratory system	6,301	265	135	140	150	605	2,037	1,616	1,353
33. Diseases of oral cavity, salivary glands and jaws	6	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	-
34. Diseases of other parts of the digestive system	4,199	42	42	68	65	1,177	2,021	541	243
35. Diseases of urinary system	1,499	25	14	35	71	248	552	319	235
36. Diseases of male genital organs	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
37. Diseases of female genital organs	7	-	-	-	1	4	-	1	1
38. Abortion	13	-	-	-	6	7	-	-	-
39. Direct obstetric causes	66	-	-	-	17	47	2	-	-
40. Indirect obstetric causes	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
41. Normal delivery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42. Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	97	2	2	4	-	13	27	22	27
43. Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	399	2	1	5	12	23	88	114	154
44. Congenital anomalies	462	157	47	97	55	61	35	6	4
45. Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	4,138	4,138	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46. Signs, symptoms and ill-defined conditions	37,536	375	233	279	388	1,547	4,664	8,657	21,393
47. Transport accidents	1,568	6	23	54	202	552	430	194	107
48. Accidental poisoning	178	-	10	6	14	87	41	12	8
49. Misadventures during medical care, abnormal reactions, late complications	7	-	-	-	1	1	4	1	-
50. Accidental falls	581	6	28	54	48	182	164	57	42
51. Accidents caused by fire and flames	281	5	16	21	52	106	45	14	22
52. Other accidents, including late effects	3,555	117	112	252	650	1,230	812	243	139
53. Drugs medicaments causing adverse effects in therapeutic	4	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	-
54. Suicide and self-inflicted injury	5,519	-	-	72	1,449	2,332	1,075	392	199
55. Homicide and injury purposely inflicted by other persons	11,196	4	16	52	3,897	6,292	773	105	57
56. Other violence	3,188	7	18	81	1,615	1,204	186	50	27
Total deaths (Sri Lanka)	122,161	5,879	1,237	1,914	9,500	20,032	27,541	23,248	32,810

Source - Registrar General's Department

Table 3.12 - Life expectancy at specified ages by sex 1963,1971 and 1981

Age	Years					
	1963		1971		1981	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
0	63.3	63.7	64.0	66.8	67.7	72.1
1	66.3	66.0	66.4	68.7	69.2	73.3
5	64.4	64.5	63.8	66.4	66.0	70.2
10	60.0	60.2	59.3	62.0	61.3	65.5
15	55.4	55.5	54.6	57.3	56.6	60.8
20	50.8	50.9	50.0	52.7	52.0	56.1
25	46.2	46.6	45.5	48.2	47.5	51.5
30	41.7	42.3	41.0	43.7	43.1	46.9
35	37.2	38.0	36.6	39.2	38.5	42.3
40	32.8	33.7	32.3	34.8	34.1	37.6
45	28.5	29.4	28.0	30.4	29.7	33.0
50	24.3	25.1	24.0	26.0	25.6	28.5
55	20.4	21.0	20.1	21.8	21.7	24.1
60	16.6	17.0	16.6	17.8	18.1	20.0
65	13.2	13.4	13.2	14.1	14.8	16.2
70	10.3	10.4	10.1	10.8	11.9	12.8

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 3.13 - Number of survivors at specified ages by sex 1963,1971 and 1981

Age	Years					
	1963		1971		1981	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
0	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
1	94,026	95,005	94,999	95,819	96,472	97,067
5	91,106	91,508	93,050	93,508	95,339	95,833
10	90,176	90,462	92,274	92,671	94,864	95,433
15	89,638	89,960	91,772	92,208	94,478	95,100
20	88,952	89,260	91,070	91,551	93,765	94,565
25	88,113	88,073	90,039	90,676	92,699	93,856
30	87,168	86,654	88,957	89,643	91,628	93,089
35	86,009	85,099	87,798	88,531	90,553	92,313
40	84,578	83,493	86,069	87,110	89,230	91,481
45	82,684	81,684	83,878	85,642	87,383	90,463
50	80,051	79,518	80,746	83,577	84,712	89,042
55	76,404	76,588	76,750	80,833	80,857	86,884
60	71,332	72,451	70,963	76,818	75,385	83,498
65	64,239	66,068	63,725	71,036	67,842	78,187
70	53,597	55,794	53,773	61,838	57,904	70,084

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

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Table 3.14 - Population by marital status, five year age group and sex, Census 1981

Age group	Total	Never married	Married	Widowed	Divorced and legally separated
Both sex					
Total	14,846,750	8,834,125	5,494,161	468,003	50,461
Under 15	5,226,598	5,223,594	2,650	288	66
15-19	1,603,187	1,517,136	84,123	991	937
20-24	1,526,464	1,059,739	456,575	4,999	5,151
25-29	1,274,857	521,937	738,954	7,797	6,169
30-34	1,125,425	229,786	874,562	13,324	7,753
35-39	839,073	90,364	722,882	18,891	6,936
40-44	698,203	50,116	614,781	27,373	5,933
45-49	609,289	34,725	530,733	38,795	5,036
50-54	539,524	29,102	456,319	50,003	4,100
55-59	422,322	21,167	343,393	54,901	2,861
60-64	340,404	18,902	258,153	61,176	2,173
65-69	252,051	13,822	178,138	58,602	1,489
70-74	180,892	10,531	116,461	52,987	913
75 and over	208,461	13,204	116,437	77,876	944
Male					
Total	7,568,254	4,747,744	2,709,285	90,516	20,709
Under 15	2,662,524	2,662,522	2	-	-
15-19	812,798	804,923	7,564	180	131
20-24	765,618	638,974	124,107	985	1,552
25-29	638,025	328,544	306,536	1,100	1,845
30-34	569,612	141,728	423,224	1,965	2,695
35-39	421,697	53,047	363,530	2,498	2,622
40-44	359,944	30,010	323,604	3,774	2,556
45-49	308,742	21,334	279,491	5,574	2,343
50-54	284,568	18,295	256,046	8,111	2,116
55-59	222,326	13,478	198,047	9,261	1,540
60-64	183,338	11,900	158,306	11,862	1,270
65-69	133,062	8,489	111,951	11,757	865
70-74	97,400	6,553	78,012	12,251	584
75 and over	108,600	7,947	78,865	21,198	590
Female					
Total	7,278,496	4,086,381	2,784,876	377,487	29,752
Under 15	2,564,074	2,561,072	2,648	288	66
15-19	790,389	712,213	76,559	811	806
20-24	760,846	420,765	332,468	4,014	3,599
25-29	636,832	193,393	432,418	6,697	4,324
30-34	555,813	88,058	451,338	11,359	5,058
35-39	417,376	37,317	359,352	16,393	4,314
40-44	338,259	20,106	291,177	23,599	3,377
45-49	300,547	13,391	251,242	33,221	2,693
50-54	254,956	10,807	200,273	41,892	1,984
55-59	199,996	7,689	145,346	45,640	1,321
60-64	157,066	7,002	99,847	49,314	903
65-69	118,989	5,333	66,187	46,845	624
70-74	83,492	3,978	38,449	40,736	329
75 and over	99,861	5,257	37,572	56,678	354

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 3.15 - Marriages by type, civil condition, age of groom and age of bride, 1986 - 1995

Item	Number								
	1986	1987	1988	1989	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Total	128,294	125,996	132,520	142,160	152,474	155,345	152,423	162,489	169,220
General	104,883	103,633	108,777	117,470	125,351	129,697	130,856	139,827	146,018
Kandyan	11,023	11,136	11,688	11,944	11,561	11,975	9,721	8,767	8,313
Muslim	12,388	11,227	12,055	12,746	15,562	13,673	11,846	13,895	14,889
Civil condition									
Bachelors who married									
(a) Spinsters	125,114	122,967	129,421	139,432	148,280	151,570	149,071	159,160	165,732
(b) Widows	442	524	494	499	882	898	631	631	739
(c) Divorced women	422	405	431	339	454	342	392	369	319
Widowers who married									
(a) Spinsters	867	778	750	766	1,231	995	836	855	1,070
(b) Widows	226	227	213	218	216	200	244	281	278
(c) Divorced women	89	82	85	88	86	60	73	76	87
Divorced men who married									
(a) Spinsters	698	703	803	550	719	700	685	729	658
(b) Widows	55	58	46	50	72	85	72	88	66
(c) Divorced women	381	252	276	218	534	495	419	300	271
Number of marriages by age and sex									
Age of males									
under 16 years	2	-	-	1	3	4	4	2	11
16-20	2,269	2,091	2,511	2,809	3,130	3,383	3,520	4,581	5,165
21-24	38,386	36,138	37,876	41,481	42,233	42,256	42,049	45,426	45,864
25-29	47,279	47,080	49,172	52,506	54,606	54,079	52,978	56,666	59,952
30-34	25,028	25,235	26,926	28,276	32,576	33,459	33,409	34,499	35,135
35-39	9,684	9,740	10,272	10,576	11,760	12,429	12,480	12,444	14,035
40-44	2,696	2,753	2,937	3,366	4,176	4,927	4,287	4,595	4,492
45 & over	2,950	2,959	2,826	3,145	3,990	4,808	3,696	4,276	4,566
Age of females									
under 16 years	350	312	314	357	444	480	440	533	517
16-20	29,098	27,731	29,768	32,827	32,596	32,221	31,712	36,335	38,759
21-24	54,921	53,019	54,503	58,385	60,489	59,755	59,349	61,503	61,583
25-29	27,399	27,982	30,143	31,824	35,829	36,827	36,577	38,049	40,999
30-34	10,535	10,760	11,462	11,902	14,521	15,721	15,500	16,183	16,787
35-39	3,678	3,809	3,977	4,304	5,108	5,871	5,335	5,784	6,265
40-44	1,125	1,137	1,180	1,356	1,811	2,324	1,927	2,247	2,356
45 & over	1,188	1,246	1,173	1,205	1,676	2,146	1,583	1,855	1,954

Source - Registrar General's Department

Note - Data processing is still not completed for the years 1990

Table 3.16 - Marriages by district, 1987 - 1997

District	Number										
	1987	1988	1989*	1990*	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997*
Sri Lanka	125,996	132,520	141,533	151,935	152,474	155,345	152,423	162,489	169,220	172,306	164,407
Colombo	17,784	18,730	19,521	21,280	21,972	22,108	22,366	22,818	23,262	22,363	19,960
Gampaha	11,922	13,061	13,333	14,787	15,711	16,106	15,105	17,342	18,318	19,283	17,983
Kalutara	7,165	7,446	7,598	8,358	8,480	8,434	8,771	9,423	9,863	10,194	9,811
Kandy	9,770	9,808	9,864	11,628	10,721	11,213	10,955	11,113	11,892	11,829	11,583
Matale	3,551	3,261	3,633	3,936	4,034	3,993	4,195	4,021	4,297	4,613	4,292
Nuwara Eliya	5,358	5,382	4,994	5,595	5,647	5,328	4,762	5,600	5,688	5,545	6,093
Galle	6,774	7,017	7,426	8,454	8,164	8,028	8,165	8,413	8,765	8,976	8,837
Matara	5,608	5,244	5,175	6,158	6,274	5,975	6,856	6,387	6,838	7,110	7,054
Hambantota	3,887	3,882	4,344	4,349	4,322	4,393	4,156	4,398	4,776	4,894	4,801
Jaffna	3,876	4,840	3,856	3,856	3,857	5,907	4,307	5,530	3,920	1,896	2,515
Kilinochchi	430	490	619	619	502	1,787	626	991	909	1,333	1,276
Mannar	732	892	1,218	1,220	-	342	335	635	587	704	636
Vavuniya	708	696	1,115	674	506	775	888	937	1,266	1,158	1,166
Mullaitivu	458	408	581	363	329	521	500	600	748	1,136	1,409
Batticaloa	1,965	1,843	4,510	4,716	2,518	2,209	2,982	3,191	3,078	2,955	2,464
Ampara	3,328	3,518	4,257	4,047	4,536	4,381	4,225	4,560	4,719	4,795	4,733
Trincomalee	1,115	1,819	2,134	1,806	1,778	1,768	2,035	2,765	2,565	2,992	2,828
Kurunegala	9,885	10,890	11,818	12,215	12,932	13,022	13,399	13,845	14,695	15,231	14,209
Puttalam	4,457	4,853	5,514	5,480	5,823	5,716	4,910	5,713	6,233	7,125	6,634
Anuradhapura	4,931	5,257	5,193	6,014	7,476	7,116	6,853	6,593	7,800	8,005	7,720
Polonnaruwa	2,327	2,478	2,732	2,787	3,341	3,577	2,964	3,045	3,048	3,597	3,485
Badulla	5,742	5,662	6,452	6,740	6,902	6,491	6,628	6,946	7,366	6,820	6,469
Moneragala	2,676	2,482	2,771	3,034	3,005	2,978	3,192	3,293	3,598	3,876	3,593
Ratnapura	6,255	6,885	7,107	7,313	7,070	6,891	7,422	7,685	8,051	8,661	8,054
Kegalle	5,292	5,676	5,768	6,506	6,574	6,286	5,826	6,645	6,938	7,215	6,802

Source - Registrar General's Department

Table 3.17 - New acceptors per 1000 married women by age group for all methods, 1994 - 1997

Age group	1994				1995			
	New acceptors	Percent	Estimates of married women Mid 1993 ('000)	Accepter rates per 1000 married women	New acceptors	Percent	Estimates of married women Mid 1994 ('000)	Accepter rates per 1000 married women
15 - 19	11,834	6.7	93.2	126.9	13,361	7.3	93.8	142.4
20 - 24	49,064	27.8	353.7	136.4	49,545	27.0	356.6	138.4
25 - 29	58,942	33.4	523.1	112.7	61,507	33.5	527.6	116.6
30 - 34	39,817	22.6	546.5	72.9	40,781	22.2	551.4	74.0
35 - 39	13,150	7.6	434.6	30.3	15,110	8.2	434.3	34.8
40 - 44	2,433	1.4	369.5	6.7	2,535	1.4	372.8	6.8
45 - 49	191	0.1	303.6	0.6	203	0.1	306.3	0.7
Unspecified	858	0.4	-	-	684	0.4	-	-
Total	176,289	100.0	2,624.2	67.1	183,726	100.0	2,642.8	69.33

Table 3.17 (Contd.) - New acceptors per 1000 married women by age group for all methods, 1994 - 1997

Age group	1996				1997			
	New acceptors	Percent	Estimates of married women Mid 1995 ('000)	Accepter rates per 1000 married women	New acceptors	Percent	Estimates of married women Mid 1995 ('000)	Accepter rates per 1000 married women
15 - 19	16,230	8.1	93.6	173.4	17,841	8.4	92.1	193.7
20 - 24	54,592	27.3	361.2	151.1	58,836	27.7	364.8	161.3
25 - 29	64,917	32.6	535.1	121.3	68,021	32.1	543.2	125.2
30 - 34	42,358	21.2	562.1	75.3	44,747	21.0	567.5	78.8
35 - 39	16,318	8.2	438.8	37.2	16,894	8.0	443.2	38.1
40 - 44	2,857	1.4	377.2	7.6	3,135	1.5	381.0	8.2
45 - 49	260	0.1	310.3	0.8	303	0.1	313.5	0.8
Unspecified	1,963	1.1	-	-	2,858	1.3	-	-
Total	199,513	100.0	2,678.3	74.6	212,635	100.0	2,702.4	78.7

Source - Evaluation Unit, Family Health Bureau

Table 3.18 - New acceptors of temporary methods of family planning by age group , 1996 - 1997

Age group	1996				1997			
	IUD	PILL	INJE.	NorP.	IUD	PILL	INJE.	NorP.
15 - 19	2,219	4,021	9,883	30	2,105	4,456	11,232	40
20 - 24	7,571	12,868	33,066	124	7,234	13,234	37,558	113
25 - 29	8,288	14,435	31,773	126	7,944	15,511	36,890	150
30 - 34	2,529	9,933	17,195	79	5,396	10,546	21,326	93
35 - 39	5,358	3,330	5,502	33	2,152	3,911	6,741	43
40 - 44	545	555	743	4	514	734	1,065	5
45 - 49	64	61	86	1	86	73	92	-
Unspecified	202	742	778	-	442	899	1,250	-
Total	26,670	45,965	99,026	397	25,873	49,364	116,155	444

Source - Evaluation Unit, Family Health Bureau

Table 3.18a - New acceptors of permanent methods of family planning by age group , 1995 - 1997

Age group	1995		1996		1997	
	Vasectomy	LRT	Vasectomy	LRT	Vasectomy	LRT
15 - 19	1	20	1	10	-	6
20 - 24	41	1,420	26	937	16	681
25 - 29	212	12,690	128	10,167	99	7,427
30 - 34	256	11,593	170	9,623	142	7,244
35 - 39	174	5,912	129	4,967	91	3,956
40 - 44	47	1,057	45	983	32	785
45 - 49	2	4	7	41	7	45
Unspecified	4	144	4	216	10	275
Total	737	32,840	510	26,944	397	20,419

Source - Evaluation Unit, Family Health Bureau

MIGRATION

Table 3.19 - Lifetime internal migration, 1971 and 1981

District	1971			1981			Number
	Lifetime out migration	Lifetime in migration	Net lifetime migration	Lifetime out migration	Lifetime in migration	Net lifetime migration	
Colombo	279,362	439,952	+160,590	250,295	333,257	+82,962	
Gampaha				88,961	209,232	+120,271	
Kalutara	137,515	98,960	-38,555	118,465	82,832	-35,633	
Kandy	264,012	148,319	-115,693	259,417	83,105	-176,312	
Matale	65,917	66,870	+953	71,318	56,194	-15,124	
Nuwara Eliya	105,345	74,003	-31,342	96,152	73,172	-22,980	
Galle	162,601	67,618	-94,983	164,879	45,899	-118,980	
Matara	176,242	56,574	-119,668	174,318	40,871	-133,447	
Hambantota	38,872	52,565	+13,693	53,986	53,058	-928	
Jaffna	88,354	25,702	-62,652	80,168	27,820	-52,348	
Mannar	22,680	15,504	-7,176	5,053	22,327	+17,274	
Vavuniya	4,873	32,970	+28,097	6,744	35,019	+28,275	
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	3,076	30,817	+27,741	
Batticaloa	23,438	15,505	-7,933	19,083	17,456	-1,627	
Amparai	5,892	57,741	+51,849	11,256	61,713	+50,457	
Trincomalee	13,628	55,964	+42,336	12,120	55,908	+43,788	
Kurunegala	118,238	141,463	+23,225	138,658	114,267	-24,391	
Puttalam	47,666	74,098	+26,432	40,781	81,013	+40,232	
Anuradhapura	24,297	103,298	+79,001	32,263	149,262	+166,999	
Polonnaruwa	8,279	77,991	+69,712	10,121	122,842	+112,721	
Badulla	89,813	59,850	-29,963	88,318	47,281	-41,037	
Moneragala	10,798	51,677	+40,879	11,104	80,271	+69,167	
Ratnapura	83,789	91,782	+7,993	76,486	88,969	+12,483	
Kegalle	140,142	93,274	+46,868	147,694	48,131	-99,563	

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

+ denotes in-migration and - denotes out-migration

Table 3.20 - Arrivals and Departures by nationality, 1990- 1998

Nationality	Number								
	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Arrivals									
Sri Lanka Citizen	306,367	255,016	339,109	372,263	422,367	459,441	488,055	482,437	481,793
Other Indians	12,525	18,209	27,051	34,105	47,267	49,517	48,886	52,640	53,264
Indian Estate Residents	828	3,195	3,532	4,314	4,491	4,225	4,085	3,600	3,671
Pakistanis	7,410	9,635	13,710	13,885	11,864	12,837	14,409	13,957	14,009
Commonwealth Citizens	54,047	51,403	74,809	77,463	85,737	97,255	84,662	103,060	105,458
Other Aliens	184,720	215,113	309,236	315,056	325,781	295,500	221,258	265,251	266,941
Total	565,897	552,571	767,247	817,086	897,507	918,775	861,355	920,995	925,136
Departures									
Sri Lanka Citizen	296,884	337,203	420,749	414,363	448,437	504,420	494,258	511,827	518,050
Indians	12,199	18,751	29,334	32,175	44,141	48,570	47,117	48,493	50,729
Indian estate residents	813	2,909	3,639	4,155	4,191	3,820	4,168	3,596	3,823
Pakistanis	6,999	9,227	13,507	13,093	11,167	12,249	13,993	14,459	14,949
Commonwealth Citizens	53,501	47,844	71,216	75,345	81,965	94,551	83,312	91,222	96,139
Other Aliens	175,504	204,427	300,784	307,425	307,269	290,604	212,092	246,862	258,585
Total	545,900	620,361	839,229	846,556	897,170	954,214	854,940	916,459	942,275

Source - Department of Immigration and Emigration

Table 3.21 - Movement of population - Natural increases and net gain or loss by migration

Period	Population at the beginning of the period (Thousands)	Movement during period					
		Actual increase (+) or decrease (-)		Excess of births over deaths		Net gain(+) or loss(-) by migration	
		Number (Thousands)	Per'000 of population	Number (Thousands)	Per'000 of population	Number (Thousands)	Per '000 of population
1891 - 1901	3,008	558	186	225	75	+338	+111
1901 - 1911	3,566	540	151	262	102	+178	+50
1911 - 1921	4,106	393	96	313	76	+80	+11
1921 - 1931	4,499	808	180	663	147	+145	+32
1931 - 1946	5,307	1,350	254	1,286	242	+64	+12
1946 - 1955	6,657	1,441	216	1,328	199	+113	+17
1955	8,404	209	25	217	26	-8	-1.0
1957	8,613	208	25	231	27	-23	-2.0
1958	8,821	219	25	238	27	-18	-2.0
1959	9,040	229	25	241	29	-12	-1.0
1960	9,269	229	24	244	26	-15	-2.0
1961	9,498	216	27	268	28	-8	-1.0
1962	9,759	271	28	277	28	-6	-1.0
1963	10,030	271	27	282	28	-11	-1.0
1964	10,301	272	27	282	28	-10	-1.0
1965	10,573	264	25	274	26	-10	-1.0
1966	10,769	256	24	266	24	-10	-1.0
1967	11,024	272	25	278	25	-6	-
1968	11,296	269	24	275	24	-6	-
1969	11,566	275	23	282	24	-7	-0.6
1970	11,840	274	23	289	24	-9	-0.7
1971	12,121	281	23	292	24	-11	-0.9
1972	12,380	259	21	274	22	-10	-0.8
1973	12,976	596	46	266	20	-50	-3.9
1974	13,192	216	16	246	19	-54	-4.1
1975	13,385	193	14	261	19	-31	-2.3
1976	13,621	236	17	274	20	-52	-3.8
1977	13,838	217	16	286	21	-52	-3.8
1978	14,072	234	17	311	22	-40	-2.8
1979	14,342	270	19	324	23	-44	-3.1
1980	14,622	280	19	327	22	-68	-4.7
1981	14,881	259	17	335	23	-50	-3.4
1982	15,166	285	19	314	21	-91	-6.0
1983	15,308	225	15	316	21	-104	-6.8
1984	15,514	206	13	286	18	-112	-4.9
1985	15,718	204	13	287	18	-9	-0.6
1986	15,996	278	17	263	16	-1	-0.1
1987	16,258	262	16	261	16	-44	-2.7
1988	16,476	218	13	247	15	-51	-3.1
1989	16,673	197	12	253	15	-20	-1.2
1990	16,907	234	14	243	14	20	1.2
1991	17,105	198	12	266	16	-68	-4.0
1992	17,285	180	10	252	15	-72	-4.2
1993	17,512	227	13	268	16	-29	-1.7
1994	17,767	255	14	255	14	0.3	0.02
1995	17,971	204	11	239	13	-35	-1.9
1996	18,195	224	12	218	12	6	0.4
1997*	18,420	225	12	220	12	5	0.2

* Provisional

Source - Registrar General's Department

CHAPTER 1V - LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

Statistics pertaining to field of labour are compiled through household and establishment surveys and by way of tabulation of various labour administration data. Labour statistics such as Average monthly earnings and hours worked (Table 4.11) are compiled through bi-annual postal survey of the establishment with five or more paid employees involved in the organized sector.

Table 4.12 - provides a comprehensive information on Average minimum wage rates inclusive of special allowances fixed by the Commissioner General of Labour under the Wages Board Ordinance.

Table 4.13 - Index Numbers of Minimum Wages, taking 1978 as the

base year, has been compiled in line with the minimum rates of wages discussed in Table 4.12. The Index numbers are computed for major sectors, such as (I) Agriculture (Plantation Sector) (II) Industry and commerce (III) and the services sectors and also all index.

Table 4.14 is prepared to indicate the index numbers of general wage rates of tea and rubber estate workers, and unskilled workers in government sector. Wage rate indices for workers in tea and rubber estates of the island were computed considering with average minimum wage rate 1978 (Rs.8.61)=100 as base. Similarly index numbers of wages including cost of living allowances for unskilled labour in government employment were computed with the same base period 1978 (Rs.277.20)=100.

Table 4.12 - Average minimum wage rates inclusive of special allowances fixed by the Commissioner General of Labour under the Wages Board Ordinance.

Category	Rate (Rs.)
Unskilled workers	8.61
Semi-skilled workers	10.00
Skilled workers	12.00
Overhead workers	15.00
Supervisory workers	20.00
Managers	25.00
Professional workers	30.00
Administrative workers	35.00
Technical workers	40.00
Executive workers	45.00
Senior executive workers	50.00
Senior professional workers	60.00
Senior administrative workers	70.00
Senior technical workers	80.00
Senior executive workers	90.00
Senior managerial workers	100.00

Table 4.13 - Index Numbers of Minimum Wages, taking 1978 as the base year.

Category	Index Number
Unskilled workers	100
Semi-skilled workers	115
Skilled workers	138
Overhead workers	174
Supervisory workers	232
Managers	290
Professional workers	348
Administrative workers	406
Technical workers	464
Executive workers	522
Senior executive workers	580
Senior professional workers	638
Senior administrative workers	696
Senior technical workers	754
Senior executive workers	812
Senior managerial workers	870

Table 4.1 - Labour force participation (current) of the household population, 10 years of age and over - All Island

Quarter	Household population (10 years & over)	Total labour force	Labour force participation rate (%)	Employed		Unemployed		Not in labour force
				Number	Rate (% to total force)	Number	Rate (% to total labour force)	
1993	12,278,055	6,032,383	49.1	5,201,474	86.2	830,910	13.8	6,245,675
1994	12,492,850	6,078,863	48.7	5,281,272	86.9	797,591	13.1	6,413,985
1995	12,736,185	6,106,138	47.9	5,357,117	87.7	749,021	12.3	6,630,048
1996	12,831,240	6,241,889	48.6	5,537,285	88.7	704,604	11.3	6,589,365
1997	12,870,791	6,266,160	48.7	5,607,881	89.5	658,279	10.5	6,604,630
1998								
1**	12,877,860	6,647,212	51.6	5,946,148	89.5	701,067	10.6	6,230,654
2**	12,883,460	6,573,835	51.0	5,950,638	90.5	623,197	9.5	6,309,619
3**	12,888,030	6,693,039	51.9	6,065,636	90.9	607,402	9.1	6,195,001
4**	12,891,980	6,620,702	51.4	6,036,221	91.2	584,480	8.8	6,271,274

Source - Sri Lanka Labour Force Survey
Department of Census and Statistics

Note : A marked increase in the labour force participation rate can be seen from first quarter 1998 onwards. It has been observed that the reason for this increase is better coverage of female unpaid family workers in the agricultural sector.

Table 4.1a - Labour force participation (current) of the household population, 10 years of age and over by sex - All Island

Quarter	Household population (10 years & over)		Total labour force		Labour force participation rate %		Employed				Unemployed				Not in labour force	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
	Number	Rate % to total	Number	Rate % to total	Number	Rate % to total	Number	Rate % to total	Number	Rate % to total	Number	Rate % to total	Number	Rate % to total	Number	Rate % to total
1993	6,109,486	6,163,572	3,989,443	2,042,941	65.3	33.1	3,601,779	1,599,895	78.3	387,633	443,247	9.7	2,120,044	4,125,631	2,155,127	4,258,857
1994	6,228,064	6,264,782	4,072,937	2,005,927	65.4	32.0	3,678,648	1,602,625	79.9	394,289	403,302	9.7	2,155,127	4,258,857	2,249,395	4,380,652
1995	6,318,003	6,418,183	4,068,608	2,037,530	64.4	31.7	3,700,951	1,696,166	81.3	367,656	381,364	9.0	2,172,784	4,416,583	2,249,395	4,416,583
1996	6,373,670	6,457,583	4,200,886	2,041,002	65.9	31.6	3,657,147	1,660,138	82.3	343,741	360,864	8.2	2,172,784	4,416,583	2,249,395	4,416,583
1997	6,372,365	6,498,427	4,184,248	2,081,906	65.6	32.0	3,862,087	1,745,794	83.9	322,168	336,112	7.7	2,188,110	4,416,521	2,188,110	4,416,521
1998																
1**	6,237,661	6,640,209	4,151,549	2,195,667	66.6	37.6	3,855,324	2,090,825	83.8	296,225	404,842	7.1	2,086,115	4,144,543	2,086,115	4,144,543
2**	6,352,514	6,530,838	4,303,080	2,270,755	67.7	34.8	4,018,209	1,932,429	85.1	284,871	338,326	6.6	2,049,432	4,260,185	2,049,432	4,260,185
3**	6,369,336	6,518,712	4,296,188	2,394,842	67.5	36.7	3,993,614	2,092,014	82.9	304,574	302,827	7.1	2,071,143	4,123,866	2,071,143	4,123,866
4**	6,356,329	6,535,645	4,300,531	2,320,171	67.7	35.5	4,059,751	1,976,471	85.2	240,780	343,700	5.6	2,055,798	4,215,474	2,055,798	4,215,474

Source - Sri Lanka Labour Force Survey
Department of Census and Statistics

Table 4.2 - Currently employed persons by major industrial groups(Percentage) -Both Sexes

Quarter	Major industrial groups									
	Agriculture	Mining & quarrying	Manufacturing	Electricity gas & water	Construction	Trade & hotels	Transport storage & communication	Insurance & real estate	Personal service	Not defined
1990	46.8	1.6	13.3	0.6	3.9	9.6	4.1	1.3	15.7	3.2
1991	42.5	1.1	15.0	0.4	4.7	10.7	4.1	1.9	14.8	4.8
1992	42.1	1.6	13.1	0.4	4.8	11.3	4.4	1.5	16.9	4.0
1993	41.5	1.5	13.2	0.6	4.4	11.1	4.1	1.6	17.5	4.5
1994	39.5	0.8	14.3	0.6	4.1	12.2	4.7	1.8	18.1	4.0
1995	36.7	1.7	14.7	0.5	5.3	12.2	4.7	1.5	17.3	5.4
1996	34.4	1.6	14.6	0.5	5.4	12.0	4.9	2.0	18.2	3.5
1997	36.2	1.6	16.4	0.6	5.6	12.4	4.8	1.7	17.3	3.5
1998										
1**	41.6	1.3	15.4	0.6	5.2	10.0	4.5	2.0	16.9	2.5
2**	38.1	1.2	15.3	0.6	5.1	13.4	5.1	2.0	17.4	1.8
3**	38.2	1.3	15.2	0.7	4.6	11.7	4.2	2.0	18.4	3.7
4**	44.5	1.1	11.2	0.5	4.8	11.2	4.9	1.6	16.1	4.1

Source - Sri Lanka Labour Force Survey
Department of Census and Statistics

Table 4.3 - Currently employed persons by major occupational groups(Percentage) -Both Sexes

Quarter	Major occupational groups									
	Senior officials & managers	Professionals	Technicians & associate professionals	Clerks	Sales & service workers	Skilled agricultural & fishery workers	Craft & related workers	Plant & machine operators & assemblers	Elementary occupations	Unidentified
1990	0.4	4.6	3.2	3.4	9.2	29.2	11.8	5.4	32.6	0.2
1991	0.8	4.6	3.2	4.1	9.7	23.8	13.8	4.1	35.5	0.3
1992	2.4	5.1	3.2	3.7	9.6	29.2	15.2	4.2	23.1	4.2
1993	1.4	5.9	3.7	4.0	10.3	30.6	14.4	4.8	21.5	3.3
1994	1.3	5.3	3.3	4.6	12.2	25.2	15.7	4.8	24.1	3.6
1995	1.5	5.5	3.4	4.8	12.3	24.7	15.7	4.3	26.1	1.7
1996	1.3	5.6	3.9	4.7	11.8	23.5	16.2	5.1	25.8	2.1
1997	1.7	5.4	4.2	4.6	11.7	22.7	15.7	6.1	25.6	2.4
1998										
1**	1.8	6.0	3.6	4.1	10.9	27.5	13.5	5.1	26.5	1.1
2**	2.1	5.8	4.9	4.0	13.1	23.3	13.3	5.7	25.6	2.1
3**	1.3	5.7	4.1	3.6	12.9	24.7	14.9	5.5	24.5	2.6
4**	0.8	5.1	4.1	3.6	11.4	25.4	11.9	5.7	28.9	3.2

Source - Sri Lanka Labour Force Survey
Department of Census and Statistics

* Included in the unidentified category due to flaws of accuracy

**Table 4.4 - Employed population by major industry division and sex ,
Census 1981**

Major industry division	In thousands		
	Total	Male	Female
Total population	14,847	7,568	7,279
Total employed	4,119	3,248	871
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	1,876	1,417	459
Mining and quarrying	34	32	2
Manufacturing	409	314	95
Electricity, gas and water	16	15	1
Construction	134	129	5
Wholesale and retail trade, and restaurants and hotels	437	400	38
Transport, storage and communication	200	191	8
Financing, insurance, real estate and business services	57	47	10
Community, social and personal services	588	394	194
Activities not adequately described	369	310	59

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

**Table 4.5 - Employed population by major occupational group and sex,
Census 1981**

Major occupational group	In thousands		
	Total	Male	Female
Total employed	4,119	3,248	871
Professional, technical and related workers	246	130	116
Administrative and managerial workers	34	30	3
Clerical and related workers	257	199	58
Sales workers	316	292	24
Service workers	235	190	45
Agricultural, animal husbandary and forestry workers, fishermen and hunters	1,847	1,390	457
Production and related workers, transport equipment operators and labourers	1,090	948	142
Workers not classified by occupation	94	68	26

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 4.6 - Percentage of poor households by sector, province and district

Area	Survey Period	
	1990/91	1995/96
Sri Lanka	30.4	26.7
Sector		
Urban	18.2	13.4
Rural	34.7	28.7
Estate	20.5	26.1
Province		
Western	20.1	12.2
Central	33.5	35.4
Southern	32.6	32.5
Northern	..	..
Eastern	..	..
North-Western	33.6	30.4
North Central	39.0	26.1
Uva	38.1	33.9
Sabaragamuwa	36.7	40.0
District		
Colombo	16.4	9.0
Gampaha	17.9	11.4
Kalutara	31.2	20.3
Kandy	37.4	36.3
Matale	36.6	45.7
Nuwara Eliya	22.6	28.7
Galle	30.7	32.1
Matara	32.2	34.8
Hambantota	36.8	30.3
Jaffna	..	..
Kilinochchi	..	..
Mannar	..	..
Vavuniya	..	..
Mullaitivu	..	..
Batticaloa	..	..
Ampara	..	..
Trincomalee	..	..
Kurunegala	35.3	29.5
Puttalam	29.2	32.5
Anuradhapura	41.1	25.6
Polonnaruwa	34.1	27.3
Badulla	38.8	27.1
Moneragala	36.5	47.7
Ratnapura	31.6	44.1
Kegalle	42.2	35.5

Source - Household Income and expenditure survey 1990/91, 1995/96

Department of Census and Statistics

**Table 4.7 - Average per adult equivalent energy consumption
by sector province and district**

Area	kilocalorie			
	For poor households		For all households	
	1990/91	1995/96	1990/91	1995/96
Sri Lanka	1970	2011	2577	2591
Sector				
Urban	1,702	1,803	2,425	2,402
Rural	2,002	2,012	2,576	2,601
Estate	2,203	2,454	3,067	3,164
Province				
Western	1,537	1,833	2,499	2,524
Central	1,653	2,075	2,647	2,620
Southern	1,618	1,950	2,475	2,499
Northern	..	..	..	..
Eastern	..	..	..	..
North-Western	1,805	2,041	2,670	2,587
North Central	1,798	2,194	2,660	2,908
Uva	1,704	2,150	2,654	2,836
Sabaragamuwa	1,663	2,004	2,621	2,552
District				
Colombo	1,434	1,821	2,448	2,491
Gampaha	1,622	1,805	2,549	2,570
Kalutara	1,573	1,874	2,523	2,503
Kandy	1,584	1,936	2,480	2,413
Matale	1,807	1,941	2,717	2,482
Nuwara Eliya	1,714	2,450	2,981	3,027
Galle	1,555	1,881	2,456	2,438
Matara	1,653	2,004	2,473	2,477
Hambantota	1,670	1,994	2,511	2,632
Jaffna	..	..	..	..
Kilinochchi	..	..	..	..
Mannar	..	..	..	..
Vavuniya	..	..	..	..
Mullaitivu	..	..	..	..
Batticaloa	..	..	..	..
Ampara	..	..	..	..
Trincomalee	..	..	..	..
Kurunegala	1,838	2,041	2,718	2,651
Puttalam	1,705	2,042	2,553	2,440
Anuradhapura	1,821	2,190	2,589	2,885
Polonnaruwa	1,733	2,201	2,822	2,955
Badulla	1,687	2,221	2,628	3,008
Moneragala	1,738	2,082	2,708	2,530
Ratnapura	1,649	2,022	2,682	2,574
Kegalle	1,677	1,984	2,546	2,527

Source - Household Income and expenditure survey 1990/91, 1995/96
Department of Census and Statistics

Note : Those households spending more than 50% of the expenditure on food and adult equivalent food expenditure is less than Rs. 743 per adult per month (excluding non-food) are considered as poor households.

Table 4.7a - Average per capita calorie consumption by sector, province and district

Area	For poor households		For all households	
	1990/91	1995/96	1990/91	1995/96
Sri Lanka	1987	1936	2104	2105
Sector				
Urban	1,446	1,535	2,010	1,990
Rural	1,690	1,691	2,101	2,103
Estate	1,837	2,027	2,551	2,473
Province				
Western	1,537	1,566	2,078	2,052
Central	1,653	1,742	2,147	2,141
Southern	1,618	1,669	2,052	2,030
Northern	..	..	..	..
Eastern	..	..	..	..
North-Western	1,805	1,653	1,989	2,190
North Central	1,798	1,794	2,288	2,164
Uva	1,704	1,772	2,257	2,129
Sabaragamuwa	1,663	1,723	2,138	2,142
District				
Colombo	1,434	1,549	2,105	2,007
Gampaha	1,622	1,573	2,079	2,110
Kalutara	1,573	1,573	2,026	2,053
Kandy	1,584	1,634	1,992	2,008
Matale	1,807	1,637	2,030	2,206
Nuwara Eliya	1,714	2,031	2,456	2,398
Galle	1,555	1,608	2,032	1,998
Matara	1,584	1,706	2,012	2,043
Hambantota	1,807	1,729	2,137	2,073
Jaffna	..	..	..	..
Kilinochchi	..	..	..	..
Mannar	..	..	..	..
Vavuniya	..	..	..	..
Mullaitivu	..	..	..	..
Batticaloa	..	..	..	..
Amparai	..	..	..	..
Trincomalee	..	..	..	..
Kurunegala	1,838	1,612	1,967	2,221
Puttalam	1,705	1,738	2,046	2,111
Anuradhapura	1,821	1,780	2,344	2,133
Polonnaruwa	1,733	1,823	2,181	2,231
Badulla	1,687	1,835	2,374	2,111
Moneragala	1,738	1,711	2,045	2,167
Ratnapura	1,649	1,698	2,126	2,147
Kegalle	1,677	1,760	2,152	2,135

Source - Household Income and expenditure survey 1990/91, 1995/96
Department of Census and Statistics

Note : Those households spending more than 50% of the expenditure on food and adult equivalent food expenditure is less than Rs. 743 per adult per month (excluding non-food) are considered as poor households.

Table 4.8 - Government corporation and statutory board employees by occupation and employment status, 1997

Occupation / Designation	Number employed					
	Permanent		Temporary / Casual		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
1. Executives, Managerial and Administrative Professionals						
1.1 Senior Executives (Chairpersons, Directors, Deputy/Assistant Directors etc.)	1,784	354	118	10	1,902	364
1.2 Managers (General Managers, Production Managers, Data Processing Managers, Estate Superintendents etc.)	7,279	1,495	110	13	7,389	1,508
2. Professionals						
2.1 Physical, Mathematical and Engineering Science Professionals						
2.1.1 Physicists, Chemists and related Professionals	182	80	9	1	191	81
2.1.2 Mathematicians, Statisticians and related Professionals	51	22	1	-	52	22
2.1.3 Computing Professionals (system Designers and Analysts Computer Programmers etc.)	164	88	9	8	173	96
2.1.4 Engineers (Civil, Electrical, Mechanical, Chemical etc.)	2,607	316	154	26	2,761	342
2.1.5 Architects and related Professionals	181	73	35	11	216	84
2.2 Life Science Professionals						
2.2.1 Biologists, Botanists, Zoologists, Bacteriologists, Pathologists and Agronomists etc.	140	64	12	4	152	68
2.3 Health Professionals						
2.3.1 Medical officers	100	64	14	2	114	66
2.3.2 Dentists	-	2	-	-	-	2
2.3.3 Ayurvedic Physicians	3	4	-	-	3	4
2.3.4 Veterinarians						
2.3.5 Pharmacists	95	159	9	10	104	169
2.3.6 Nurses and Midwives	37	526	-	19	37	545
2.4 Teaching Professionals						
2.4.1 University and Higher Education Professors and Lecturers	2,193	1,044	610	461	2,803	1,505
2.4.2 Teachers						
2.4.3 Other Teaching Professionals	480	107	105	84	585	191
2.5 Business Professionals						
2.5.1 Accountants, Auditors etc.	905	357	26	5	931	362
2.5.2 Other Business Professionals	156	22	-	1	156	23
2.6 Legal Professionals						
2.6.1 Lawyers and Legal officers etc.	65	157	5	6	70	163
2.6.2 Other Legal Professionals	5	5	6	-	11	5
2.7 Other Professionals						
2.7.1 Economists	57	17	3	-	60	17
2.7.2 Translators	17	7	3	-	20	7
2.7.3 Librarians	65	97	9	9	74	106
2.7.4 Other Professionals (News paper Editors, Television and Broadcasting Programme Producers etc.)	378	102	10	5	388	107

Table 4.8(Contd.) - Government corporation and statutory board employees by occupation and employment status,1997

Occupation / Designation	Number employed					
	Permanent		Temporary / Casual		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
3. Technicians and Associate Professionals						
3.1 Physical Science and Engineering Technicians (Lab Assistants, Foremen, Draftsmen, Workshop Supervisors and Technical Assistants etc.)	7,637	1,394	370	66	8,007	1,460
3.2 Computer Assistants and Computer equipment Controllers	85	58	39	18	124	76
3.3 Audio-Visual and Electronic Equipment Controllers (Photographers, Medical equipment Controllers, Broadcasting and Telecommunication equipment Controllers etc.)	195	6	10	-	205	6
3.4 Ship and Air Craft Controllers and Technicians (Ships Engineers, Deck Officers, Pilots, Air Traffic Controllers, Ships and Air Craft Technicians etc.)	242	8	10	-	252	8
3.5 Building, Safety, Health and Quality Inspectors etc.,(Building and Fire Inspectors, Processors and Product Inspectors and Examiners of Standard etc.)	811	62	5	-	816	62
3.6 Life Science Technicians and related workers (Life Science Technicians, Agronomy and Forestry Technicians etc.)	1,015	76	30	3	1,045	79
3.7 Modern Health Associate Professionals (Medical Assistants, Public Health Inspectors, Medical lab Technicians and Physiotherapists etc.)	123	45	2	6	125	51
3.8 Finance and Sales Associate Professionals (Buyers, Appraisers, Valuers and Insurance Representatives etc.)	1,577	497	10	2	1,587	499
3.9 Administrative Associate Professionals (Administrative Officers, Book Keepers, Statistical and Mathematical Associate Professionals etc.)	3,122	834	83	17	3,205	851
3.10 Other Associate Professionals and Technicians. (Journalists, Television and Broadcasting Announcers etc.)	4,869	875	99	39	4,968	914
4.0 Clerks						
4.1 Office Clerks	17,101	13,262	291	467	17,392	13,729
4.2 Stenographers, Typists and Word Processing and related operators	866	6,417	23	213	889	6,630
4.3 Data Entry Operators and Calculating Machine Operators	472	525	5	28	477	553
4.4 Secretaries	42	682	1	27	43	709
4.5 Cashiers and related Clerks	4,104	2,115	17	4	4,121	2,119
4.6 Receptionists and Information Clerks	124	125	11	21	135	146
4.7 Telephone Switch-Board Operators	148	1,288	47	95	195	1,383
4.8 Others	13,364	711	1,724	128	15,088	839

Table 4.8(Contd.) - Government corporation and statutory board employees by occupation and employment status, 1997

Occupation / Designation	Number employed					
	Permanent		Temporary / Casual		Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
5. Travel, Restaurant, Protective Service Workers and Sales Workers						
5.1 Travel Attendants and Guides	265	114	-	-	265	114
5.2 House Keeping and Restaurant Service Workers (House keepers, Cooks, and Waiters etc.)	588	177	58	5	646	182
5.3 Protective Service Workers (Security Officers, Security Guards and Fire Fighters etc.)	12,158	381	1,498	31	13,656	412
5.4 Sales Persons and Demonstrators etc.	527	810	10	9	537	819
5.5 Personal Service Workers (Beauticians, Barbers and Day-care centre Attendants etc.)	3	225	-	4	3	229
6. Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers (Excluding Unskilled Labour)						
6.1 Market Oriented Skilled Agricultural Workers	-	-	-	-	-	-
6.2 Market Oriented Skilled Fishery Workers	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Craft and related Workers (Skilled Workers)						
7.1 Building Construction Workers (Carpenters, Masons, Plumbers and Pipe Fitters, Painters etc.)	3,653	2	571	1	4,224	3
7.2 Metal and Machinery Trade Workers (Welders, Metal Moulders, Motor vehicle Mechanics and Fitters, Electrical and Electronic Instrument Mechanics etc.)	14,492	25	953	3	15,445	28
7.3 Ceramics, Glass Formers and related Workers	18	1	1	-	19	1
7.4 Printing and related Trade Workers (Type Setters, Stereotypers, and Electro Typers, Plate Makers and Book Binders etc.)	456	9	3	3	459	12
7.5 Other Craft and related Workers (Food Products, Textile, Garment and Leather Products Workers etc.)	715	537	32	66	747	603
8. Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers						
8.1 Industrial Plant Operators (Metal Processing, Glass and Ceramic Kiln and related Plant Operators etc.)	1,705	415	21	-	1,726	415
8.2 Stationary Machine Operators and Assemblers	1,057	18	46	-	1,103	18
8.3 Drivers and Mobile Machinery Operators	19,967	2	2,330	-	22,297	2
9. Elementary Occupations (Unskilled Labourers)						
9.1 Office Workers, (Messengers, Watchers, Office Peons and Office Labourers etc.)	14,159	702	633	67	14,792	769
9.2 Estate Labourers	46,079	55,775	7,524	7,495	53,603	63,270
9.3 Agricultural, Fishery and related Labourers (excluding Estate Labourers)	197	30	3,520	229	3,717	259
9.4 Mining and Construction Labourers	1,018	64	779	-	1,797	64
9.5 Transport Labourers	674	-	34	-	708	-
9.6 Engineering and Factory Labourers	7,498	354	1,195	269	8,693	623
9.7 Other unskilled Labourers	21,095	670	7,589	1,329	28,684	1,999
Total	219,165	94,453	30,822	11,320	249,987	105,773

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 4.9 - Employees' provident fund, 1978 - 1998

Year	Employers who contributed to the fund	Contributions and surcharges received during the year (Rs. Million)	Number of operative members accounts	Number of non-operative members accounts	Interest rates declared (%)	No. of benefits payments	Amount paid (Rs. Million)
1978	23,389	524.30	1,023,159	1,669,743	8	42,526	122.00
1979	23,004	598.05	1,065,006	1,802,738	8	43,066	140.51
1980	23,744	747.88	1,128,264	1,921,302	9	50,968	205.36
1981	24,661	896.95	1,146,293	2,077,280	10	61,969	300.36
1982	24,938	1,082.72	1,129,930	2,236,960	10	69,934	372.64
1983	25,003	1,203.89	1,138,797	2,386,276	12	55,082	384.55
1984	25,543	1,615.17	1,185,492	2,528,528	13	65,189	552.96
1985	25,150	1,948.14	1,178,324	2,720,143	13	46,123	523.06
1986	25,238	2,070.52	1,173,074	2,923,100	13	25,219	352.70
1987	25,299	2,194.30	1,170,858	3,110,131	13	34,530	573.60
1988	25,463	2,680.10	1,175,444	3,297,422	13	37,641	600.41
1989	25,698	3,021.63	1,189,049	3,475,987	11	26,287	632.70
1990	27,870	3,912.90	1,267,885	3,624,710	11.5	44,813	1,209.40
1991	29,579	4,429.57	1,341,156	3,844,558	11.5	38,910	1,344.26
1992	31,275	5,294.46	1,406,389	4,078,111	11.5	49,864	2,265.10
1993	33,018	6,610.91	1,490,148	4,334,831	13.5	51,289	2,377.30
1994	34,033	7,405.79	1,538,273	4,634,988	12.75	49,986	2,630.00
1995	34,853	8,154.23	1,553,006	4,952,955	12.75	52,258	2,886.00
1996	35,487	9,301.90	1,549,231	5,326,566	12.75	56,536	3,512.00
1997	37,000*	10,851.40	1,650,000*	5,500,000*	12.75	60,909	4,775.00
1998	..	11,711.2*	..	..	..	..	..

Source - Department of Labour

Estimated (*)

Table 4.10 - Employees' trust fund board, 1985 - 1998

Year	Contributions and surcharges received		Total return paid (Total interest paid) %	Total claims paid		Life insurance claims paid	
	Number of contributions (Approximately)	Amount Rs. Million		Number of claims	Amount Rs. Million	Number of claims	Amount Rs. thousands
1985	20,550	342.8	12.50	34,801	33.36	..	..
1986	21,704	381.8	10.00	48,154	72.06	95	314.2
1987	22,614	396.1	10.00	53,494	97.42	318	1,007.1
1988	23,740	491.1	9.75	54,090	112.98	569	4,982.4
1989	23,819	598.5	9.00	59,149	125.73	719	6,543.8
1990	23,909	681.7	11.50	86,474	289.67	1,035	13,395.8
1991	24,268	808.0	12.50	102,842	406.71	1,469	20,222.5
1992	24,506	967.0	13.00	108,716	496.54	1,337	19,423.0
1993	25,193	1,183.0	14.00	85,157	487.45	1,093	17,705.0
1994	26,017	1,466.8	15.00	80,714	486.10	1,172	22,070.0
1995	26,823	1,513.1	13.50	90,905	620.00	1,876	38,858.0
1996	27,280	1,741.4	13.50	99,461	792.44	1,343	41,338.8
1997	27,560	2,009.0	10.00	99,214	936.00	1,610	68,513.0
1998	26,930	2,274.0	9.00	108,708	1,215.00	1,390	51,000.0

Source : Employees' Trust Fund Board

Table 4.11 - Average monthly earnings and hours worked, 1998

Trade	March		September	
	Average no. of hours worked per month	Average earnings per month Rs.Cts.	Average no. of hours worked per month	Average earnings per month Rs.Cts.
1998				
1. Printing Trade				
Class A	207.76	7,323.19	194.88	7,459.56
Class B	204.64	7,156.29	194.14	8,099.45
Class C	196.00	6,308.66	212.10	6,885.10
Class D	212.30	7,670.02	212.60	7,358.75
Class E	293.66	4,629.00	168.00	5,384.66
Class F	278.00	4,027.00	303.00	3,977.00
Class A - 1st year	216.00	6,689.75	192.04	2,951.60
2nd year	186.00	3,695.83	160.00	3,719.50
3rd year	206.42	5,104.85	195.00	6,015.66
4th year	222.00	5,067.00	160.00	4,842.00
5th year	193.02	4,964.00	185.33	5,864.00
Class B - 1st year	86.66	1,782.33	176.00	4,765.00
2nd year	..	..	176.00	4,790.00
3rd year	..	..	217.33	5,577.66
4th year	274.04	4,280.00	..	..
Class C - 1st year	..	..	180.00	2,560.00
2nd year	163.00	2,749.00	115.05	2,771.00
3rd year	..	..	..	..
4th year	..	..	..	..
2. Engineering Trade				
Unskilled Labourers	195.23	4,195.92	230.25	4,065.08
Semi - Skilled	198.32	4,660.94	223.48	4,563.68
Skilled	225.84	7,275.31	226.00	6,111.52
Kanganies	136.00	6,136.00	210.00	3,358.06
Watchers	302.33	4,931.00	253.12	4,774.62
Apprentices - 1st year	177.78	987.67	207.78	2,300.12
2nd year	..	..	268.00	2,964.00
3rd year	253.00	2,213.00	..	..
4th year	271.00	2,481.00	265.00	2,978.00
3. Building Trade				
Unskilled	247.52	4,993.07	277.25	5,646.23
Skilled	256.68	8,197.37	278.93	8,474.00
4. Rubber Growing				
Male	159.99	2,540.00	160.20	2,026.02
Female	172.09	2,540.58	154.11	2,045.51
Children	..	..	..	..
5. Tea Growing				
Kanganies	..	..	..	..
Male	144.86	2,013.00	148.46	2,248.22
Female	154.15	1,958.00	150.47	2,078.86
Children male	..	..	..	..
6. Coconut Growing				
Kanganies	210.00	2,483.00	202.66	2,511.16
Male	195.42	2,658.17	164.17	2,024.35
Female	159.11	2,495.58	191.58	2,031.19
Children	190.05	1,978.62	124.66	1,159.00
7. Coconut Manufacturing				
Kanganies	117.74	2,093.00	256.83	4,530.11
Male	146.85	2,045.00	421.00	3,096.00
Female	63.61	891.16	307.30	2,369.60
Children	..	..	..	..

Table 4.11(Contd.) - Average monthly earnings and hours worked, 1998

Trade	March		September	
	Average no. of hours worked per month	Average earnings per month Rs.Cts.	Average no. of hours worked per month	Average earnings per month Rs.Cts.
1998				
8. Rubber Export				
Male grade 11	273.93	3,864.31	222.93	3,971.45
Intermediate	215.48	2,500.44	230.66	3,301.00
Male grade 1	203.97	3,071.58	209.02	3,596.80
Watchers	232.00	3,291.09	209.88	2,376.22
Female grade 11	..	..	..	..
Female grade 1	..	..	..	..
9. Tea Export				
Male grade 11	196.98	2,992.80	205.15	3,019.76
Intermediate	174.07	3,561.15	189.01	7,163.50
Male grade 1	198.07	3,584.96	198.15	3,926.15
Box maker	..	..	..	..
Watchers	248.00	4,960.00	450.00	4,800.00
Female workers	..	..	..	..
10. Baking Trade				
Class A	289.84	7,504.00	268.98	7,512.91
Class B	294.98	7,032.00	270.27	6,724.21
Class C	313.38	6,644.53	265.16	5,052.34
11. Motor Transport				
Class A	232.81	5,011.72	162.75	7,675.75
Class B	171.78	3,880.00	206.06	3,813.11
Class C	..	..	..	..
Class D	188.81	4,128.00	198.75	3,541.66
Class E	..	..	..	..
Class F	189.00	4,378.00	185.00	5,445.65
Class G	226.47	6,275.00	238.05	2,637.75
Class H	183.94	3,400.72	168.05	2,245.54
Class I	..	..	..	..
Class J	..	..	..	..
Class K	234.70	3,864.00	187.76	5,286.05
12. Cinema Trade				
(Municipal areas)				
Unskilled	238.08	4,329.64	205.66	3,503.83
Semi - Skilled	252.45	5,580.56	200.06	3,504.62
Skilled grade 11	206.52	4,547.52	198.28	4,169.14
Skilled grade 1	225.36	4,661.90	204.75	3,964.25
Clerical grade 111	246.45	4,776.09	206.05	4,213.05
Clerical grade 11	165.33	3,463.33	194.00	3,769.00
Clerical grade 1	201.00	2,678.00	200.00	3,056.00
Others	209.00	6,114.37	184.00	6,166.66
(Outside Municipality)				
Unskilled	235.02	3,110.68	305.25	4,851.56
Semi - Skilled	231.62	3,608.81	246.00	3,235.50
Skilled grade 11	303.88	3,680.48	392.05	3,054.86
Skilled grade 1	239.00	3,945.31	220.00	3,187.50
Clerical grade 111	306.40	3,343.00	317.00	2,057.00
Clerical grade 11	286.33	3,117.33	..	..
Clerical grade 1	..	..	..	..
Others	218.93	4,050.80	411.00	3,072.25
13. Match Manufacturing				
Grade 1				
Male	205.88	2,703.21	108.61	2,866.97
Female	191.63	2,141.31	183.26	4,280.31
Grade 11				
Male (16 - 18 years)	213.31	3,327.44	223.32	3,600.16
Female	208.59	2,415.55	199.95	2,590.28
Grade 111				
Male (over 18 years)	211.11	2,945.14	209.41	3,180.66
Female	173.62	1,685.07	184.40	1,469.50
Watchers Grade 1V	..	..	208.00	2,496.66

Table 4.11(Contd.) - Average monthly earnings and hours worked, 1998

Trade	March		September	
	Average no. of hours worked per month	Average earnings per month Rs.Cts.	Average no. of hours worked per month	Average earnings per month Rs.Cts.
1998				
14. Brick and Tile Trade				
Skilled grade 1	111.33	1,577.00	157.08	1,410.52
Grade 11	158.88	2,043.00	174.80	1,873.00
Semi - skilled	130.66	1,238.00	176.00	1,308.00
Unskilled	168.00	2,101.00	184.00	2,563.00
Female	89.12	1,392.00	125.00	1,109.00
15. Biscuits and Confectionery				
Manufacturing Trade				
A. Biscuits	238.76	7,870.43	165.81	4,073.00
Confectionery	139.28	2,532.00	760.00	4,803.00
B. Biscuits	244.17	7,373.54	158.40	3,513.00
Confectionery	208.16	2,820.24	181.09	3,074.00
C. Biscuits	236.83	5,114.51	180.50	4,994.00
Confectionery	354.25	3,074.25	288.38	4,218.00
16. Nursing Home Trade				
Grade 1	189.55	8,188.80	208.00	8,142.00
Grade 11	198.72	5,916.42	239.64	3,666.00
Grade 111	188.63	3,932.82	186.06	4,762.00
Grade 1V	184.77	3,370.36	190.88	3,803.00
Grade V	184.61	3,273.03	195.41	3,461.00
Grade V1	241.82	3,962.16	249.95	3,732.00
Grade V11	195.27	2,518.10	207.22	5,454.00
17. Cocoa Cardamom and Pepper				
Growing				
Male	125.47	1,697.00	132.95	1,658.40
Female	159.78	1,560.00	160.76	1,740.30
Children	..	..	..	..
18. Coir mattress, Bristle and Filter Export				
Male Grade 11	211.14	4,376.00	195.88	4,006.80
Intermediate	168.64	2,790.00	174.50	3,218.65
Grade 1	181.18	4,103.00	219.65	4,378.01
Head Operates	220.78	5,663.00	270.33	6,900.33
19. Paddy Hulling Trade				
Male	185.00	3,022.50	186.04	2,972.00
Female	232.24	2,273.36	223.59	2,092.00
20. Garment Manufacturing				
Grade 1A	254.85	6,014.00	242.00	5,456.00
Grade 1B	219.85	6,103.00	238.00	6,126.00
Grade 11	246.72	4,660.00	242.00	4,847.00
Grade 111	229.05	4,264.00	232.00	4,223.00
Grade 1V	231.90	3,594.00	231.00	3,270.00
Grade V	213.92	3,118.00	230.00	3,085.00
21. Textile Trade				
Skilled grade 1	204.36	5,419.00	255.43	1,983.00
Skilled grade 11	222.95	7,555.00	232.09	8,293.00
Semi - skilled	225.94	5,341.00	233.85	5,045.00
Unskilled	223.82	3,405.00	250.81	2,608.00
22. Ice and Aerated Water				
Manufacturing				
Grade 1	206.50	5,607.57	341.27	14,508.00
Grade 11	186.00	5,407.33	302.96	7,682.00
Grade 111	61.02	4,924.88	294.98	5,172.00
23. Hosiery Manufacturing				
Grade 1	253.13	5,280.00	239.64	3,811.00
Grade 11	237.96	5,703.00	244.76	5,829.00
Grade 111	223.95	4,916.00	250.72	4,322.00
Grade 1V	229.39	3,773.00	249.09	4,001.00

Table 4.11(Contd.) - Average monthly earnings and hours worked, 1998

Trade	March		September	
	Average no. of hours worked per month	Average earnings per month Rs.Cts.	Average no. of hours worked per month	Average earnings per month Rs.Cts.
1998				
24. Hotel Trade				
Grade 1	189.61	3,279.32	210.45	4,921.93
Grade 11	195.91	4,039.16	361.03	3,086.03
Grade 111	193.94	4,092.34	235.38	3,618.02
Grade 1V	176.79	4,750.99	362.26	3,828.41
Grade V	189.27	5,287.94	236.68	5,225.18
25. Batik Trade				
Artists (Class A)	175.00	2,419.00	168.88	2,554.33
Bollers (Class B)	162.12	2,164.00	186.08	2,651.50
Ironers (Class C)	71.24	1,103.43	179.35	2,080.60
26. Security Services				
Operational Personnel	213.28	3,846.77	237.93	3,409.35
Supervisory Personnel	234.40	4,139.32	192.63	3,777.63
27. Rubber and Plastic				
Goods trade	252.35	6,383.89	253.61	7,459.99
Skilled	223.72	4,084.37	224.66	4,322.55
Semi - Skilled	198.67	7,333.79	212.88	4,371.91
Unskilled Male	..	..	..	..
Trainees / Apperent				
1st Year	185.26	1,963.94	213.81	3,256.09
2nd Year	140.83	1,984.66	261.00	3,733.75
3rd Year	164.28	2,232.71	262.04	3,364.02
4th Year	209.00	2,654.00	266.05	4,267.05
28. Journalist Trade				
Special grade	123.68	22,631.00	155.00	24,821.61
Grade 1	162.71	12,700.00	173.41	11,758.00
Grade 11	172.60	7,738.00	165.31	7,814.86
Grade 111	168.40	5,607.00	157.44	5,336.00
Trainees Grade 111	173.62	5,662.00	161.60	4,149.60
29. Banking Trade				
Grade 1	226.27	33,195.00	166.77	35,488.00
Grade 11	247.97	12,929.00	152.62	12,859.00
Grade 111	221.58	12,851.00	183.59	13,180.00
30. Tanning Leather and Footware Manufacturing Trade				
Grade 1	218.71	4,612.90	218.71	4,612.90
Grade 11	227.55	5,039.90	227.55	5,039.90
Grade 111	229.10	5,575.30	229.10	5,572.25
31. Cigar Manufacturing				
Male	179.70	2,478.00	182.97	2,362.00
Female	169.44	1,641.14	179.46	1,603.00
32. Beedi Manufacturing				
Inclusive of preparation of warppers	173.46	1,942.00	102.93	1,312.00
Exclusive of preparation of warppers	88.00	440.00	96.00	480.00
Cutting & preparation of W.Labels	..	..	133.33	1,416.00
Fixing ringlabels	32.00	192.00	132.29	2,052.00
33. Retail and Wholesale Trade				
Grade 1	254.04	5,116.54	254.00	4,419.00
Grade 11	216.13	2,575.95	321.00	3,705.00
Grade 111	240.94	3,164.00	200.68	3,248.00
Grade 1V	628.22	3,267.82	524.00	3,052.00

Source - Department of Labour

**Table 4.12 - Average minimum wage rates inclusive of special allowances,
1993 - 1998**

Trade	1993 Rs.Cts.	1994 Rs.Cts.	1995 Rs.Cts.	1996 Rs.Cts.	1997 Rs.Cts.	1998 Rs.Cts.
1. Tea Growing and Manufacturing Trade (Daily)						
Male worker	57.20	62.21	66.51	77.69	83.00	86.00
Female worker	57.20	62.21	66.51	77.69	83.00	86.00
Child worker	52.20	57.21	61.72	72.19	78.00	81.00
2. Rubber Growing and Manufacturing Trade						
Male worker	54.70	59.71	64.01	74.12	81.39	85.00
Female worker	54.70	59.71	64.01	74.12	81.39	85.00
Child worker	50.70	55.71	60.01	70.12	77.22	80.00
3. Cocos, Cardamom and Pepper Growing and Manufacturing Trade						
Male worker	54.70	59.71	64.01	74.12	81.68	89.95
Female worker	54.70	59.71	64.01	74.12	81.68	89.95
Child worker	50.70	55.71	60.02	70.12	77.68	85.95
4. Coconut Growing Trade						
Male worker	54.70	59.71	64.01	74.12	81.68	92.25
Female worker	54.70	59.71	64.01	74.12	81.68	92.25
Child worker	50.70	55.71	60.01	70.12	77.68	87.75
5. Coconut Manufacturing Trade						
Kanganias	67.00	67.00	87.08	93.80	101.90	110.00
Male worker	62.00	62.00	80.58	86.80	93.40	100.00
Female worker	62.00	62.00	80.58	86.80	93.40	100.00
Child worker	52.00	52.00	67.60	72.80	76.40	80.00
6. Tea Export Trade (Monthly)						
Grade 11	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,625.00	2,000.00
Intermediate grade	1,510.00	1,510.00	1,510.00	1,510.00	1,635.00	2,010.00
Grade 1	1,520.00	1,520.00	1,520.00	1,520.00	1,645.00	2,020.00
Watchers	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,625.00	2,000.00
7. Rubber Export Trade (Monthly)						
Grade 11	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,916.67	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Intermediate grade	1,510.00	1,510.00	1,926.67	2,010.00	2,010.00	2,010.00
Grade 1	1,520.00	1,520.00	1,936.67	2,020.00	2,020.00	2,020.00
Watchers	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,916.67	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
8. Engineering Trade (Monthly)						
Unskilled labourers	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,916.67	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,375.00
Semi-skilled labourers - Grade 1	1,515.00	1,515.00	1,931.67	2,015.00	2,015.00	2,390.00
Skilled labourers	1,585.00	1,585.00	2,001.67	2,085.00	2,085.00	2,460.00
Kanganias	-	-	-	-	-	-
Watchers	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,916.67	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,375.00
Apprentices						
1st year	1,100.00	1,100.00	1,100.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	2,275.00
2nd year	1,125.00	1,125.00	1,125.00	1,625.00	1,625.00	2,000.00
3rd year	1,150.00	1,150.00	1,150.00	1,650.00	1,650.00	2,025.00
4th year	1,175.00	1,175.00	1,175.00	1,675.00	1,675.00	2,025.00
9. Match Manufacturing Trade (Daily)						
Grade 1 - Men	54.50	54.50	54.50	65.00	68.50	70.21
Women	54.50	54.50	54.50	65.00	68.50	70.21
Grade 11 - Men	53.50	53.50	53.50	64.00	67.50	69.19
Women	53.50	53.50	53.50	64.00	67.50	69.19
Grade 111 - Men	52.00	52.00	52.00	62.50	66.00	67.65
Women	52.00	52.00	52.00	62.50	66.00	67.65
Grade 1V - Men	54.50	54.50	54.50	65.00	68.50	70.21
10. Printing Trade (Monthly)						
Class A	2,280.00	2,280.00	2,280.00	2,280.00	2,430.00	2,730.00
Class B	2,125.00	2,125.00	2,125.00	2,125.00	2,275.00	2,575.00
Class C	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,175.00	2,475.00
Class D	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,150.00	2,450.00
Class E	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,950.00	2,250.00
Class F	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,150.00	2,450.00
Apprentices						
Class A - 1st year	1,610.00	1,610.00	1,610.00	1,610.00	1,760.00	2,080.00
2nd year	1,685.00	1,685.00	1,685.00	1,685.00	1,835.00	2,135.00
3rd year	1,765.00	1,765.00	1,765.00	1,765.00	1,915.00	2,215.00
4th year	1,880.00	1,880.00	1,880.00	1,888.00	2,030.00	2,330.00
5th year	1,985.00	1,985.00	1,985.00	1,985.00	2,135.00	2,435.00
Class B - 1st year	1,550.00	1,550.00	1,550.00	1,550.00	1,705.00	2,015.00
2nd year	1,660.00	1,660.00	1,660.00	1,660.00	1,810.00	2,110.00
3rd year	1,725.00	1,725.00	1,725.00	1,725.00	1,875.00	2,175.00
4th year	1,815.00	1,815.00	1,815.00	1,815.00	1,965.00	2,265.00
Class C - 1st year	1,565.00	1,565.00	1,565.00	1,565.00	1,710.00	2,000.00
2nd year	1,615.00	1,615.00	1,615.00	1,615.00	1,765.00	2,065.00
3rd year	1,665.00	1,665.00	1,665.00	1,665.00	1,815.00	2,115.00
4th year	1,735.00	1,735.00	1,735.00	1,735.00	1,885.00	2,185.00

Table 4.12 (Contd.) - Average minimum wage rates inclusive of special allowances, 1993 - 1998

Trade	1993 Rs.Cts.	1994 Rs.Cts.	1995 Rs.Cts.	1996 Rs.Cts.	1997 Rs.Cts.	1998 Rs.Cts.
11. Motor Transport Trade (Monthly)						
Class A	1,600.00	1,900.00	1,983.33	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,179.00
Class B	1,575.00	1,875.00	1,958.33	2,075.00	2,075.00	2,152.00
Class C	1,540.00	1,840.00	1,923.33	2,040.00	2,040.00	2,117.00
Class D	1,600.00	1,900.00	1,983.33	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,179.00
Class E	1,535.00	1,835.00	1,918.33	2,035.00	2,035.00	2,112.00
Class F	1,535.00	1,835.00	1,918.33	2,035.00	2,035.00	2,112.00
Class G	1,520.00	1,820.00	1,903.33	2,020.00	2,020.00	2,096.00
Class H	1,515.00	1,815.00	1,898.33	2,015.00	2,015.00	2,091.00
Class I	1,520.00	1,820.00	1,903.33	2,020.00	2,020.00	2,095.00
Class J	1,535.00	1,835.00	1,918.33	2,035.00	2,035.00	2,112.00
Class K	1,500.00	1,800.00	1,883.33	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,075.00
12. Cinema Trade						
A. Non Clerical						
Unskilled	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,908.33	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,325.00
Semi - Skilled	1,525.00	1,525.00	1,933.33	2,225.00	2,225.00	2,350.00
Skilled grade 11	1,550.00	1,550.00	1,958.33	2,250.00	2,250.00	2,375.00
Skilled grade 1	1,580.00	1,580.00	1,988.33	2,280.00	2,280.00	2,405.00
B. Clerical						
Grade 111	1,525.00	1,525.00	1,933.33	2,225.00	2,225.00	2,350.00
Grade 11	1,555.00	1,555.00	1,963.33	2,255.00	2,255.00	2,380.00
Grade 1	1,575.00	1,575.00	1,983.33	2,275.00	2,275.00	2,400.00
Outside the Municiple						
A. Non Clerical						
Unskilled	1,455.00	1,455.00	1,863.33	2,155.00	2,155.00	2,280.00
Semi - skilled	1,480.00	1,480.00	1,888.33	2,180.00	2,180.00	2,305.00
Skilled grade 11	1,505.00	1,505.00	1,913.33	2,205.00	2,205.00	2,330.00
Skilled grade 1	1,545.00	1,545.00	1,953.33	2,245.00	2,245.00	2,370.00
B. Clerical						
Grade 111	1,485.00	1,485.00	1,893.33	2,185.00	2,185.00	2,310.00
Grade 11	1,485.00	1,485.00	1,893.33	2,185.00	2,185.00	2,310.00
Grade 1	1,535.00	1,535.00	1,943.33	2,235.00	2,235.00	2,360.00
13. Baking Trade (Monthly)						
Class A	1,600.00	1,600.00	2,050.00	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,365.00
Class B	1,530.00	1,530.00	1,980.00	2,130.00	2,130.00	2,290.00
Class C	1,400.00	1,450.00	1,863.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,150.00
14. Brick and Tile Manufacturing Trade (Daily)						
Skilled workers Grade 1	51.75	51.75	61.75	63.75	63.75	63.75
Skilled workers Grade 11	51.25	51.25	61.25	63.25	63.25	63.25
Semi-skilled workers	50.70	50.70	60.70	62.70	62.70	62.70
Un-skilled workers	50.00	50.00	60.00	62.00	62.00	62.00
Female workers	..	..	..	..	..	..
15. Fiber Export Trade (Monthly)						
Grade 11	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,750.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,075.00
Intermediate Grade	1,510.00	1,510.00	1,760.00	2,010.00	2,010.00	2,085.00
Grade 1	1,520.00	1,520.00	1,770.00	2,020.00	2,020.00	2,096.00
Press Operator	1,515.00	1,515.00	1,765.00	2,015.00	2,015.00	2,091.00
16. Ice and Aerated Waters Manufacturing Trade (Monthly)						
Grade 1	1,525.00	1,525.00	1,650.00	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,050.00
Grade 11	1,515.00	1,515.00	1,640.00	2,015.00	2,015.00	2,040.00
Grade 111	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,625.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,025.00
17. Garments Manufacturing Trade (Monthly)						
Grade 1 (A)	2,225.00	2,225.00	2,225.00	2,225.00	2,225.00	2,600.00
Grade 1 (B)	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,575.00
Grade 11	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,475.00
Grade 111	2,075.00	2,075.00	2,075.00	2,075.00	2,075.00	2,450.00
Grade 1V	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,400.00
Grade V	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
18. Hosiery Manufacturing Trade						
Grade 1	1,675.00	1,850.00	1,933.33	2,050.00	2,050.00	2,127.00
Grade 11	1,650.00	1,825.00	1,908.33	2,025.00	2,025.00	2,100.00
Grade 111	1,625.00	1,800.00	1,883.33	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,075.00
Grade 1v	1,175.00	1,350.00	1,433.33	1,550.00	1,550.00	1,608.00

Table 4.12 (Contd.) - Average minimum wage rates inclusive of special allowances, 1993 - 1998

Trade	1993 Rs.Cts.	1994 Rs.Cts.	1995 Rs.Cts.	1996 Rs.Cts.	1997 Rs.Cts.	1998 Rs.Cts.
19. Nursing Home Trade (Monthly)						
Grade 1	1,740.00	1,915.00	2,127.50	2,250.00	2,250.00	2,450.00
Grade 11	1,695.00	1,846.00	2,042.50	2,165.00	2,165.00	2,365.00
Grade 111 A	1,600.00	1,775.00	1,987.50	2,110.00	2,110.00	2,310.00
B	1,490.00	1,665.00	1,877.50	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,200.00
Grade 1V	1,540.00	1,715.00	1,927.50	2,050.00	2,050.00	2,250.00
Grade V	1,525.00	1,700.00	1,912.50	2,035.00	2,035.00	2,235.00
Grade VI	1,510.00	1,685.00	1,897.50	2,020.00	2,020.00	2,220.00
Grade VII	1,500.00	1,675.00	1,883.33	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,210.00
20. Paddy Hulling Trade (Daily)						
Male	57.00	57.00	57.00	72.33	80.00	84.00
Female	57.00	57.00	57.00	72.33	80.00	84.00
21. Textile Trade (Daily)						
Un-skilled	1,500.00	1,700.00	1,950.00	2,000.00	2,125.00	2,500.00
Semi-skilled	1,520.00	1,720.00	1,970.00	2,020.00	2,145.00	2,520.00
Grade 1	1,540.00	1,740.00	1,990.00	2,040.00	2,165.00	2,540.00
Grade 11	1,555.00	1,755.00	2,005.00	2,055.00	2,180.00	2,555.00
22. Tyre and Tube Manufacturing, Tyre re-building, Rubber and Plastic Goods Manufacturing Trade (Monthly)						
Unskilled male	1,450.00	1,450.00	1,679.17	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,075.00
Unskilled female	1,450.00	1,450.00	1,679.17	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,080.00
Semi-skilled	1,470.00	1,470.00	1,699.17	2,020.00	2,020.00	2,103.00
Skilled	1,495.00	1,495.00	1,724.17	2,045.00	2,045.00	1,989.00
23. Hotel and Catering Trade						
Grade 1	1,075.00	1,075.00	1,181.25	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,750.00
Grade 11	1,095.00	1,095.00	1,201.25	1,520.00	1,520.00	1,770.00
Grade 111	1,145.00	1,145.00	1,251.25	1,570.00	1,570.00	1,820.00
Grade 1V	1,195.00	1,195.00	1,263.75	1,620.00	1,620.00	1,870.00
Grade V	1,245.00	1,245.00	1,351.25	1,670.00	1,670.00	1,920.00
24. Security Services						
Operational Personnel	1,650.00	1,800.00	1,966.67	2,000.00	2,075.00	2,300.00
Supervisory Personnel	2,000.00	2,150.00	2,316.67	2,350.00	2,425.00	2,650.00
25. Biscuit and Confectionery Manufacturing Trade (Monthly)						
Class A						
Biscuits	1,700.00	1,750.00	2,190.00	2,230.00	2,230.00	2,257.92
Confectionery	1,518.00	1,560.00	2,000.00	2,040.00	2,040.00	2,065.50
Class B						
Biscuits	1,680.00	1,730.00	2,170.00	2,210.00	2,210.00	2,238.08
Confectionery	1,498.00	1,540.00	1,989.17	2,030.00	2,030.00	2,054.42
Class C						
Biscuits	1,650.00	1,700.00	2,140.00	2,180.00	2,180.00	2,207.25
Confectionery	1,478.00	1,520.00	1,960.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,025.00
26. Bank Trade (Daily)						
Artists	76.80	76.80	76.80	76.80	92.08	103.00
Boilers	61.30	61.30	61.30	61.30	73.38	82.00
Ironers	60.00	60.00	60.00	60.00	71.67	80.00
27. Building Trade						
Skilled	72.00	72.00	90.33	92.00	92.00	97.83
Unskilled	60.00	60.00	78.33	80.00	80.00	85.00
28. Journalists Trade (Monthly)						
Special grade	5,500.00	5,500.00	5,500.00	5,833.33	6,500.00	6,500.00
Grade 1	3,800.00	3,800.00	3,800.00	4,133.33	4,800.00	4,800.00
Grade 11	3,300.00	3,300.00	3,300.00	3,633.33	4,300.00	4,300.00
Grade 111	2,900.00	2,900.00	2,900.00	3,233.33	3,900.00	3,900.00
29. Retail and Wholesale Trade						
Grade 1	1,900.00	1,900.00	2,541.67	2,600.00	2,600.00	2,700.00
Grade 11	1,700.00	1,700.00	2,341.67	2,400.00	2,400.00	2,500.00
Grade 111	1,500.00	1,500.00	2,141.67	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,300.00
Grade 1V	1,300.00	1,300.00	1,941.67	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,100.00
30. Janitorial Trade						
Operational Personal	..	..	..	80.00	80.00	83.00
Supervisory Personal	..	..	..	95.00	95.00	98.75

Source - Department of Labour

Table 4.13 - Index numbers of minimum wages(base 1978 = 100), 1989 - 1998

Item	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Agriculture	435.90	517.18	577.65	664.01	803.73	821.50	830.90	907.94	971.75	1,097.66
Industry and Commerce	334.90	379.53	459.58	510.77	528.34	555.80	651.90	682.81	710.74	807.71
Services	245.90	267.76	336.49	365.60	365.60	431.40	456.70	487.18	487.16	506.34
All combined	388.10	453.44	518.80	589.93	685.63	712.50	740.30	801.75	849.08	953.29

Source - Department of Labour

Table 4.14 - General wage rate (minimum) index numbers (base 1978 =100) for tea and rubber estate labourers and unskilled male workers in government employment, 1989 - 1998

Item	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Tea and Rubber estate workers										
Minimum daily rate of wages	33.40	40.28	45.46	50.39	56.40	61.41	65.70	76.69	82.41	85.47
Minimum wage rate index number	387.89	467.88	527.99	585.25	655.05	713.28	763.11	890.75	957.15	992.65
Index number of real wages	106.45	105.66	106.29	105.78	105.95	106.38	105.73	106.38	104.46	98.96
Unskilled male workers in government employment										
Average monthly rate of wages	1,510.00	1,780.00	2,010.00	2,110.00	2,510.00	2,660.00	2,773.33	2,990.00	3,400.00	3,400.00
Wage rate index number	544.73	634.92	725.11	761.18	905.48	959.59	1,000.46	1,078.64	1,226.55	1,226.55
Index number of real wages	149.49	143.39	145.98	137.58	146.45	143.25	138.65	129.25	133.89	122.32

Source - Department of Labour

Table 4.15 - Trade unions, 1989 - 1998

Item	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Registered (1)	82	63	86	150	154	214	243	101	136	111
Cancelled (1)	27	55	140	202	29	63	102	37	96	12
Functioning (2)	1,004	1,032	1,083	1,039	1,059	1,304	1,364	1,428	466	1,673
Total Membership(3)	1,496,001	904,582	1,136,440	884,226	987,883	1,613,406	1,441,149	1,264,641	883,107	-

Source - Department of Labour

(1) During the year

(2) End of the year

(3) Reported unions only

Table 4.16 - Number of strikes, workers involved and man days lost, 1989 - 1998

Item	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total										
Strikes(1)	52	116	130	103	49	224	183	224	156	122
Workers involved	42,843	65,937	63,762	50,013	7,880	82,862	63,373	75,197	57,632	43,343
Man-days lost	838,888	193,666	109,078	271,311	21,396	276,805	293,519	388,917	325,477	270,145
Plantation										
Strikes(1)	45	108	111	86	26	121	94	137	78	63
Workers involved	15,072	63,751	56,856	47,712	4,559	36,427	29,518	50,982	27,383	15,468
Man-days lost	25,619	183,612	99,237	244,703	8,007	77,609	82,484	220,131	100,406	88,319
Others										
Strikes(1)	7	8	19	17	23	103	89	87	78	59
Workers involved	27,771	2,186	6,906	2,301	3,321	46,435	33,855	24,215	30,249	27,875
Man-days lost	813,269	10,054	9,841	26,608	13,389	199,196	211,035	168,786	225,071	181,826

Source - Department of Labour

(1) The number of strikes shown against each year relates to the number of strikes that ended during the year.

Table 4.17- State sector, provincial public sector and semi government sector employees by occupational groups and status of employment, 1st March 1994

Occupation	State sector			Provincial public sector			Semi govt. sector			
	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	
Total	221,229	182,237	32,496	291,265	235,673	19,518	227,023	204,162	21,407	1,452
(1) Senior government officials	3,313	3,166	136	1,823	1,769	43	6,748	6,444	242	61
1. Senior government officials	2,929	2,802	120	1,768	1,727	34	1,174	1,091	70	13
2. Managers	384	364	16	55	42	9	5,574	5,353	172	48
(2) Professionals	24,947	20,565	1,498	193,152	152,705	6,295	8,878	7,629	1,161	88
1. Physicists chemists and related professionals, (Physicists, chemists, geologists etc.)	80	80	-	4	3	1	263	247	15	1
2. Mathematicians, statisticians and related professionals	64	63	1	7	7	-	27	26	1	-
3. Computing professionals (System analysts, computer programmers etc.)	31	29	2	12	8	2	239	226	13	-
4. Architects, engineers and related professionals (architects, engineers, cartographers, surveyors, etc.)	970	960	10	288	247	40	2,460	2,221	225	14
5. Life science professionals (Biologists, botanists, zoologists, bacteriologists, agronomists, etc.)	359	358	1	46	46	-	173	154	15	4
6. Health professionals (Medical biologists, botanists, zoologists, bacteriologists, agronomists, etc.)	1,776	1,659	53	2,245	2,083	116	310	270	31	9
7. Nursing and midwifery professionals (Doctors, veterinarians, pharmacists etc.)	8,593	5,982	931	11,658	11,554	85	705	646	51	8
8. University and higher education teaching professionals	686	683	3	32	32	-	2,244	1,677	535	32
9. School teaching professionals	9,996	8,519	343	168,892	128,814	6,004	44	24	20	-
10. Other teaching professionals	831	815	16	9,298	9,280	11	489	414	68	7
11. Other professionals (Accountants, Judges, lawyers, economists, archivists, librarians, translators etc.)	1,561	1,417	138	670	631	36	1,924	1,724	187	13
(3) Technicians associate professionals	25,611	22,412	700	31,468	30,708	670	32,236	30,720	1,353	163
1. Physical science and engineering technicians	2,400	2,349	45	2,358	2,196	149	7,561	7,046	470	45
2. Computer assistants and computer equipment controllers	112	90	21	9	4	5	246	236	8	2
3. Optical and electronic equipment controllers	270	258	8	176	167	8	737	715	21	1

Table 4.17(Contd.) - State sector, provincial public sector and semi government sector employees by occupational groups and status of employment, 1st March 1994

Occupation	State sector			Provincial public sector			Semi govt. sector					
	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Other	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Other	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Other
	4. Ship and aircraft controllers and technicians (Ship engineers, deck officers, pilots, air traffic controllers etc.)	9	7	1	1	4	4	-	-	240	221	19
5. Building, safety, health and quality inspectors	170	170	-	-	130	127	3	-	428	414	12	2
6. Life science technicians and related workers	2,495	2,457	31	7	1,749	1,726	22	1	7,787	7,641	124	22
7. Modern health associate professionals (Life science technicians agronomy and forestry technicians etc.)	1,066	1,008	49	9	5,291	5,144	132	15	559	504	44	11
8. Nursing and midwifery associate professionals (Medical assistants, sanitarians, dieticians, nutritionists, physiotherapists, veterinary assistants etc.)	1,862	1,839	22	1	3,481	3,477	4	-	195	189	5	1
9. Finance and sales associate professionals (Buyers, appraisers, valuers and auctioneers, insurance representatives etc.)	717	703	14	-	1,168	1,161	6	1	4,075	3,990	74	11
10. Administrative associate professionals (Administrative officers, book keepers, statistical and mathematical associate professionals etc.)	2,955	2,815	128	12	13,990	13,797	178	15	7,129	6,810	287	32
11. Government associate professionals (Custom officers, tax and excise officers, commissioned police officers and detectives etc.)	12,417	9,755	215	2,447	1,007	935	52	20	1,964	1,783	160	21
12. Teaching associate professionals	771	689	72	10	1,544	1,420	103	21	761	646	102	13
13. Other associate professionals	367	272	94	1	561	550	8	3	554	525	27	2
(4) Clerks	29,935	28,417	1,263	255	17,006	15,845	1,028	133	58,720	56,263	2,222	235
1. Office clerks	24,049	23,133	762	154	14,059	13,312	651	96	40,730	38,951	1,620	159
2. Stenographers, typists and word processing and related operators	4,815	4,363	376	76	2,083	1,732	328	23	7,388	6,894	434	60
3. Data entry operators and calculating machine operators	138	129	5	4	18	11	5	2	527	484	39	4

Table 4.17(Contd.) - State sector, provincial public sector and semi government sector employees by occupational groups and status of employment, 1st March 1994

Occupation	State sector			Provincial public sector			Semi govt. sector			
	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	
4. Secretaries	215	107	88	87	58	22	7	738	64	5
5. Cashiers, tellers and related Clerk	319	312	7	653	631	17	5	7,987	38	6
6. Receptionist and information clerk	62	41	20	14	14	-	-	185	15	1
7. Telephone switch-board operators	337	332	5	92	87	5	-	1,024	12	-
(5). Service and sales workers	77,351	61,467	15,797	1,458	1,110	314	34	14,307	623	26
1. Travel attendants and guides	7	2	5	10	6	2	2	67	2	1
2. House keeping and restaurant service workers	2,808	1,796	1,005	372	319	49	4	623	97	4
3. Protective service workers (Fire fighters, policemen/women, prison guards etc.)	74,313	59,507	14,745	640	461	175	4	11,094	445	17
4. Sales persons	168	128	32	113	85	28	-	1,284	70	4
5. Other personal service workers	55	34	10	323	239	60	24	1,239	9	-
(6). Craft and related workers	9,831	9,310	467	3,665	2,305	1,172	188	20,771	1,755	119
1. Building trades workers (Masons, carpenters, plumbers and pipe fitters, painters etc.)	1,387	1,340	46	921	764	144	13	2,680	473	15
2. Metal and machinery trade workers (Welders, motor vehicle mechanics and fitters, electrical and electronic instrument mechanics etc.)	5,413	5,022	349	891	755	131	5	13,471	893	81
3. Precision, handicraft, printing and related workers (Jewellery and precious metal trades workers, printing and related trades workers, etc.)	797	782	13	171	103	56	10	775	4	3
4. Other craft and related trade workers (Food and related products, processing trades workers, textiles and garment trade workers, belt leather and shoemaking trades workers etc.)	2,234	2,166	59	1,682	683	839	160	3,845	385	20

Table 4.17(Contd.) - State sector, provincial public sector and semi government sector employees by occupational groups and status of employment, 1st March 1994

Occupation	State sector			Provincial public sector			Semi govt. sector					
	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual	Total	Permanent	Temporary/casual			
(7). Plant and machine operators and assemblers	6,016	5,519	475	22	3,435	2,835	558	42	24,687	22,082	2,530	75
1. Industrial plant operators (Metal - processing plant, kiln and related plant operators)	101	96	5	-	37	15	22	-	1,123	1,081	39	3
2. Stationary machine operators and assemblers	855	769	85	1	215	180	29	6	3,840	3,217	595	28
3. Drivers and mobile machinery operators	5,060	4,654	385	21	3,183	2,640	507	36	19,724	17,784	1,896	44
(8). Elementary occupations (Managers, watchmen, office peons, office labourers and all other unskilled workers)	44,225	31,381	12,160	685	39,258	28,396	9,438	1,424	58,153	45,946	11,521	685

Source - Census of Public and Corporation Sector Employment-1998
Department of Census and Statistics

Note - (1) State sector includes ministries, state ministries and departments under the central government. Provincial public sector includes all the Institutions under the provincial councils excluding local authorities. Semi - government sector includes corporations, boards, public - private companies and local authorities.

(2) Members of the armed forces and Field labourers employed in the government owned estates are not covered in this Census.

Table 4.18 - State sector, provincial public sector and semi-government sector employees by monthly gross salary group - 1994

Salary group	All Island		State sector		Provincial public sector		Semi-government sector	
	Total	Percentage	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage
Total	739,517	100.00	221,229	100.00	291,265	100.00	227,023	100.00
Less than 1,000	1,600	0.22	714	0.32	578	0.20	308	0.14
1,000 - 1,249	1,978	0.27	1,112	0.50	389	0.13	477	0.21
1,250 - 1,499	2,679	0.36	963	0.44	642	0.22	1,074	0.47
1,500 - 1,749	15,154	2.05	12,673	5.73	579	0.20	1,902	0.84
1,750 - 1,999	45,221	6.11	2,063	0.93	36,407	12.50	6,751	2.97
2,000 - 2,499	41,704	5.64	15,565	7.04	14,409	4.95	11,730	5.17
2,500 - 2,999	114,583	15.49	41,707	18.85	51,112	17.55	21,764	9.59
3,000 - 3,499	147,041	19.88	53,322	24.10	44,486	15.27	49,233	21.69
3,500 - 3,999	114,785	15.52	47,368	21.41	45,840	15.74	21,577	9.50
4,000 - 5,999	192,968	26.09	36,375	16.44	89,924	30.87	66,669	29.37
6,000 - 7,999	36,959	5.00	3,792	1.71	3,324	1.14	29,843	13.15
8,000 - 9,999	8,981	1.21	1,590	0.72	1,163	0.40	6,228	2.74
10,000 - 14,999	7,031	0.95	1,017	0.46	649	0.22	5,365	2.36
15,000 & Over	2,953	0.40	857	0.39	183	0.06	1,913	0.84
Unspecified	5,880	0.80	2,111	0.95	1,580	0.54	2,189	0.96

Source - Census of Public and Corporation Sector Employment-1994
Department of Census and Statistics

CHAPTER V - AGRICULTURE

INDEX OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION (VOLUME)

An Index of Agricultural Production is computed to provide a general measure of the yearly changes in the volume of Agricultural Production. The earlier index with 1934 - 38 as base was later revised using 1962 as base and the commodity coverage was also extended by including livestock products in the index. The extension of the coverage made the index more representative. This index has been further revised using a more recent base period (1977 - 79).

Indices for (a) Each major crop, (b) Other export crops, (c) Other seasonal crops and (d) Animal Husbandry are computed separately as a percentage of average production during the period 1977 - 79. The overall index combining Agricultural Crops and Livestock products provides an indicator of the volume of Agricultural Production. The revised series with 1977 - 79 period as base is available from the year 1978 onwards.

PADDY STATISTICS

The present system of collecting paddy statistics has generally three aspects, namely (1) Statistics on area under paddy, (2) Average yield per unit area, (3) Statistics on paddy production. These statistics are collected in respect of the cultivation seasons of Maha and Yala for each cultivation year.

Statistics on area under paddy are collected each season on the basis of parcelwise complete enumeration, where in all the paddy parcels in the island are listed on the form P1, at village or tract level. For this purpose a "Parcel" is being defined as a plot of land set apart for the cultivation of paddy, cultivated singly or jointly by a person. It may be surrounded by cultivated paddy lands or highlands belonging to other people.

PADDY YIELDS

Statistics of paddy yield are compiled from Crop Estimation Surveys conducted on a sample basis. The sampling design adopted for the survey is a stratified three stage random sampling method with D.S./A.G.A. Divisions as strata and mode of irrigation namely; Major, Minor, Rainfed as sub-strata. From each stratum a sample villages are selected using simple random sampling method where the number of samples per stratum depends on the sown area. About 3,000 villages/tracts/kandams are selected for each Maha Season and about 2000 villages/ tracts/ kandams are selected for Yala Season. In each selected village/ tract/ kandam two parcels are selected at random and each selected parcel a "Liyadde" (plot) is selected on the same basis to conduct the experiment. In each liyadde thus selected the standard experimental plot of size 16 1/2 ft. x 16 1/2 ft. (5 metres x 5 metres) is laid out at random. Then the experimental plot is harvested, the grain threshed, winnowed and the yield is recorded separately. From these results average yield per net acre harvested is estimated at district level and island level.

CULTIVATION DETAILS

Information on cultivation details such as system of tenure, variety of seed, method of land preparation, method of sowing, method of weed control, use of fungicides and insecticides, application of fertilizer are collected through a sample survey conducted concurrently with the crop estimation survey on paddy. The sample used for estimation of cultivation details is about three times as large as the sample used in the crop survey and the sampling unit used here is the paddy parcel. Using the sample data and the estimated sown extents, the extents associated with the cultivation practices are being estimated at district level.

PADDY PRODUCTION

The estimates of paddy production is obtained each season as a product of the net extent harvested and the average yield. The preparation of district wise correction factors to convert Gross area to Net paddy area was done using the results of an area survey conducted for this purpose. An all island correction factor of 85% used hitherto is being used only in respect of Colombo, Gampaha, Puttalam, Ratnapura and Badulla Districts and Uda - Walawe area, where the area survey work is not completed as yet.

COST OF PRODUCTION OF TEA, RUBBER AND COCONUT

Data for the computation of the cost of production of Tea, Rubber and Coconut are obtained from estates growing Tea, Rubber and Coconut using a mail questionnaire sent out from the Department once a year.

TEA

The cost of production relates to the cost per kilogram of manufactured tea. Questionnaires are sent to all the registered tea factories in the island. From the data thus collected the cost of production of a kilogram of made tea is estimated.

RUBBER

The cost of production per kilogram of manufactured rubber is computed at the all island level. Estates of 20 acres and more in extent are considered in thirteen rubber growing districts, where Colombo, Kalutara, Galle, Matara, Ratnapura and Kegalle are the major districts.

COCONUT

The major coconut growing districts are grouped in to 4 regions as follows:

1. North - Western Region;
2. South - Western Region;
3. North - Eastern Region;
4. Central Region;

The estates in each region are stratified into 4 size groups i.e. 20 - 50 acres, 51 - 100 acres,

101 - 250 acres and over 250 acres. The cost of production of coconut is computed for each region and for the whole island.

HIGHLAND CROPS AND LIVESTOCK STATISTICS

Statistics of highland crops are collected on the 'H' form and livestock statistics on the 'L' form. The primary reporter in both these instances is the Grama Niladhari. The island consolidated statements are prepared using district reports seasonally for highland crops and annually for livestock populations.

SLAUGHTER STATISTICS

The data on the number of animals slaughtered in the licensed slaughter houses are collected annually.

FOOD BALANCE SHEET

The Balance Sheet is a statement showing the amount of food available, values of calories, proteins and fats on a per capita basis per day during a calendar year. The Sri Lanka Food Balance Sheet confirms to the requirements of the F.A.O. of the United Nations.

Forty items of food classified according to eleven major groups are included in the Food Balance Sheet. The required data are obtained from Government Departments, Private Organizations and the Custom Returns. Where information could not be obtained from these sources, reasonable estimates of such quantities are used in the estimation procedures.

EXTENT

Table 5.1 - Cultivated extent of crops, 1989 - 1998

Crop	1989	1990(1)	1991(2)	1992(3)	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Tea	222,110	221,758	221,691	221,836	192,817	188,966	188,970	187,563	190,473	190,473
Rubber	199,648	199,048	198,130	194,550	162,297	160,909	161,600	162,000	158,200	158,140
Coconut	416,423	416,423	416,423	416,423	443,952	443,952	443,952	443,952	443,952	443,952
Cinnamon	20,420	20,190	20,310	20,210	24,180 #	24,220	24,250	24,300	24,360	24,510
Coffee	14,240	13,350	13,260	13,480	16,080 #	16,460	16,660	16,540	16,460	16,260
Cocoa	8,650	8,570	8,660	8,530	5,550 #	5,720	5,730	5,810	5,840	5,760
Pepper	15,940	15,600	17,000	17,190	24,970 #	25,590	26,990	26,880	27,030	28,050
Cardamom	4,450	4,390	4,440	4,510	4,625 #	4,510	4,540	4,550	4,410	4,350
Paddy	726,958	856,707	816,647	803,580	834,261	929,621	915,021	748,745	729,810	848,264
	468,850	530,726	500,509	548,597	545,689	581,064	566,650	498,930	472,998	573,845
	258,108	325,981	316,138	254,983	288,572	348,557	348,371	249,815	256,812	274,419
Kurakkan	10,200	10,410	9,840	8,390	10,320	9,450	7,440	6,130	5,560	6,040
	9,250	9,510	8,860	6,980	8,420	7,980	6,210	5,310	4,730	5,090
	950	900	980	1,410	1,900	1,470	1,230	820	830	950
Maize	29,110	29,740	28,570	27,720	32,600	31,490	35,940	30,890	25,790	29,790
	27,900	28,340	27,500	26,420	30,800	29,820	34,460	29,390	23,820	27,530
	1,210	1,400	1,070	1,300	1,800	1,670	1,480	1,500	1,970	2,260
Meneri	290	1,300	1,300	330	580	500	340	310	200	220
	160	230	240	160	390	200	150	180	120	120
	130	1,070	1,060	170	190	300	190	130	80	100
Sorghum	40	60	130	150	130	140	240	210	200	110
	40	60	70	130	80	90	210	180	170	70
	..	..	60	20	50	50	30	30	30	40
Green Gram	27,120	32,660	33,030	26,450	25,110	22,450	18,100	18,260	16,640	17,510
	15,590	21,570	24,210	20,760	17,860	16,040	12,410	12,930	11,680	13,490
	11,530	11,090	8,820	5,690	7,230	6,410	5,690	5,330	4,960	4,020
Cowpea	22,810	25,270	25,720	21,180	22,210	20,980	18,100	18,880	16,210	14,830
	14,470	17,810	18,320	15,420	16,790	15,600	13,220	13,180	12,390	10,090
	8,340	7,460	7,400	5,760	5,420	5,380	4,880	5,700	3,820	4,740
Dhal	20	20	50	30	50	60	30	70	40	30
	..	..	10	10	40	50	20	20	20	30
	20	20	40	20	10	10	10	50	20	0
Gingelly	8,350	8,730	9,510	12,050	9,360	8,960	8,560	7,570	11,750	10,350
	2,280	2,460	3,470	2,100	2,390	2,550	2,390	2,720	3,170	3,390
	6,070	6,270	6,040	9,950	6,970	6,410	6,170	4,850	8,580	6,960

Table 5.1(Contd.) - Cultivated extent of crops, 1989 - 1998

Crop	(Hectares)										
	1989	1990(1)	1991(2)	1992(3)	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	
Ground Nuts	Cult. Year	11,240	8,950	7,530	7,640	9,690	10,430	9,890	8,800	9,180	10,110
	Total	7,330	5,470	5,070	5,560	6,580	7,340	7,390	6,630	6,460	7,290
	Maha	3,910	3,480	2,460	2,080	3,110	3,090	2,500	2,170	2,720	2,820
Manioc	Cult. Year	45,770	40,330	39,730	34,210	34,240	33,440	32,850	30,920	28,850	30,070
	Total	27,080	23,600	23,900	19,880	19,910	19,400	18,990	18,040	16,640	17,570
	Maha	18,690	16,730	15,830	14,330	14,330	14,040	13,860	12,880	12,210	12,500
Sweet Potatoes	Cult. Year	12,320	11,610	11,330	9,930	8,210	9,050	9,150	9,040	8,960	8,650
	Total	6,660	6,480	6,240	5,540	4,140	5,020	5,110	4,970	5,050	4,660
	Maha	5,660	5,130	5,090	4,390	4,070	4,030	4,040	4,070	3,910	3,990
Potatoes	Cult. Year	7,010	7,890	6,380	7,140	6,980	7,210	7,430	7,930	6,470	2,330
	Total	3,220	4,260	3,210	3,340	3,530	3,620	3,840	4,430	3,950	1,440
	Maha	3,790	3,630	3,170	3,800	3,450	3,590	3,590	3,500	2,520	890
Chillies (Green)	Cult. Year	24,350	28,900	28,970	30,460	34,600	36,520	30,600	26,100	24,130	21,640
	Total	11,640	14,610	13,650	18,390	20,520	22,090	19,100	16,160	16,430	14,910
	Maha	12,710	14,290	15,320	12,070	14,080	14,430	11,500	9,940	7,700	6,730
Mustard	Cult. Year	940	1,260	1,320	790	1,080	1,130	800	870	420	330
	Total	910	1,180	1,260	770	1,030	1,100	760	840	380	280
	Maha	30	80	60	20	50	30	40	30	40	50
Red Onions	Cult. Year	9,100	7,070	6,020	7,740	6,770	6,960	6,990	6,580	6,450	5,660
	Total	4,600	4,330	3,590	4,200	3,220	3,630	3,550	3,550	3,410	2,720
	Maha	4,500	2,740	2,430	3,540	3,550	3,330	3,440	3,030	3,040	2,940
Big Onions	Cult. Year	780	1,530	1,450	2,400	2,570	3,760	3,690	2,660	2,960	1,420
	Total	80	10	60	100	70	210	110	120	100	90
	Maha	700	1,520	1,390	2,300	2,500	3,550	3,580	2,540	2,860	1,330
Ginger (Raw)	Cult. Year	2,490	2,040	1,610	1,320	760	1,460	1,600	1,620	1,490	1,550
	Total	2,490	2,040	1,610	1,320	760	1,460	1,600	1,620	1,490	1,550
	Maha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turmeric (Raw)	Cult. Year	2,160	1,820	1,610	1,350	730	1,170	1,310	1,370	1,300	1,240
	Total	2,160	1,820	1,610	1,350	730	1,170	1,310	1,370	1,300	1,240
	Maha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

Note:

i. For Tea and Rubber, the source of data from 1989 to 1992 are Tea commissioner's Division - Sri Lanka Tea Board and Rubber Control Department respectively.

ii. From 1993 Tea and Rubber extent are based on survey on agricultural Crops and Livestock 1992/93, Dept. of Census and Statistics.

iii. For Coconut, the source of data from 1989 to 1992 based on the Census of Agriculture - 1982. From 1993 to 1998 the source of data is survey on agricultural crops and Livestock 1992/93

for seasonal crops other than paddy :

(1) Other than the districts of Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Batticaloa and Trincomalee.

(2) Other than the districts of Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee.

(3) For Maha Season - Other than the districts of Mannar and Trincomalee, and for Yala Season - other than the district of Mannar.

Based on survey of agricultural crops in 1992/93

Table 5.2 - Cultivated extent of Tea, Rubber, and Coconut by district

District	Tea				Rubber			Coconut	
	1993 (1)	1994 (2)	1995 (3)	1996 (3)	1997 (3)	(including scattered trees)		1993 (1)	
									Total Area
Sri Lanka	192,817	188,966	161,600	162,000	158,200			443,952	
Colombo	72	74	10,329	10,328	10,111			9,147	
Gampaha			5,003	5,000	4,897			56,751	
Kalutara	3,658	4,036	42,140	42,244	41,252			12,754	
Kandy	25,438	23,391	2,146	2,150	2,102			9,418	
Matale	4,098	4,025	2,567	2,580	2,513			11,889	
Nuwara Eliya	51,817	51,906						1,040	
Galle	22,139	20,625	11,418	11,440	11,178			12,880	
Matara	20,817	20,010	5,429	5,440	5,314			16,123	
Hambantota	273	306	24	28	23			23,199	
Jaffna								10,027 *	
Kilinochchi									
Mannar								1,181 *	
Vavuniya								425 *	
Mullaitivu								2,205 *	
Batticaloa								4,091 *	
Ampara								3,886 *	
Trincomalee								1,807 *	
Kurunegala	126	42	3,268	3,280	3,200			159,846	
Puttalam								47,933	
Anuradhapura								8,692	
Polonnaruwa								4,707	
Badulla	28,160	30,406	345	350	339			1,222	
Moneragala	543	124	1,553	1,580	1,519			6,420	
Ratnapura	28,819	28,242	30,623	30,700	29,979			16,817	
Kegalle	6,857	5,779	46,755	46,880	45,773			21,492	

Source - (1) Survey on Agricultural Crops and Livestock 1992/93 - Department of Census & Statistics
 (2) Tea Commissioner's Division - Sri Lanka Tea Board.
 (3) Rubber Development Department.

* Based on the Census of Agriculture - 1982.

Table 5.3 - Paddy: Extent sown and harvested by irrigation scheme 1989 - 1998, Maha and Yala

Irrigation scheme and season	Hectares									
	1989	1990	1991**	1992(a)	1993(a)	1994(a)	1995(a)	1996(a)	1997(a)	1998 (a)
Sown										
Maha										
Major scheme	215,139	240,758	191,212	219,260 #	247,069	262,421	267,166	238,475	225,546	266,142
Minor scheme	95,632	114,640	107,111	120,817 #	130,475	149,356	133,607	106,719	97,008	147,883
Rainfed	158,079	175,328	123,960	146,782 #	168,145	169,287	165,875	153,736	150,443	159,823
Total	468,850	530,726	422,283	486,859 #	545,689	581,064	566,648	498,930	472,997	573,848
Yala										
Major scheme	140,534	111,419*	143,719	130,502	162,398	193,472	206,357	149,846	144,163	195,098
Minor scheme	41,912	53,637*	54,162	49,825	45,118	62,089	66,365	41,015	46,665	42,237
Rainfed	75,662	94,601*	92,566	74,657	81,088	77,806	75,649	58,953	65,983	37,084
Total	258,108	259,657*	290,446	254,984	288,604	348,557	348,371	249,814	256,811	274,419
Harvested										
Maha										
Major scheme	205,808	238,090	188,510	217,548 #	245,058	250,482	261,929	232,956	221,217	261,272
Minor scheme	88,899	110,635	105,612	111,009 #	127,580	145,815	127,946	81,398	88,881	145,044
Rainfed	145,080	170,565	122,865	135,573 #	165,398	164,396	159,460	110,833	132,961	156,718
Total	439,787	519,290	416,987	464,130 #	538,060	560,693	549,335	425,187	443,059	563,034
Yala										
Major scheme	135,579	110,152*	142,092	122,937	160,944	192,589	204,259	148,128	140,283	191,453
Minor scheme	40,375	51,579*	53,505	47,463	43,231	57,698	63,067	35,780	44,022	40,124
Rainfed	74,012	92,051*	89,313	72,833	77,531	70,462	72,925	50,983	62,715	34,488
Total	249,966	253,782*	284,910	243,236	281,706	335,858	340,251	234,891	247,020	266,065

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

* Other than the districts of Ampara, Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Mannar, Trincomalee and Batticaloa .

Other than the districts of Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Mannar, and Trincomalee .

** Other than the districts of Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Mannar, Trincomalee and Batticaloa .

(a) Due to the unsettled conditions data could not be collected for certain districts in Northern & Eastern provinces , for which estimates have been used .

Table 5.4 - Paddy: Extent sown and harvested by irrigation scheme and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1994/95						Yala 1995						Hectares			
	Cultivated			Harvested			Cultivated			Harvested						
	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total				
Sri Lanka	267,166	133,607	165,875	566,648	261,929	127,946	159,460	549,335	206,357	66,365	75,649	348,371	204,259	63,067	72,925	340,251
Colombo	-	514	5,095	5,609	-	508	5,057	5,565	-	254	1,663	1,917	-	252	1,653	1,905
Gampaha	928	1,851	9,198	11,977	927	1,845	9,164	11,936	167	294	2,442	2,903	167	293	2,394	2,854
Kalutara	238	2,223	14,247	16,708	236	2,220	14,202	16,658	118	1,788	11,119	13,025	110	1,751	10,840	12,701
Kandy	3,573	6,857	6,659	17,089	3,573	6,857	6,658	17,088	3,221	4,207	4,763	12,191	3,221	4,202	4,761	12,184
Matale	4,496	6,608	3,856	14,960	4,428	6,582	3,761	14,771	1,650	2,434	563	4,647	1,636	2,430	562	4,628
Nuwara Eliya	1,163	4,953	89	6,205	1,162	4,952	88	6,202	702	2,244	-	2,946	701	2,242	-	2,943
Galle	-	49	17,603	17,652	-	49	17,525	17,574	-	44	11,888	11,932	-	44	11,672	11,716
Matara	4,190	3,806	10,126	18,122	4,189	3,806	10,113	18,108	3,787	3,183	8,793	15,763	3,766	3,163	8,749	15,678
Hambantota	17,362	3,874	1,310	22,546	17,362	3,874	1,310	22,546	15,983	2,006	664	18,653	15,969	2,002	663	18,634
Jaffna	-	-	9,253	9,253	-	-	9,052	9,052	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	9,253	-	6,653	15,906	8,976	-	6,454	15,430	2,350	-	-	2,350	2,350	-	-	2,302
Mannar	4,406	1,210	29	5,645	3,546	861	17	4,424	853	96	-	949	820	85	-	905
Vavuniya	2,540	5,052	412	8,004	2,539	5,023	410	7,972	464	421	-	885	416	401	-	817
Mullaitivu	2,970	1,966	2,622	7,558	2,539	1,637	2,054	6,230	1,988	348	-	2,336	1,971	339	-	2,310
Batticaloa	13,564	462	17,914	31,940	11,914	440	16,423	28,777	10,898	790	707	12,395	10,802	789	695	12,286
Ampara	49,963	1,091	4,822	55,876	48,791	1,070	4,715	54,576	51,037	1,013	-	52,050	50,777	981	-	51,758
Trincomalee	13,051	2,312	4,933	20,296	12,659	2,243	4,785	19,687	13,632	1,148	-	14,780	13,342	1,118	-	14,460
Kurunegala	12,122	29,259	28,177	69,558	12,122	26,067	25,080	63,269	10,307	22,610	19,934	52,851	9,644	20,576	18,280	48,500
Puttalam	5,346	6,630	1,221	13,197	5,133	5,530	1,044	11,707	4,096	2,613	414	7,123	3,792	2,330	356	6,478
Anuradhapura	27,759	30,044	1,490	59,293	27,665	29,827	1,452	58,944	13,435	5,593	-	19,028	13,179	5,184	-	18,363
Polonnaruwa	43,243	1,335	818	45,396	43,243	1,262	811	45,316	41,734	1,223	-	42,957	41,734	1,220	-	42,954
Badulla	9,634	8,286	2,193	20,113	9,563	8,122	2,164	19,849	7,664	2,981	-	10,645	7,650	2,817	-	10,467
Moneragala	4,815	4,688	3,475	12,978	4,815	4,670	3,469	12,954	3,015	1,192	76	4,283	3,015	1,190	76	4,281
Ratnapura	1,581	7,985	5,322	14,888	1,579	7,953	5,299	14,831	775	7,356	4,508	12,639	773	7,135	4,171	12,079
Kegalle	-	2,552	8,358	10,910	-	2,548	8,353	10,901	-	2,527	8,115	10,642	-	2,523	8,053	10,576
Udawalawe	10,103	-	-	10,103	10,102	-	-	10,102	9,713	-	-	9,713	9,712	-	-	9,712
Mahaweli "H" area	24,866	-	-	24,866	24,866	-	-	24,866	8,768	-	-	8,768	8,760	-	-	8,760

Table 5.4(Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown and harvested by irrigation scheme and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

Hectares

District	Maha 1995/96						Yala 1996					
	Cultivated			Harvested			Cultivated			Harvested		
	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Total
Sri Lanka	238,475	106,719	153,736	232,956	81,398	425,187	149,846	41,015	58,953	148,128	35,780	249,814
Colombo	62	438	4,859	62	438	5,291	40	105	1,225	40	83	1,370
Gampaha	742	1,594	8,853	733	1,580	11,103	88	186	1,068	88	183	1,342
Kalutara	240	2,170	14,086	237	2,169	16,442	57	1,654	10,132	56	1,652	11,843
Kandy	3,496	6,938	6,481	3,496	6,938	16,915	3,226	3,683	3,315	3,226	3,662	10,224
Matale	4,486	6,250	3,556	4,484	6,196	14,089	1,551	1,861	296	1,551	1,856	3,708
Nuwara Eliya	1,163	4,921	69	1,161	4,881	6,111	348	2,178	-	348	2,176	2,526
Galle	-	49	17,183	-	49	17,189	-	49	12,551	-	49	12,600
Matara	4,267	3,461	10,020	4,265	3,460	17,717	3,656	3,134	8,450	3,655	3,134	15,240
Hambantota	16,651	2,899	1,276	16,629	2,899	20,804	12,060	1,699	658	12,043	1,699	14,417
Jaffna	-	-	6,182	-	-	850	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	4,825	228	6,909	4,625	228	5,692	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	3,049	520	15	2,456	379	2,843	426	30	-	418	30	456
Vavuniya	1,764	4,544	-	538	291	829	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu*	2,750	1,596	3,107	2,324	431	2,948	208	13	-	204	13	221
Batticaloa	8,175	487	15,750	7,585	420	20,127	8,206	734	405	8,065	724	9,345
Ampara	46,862	825	3,591	46,850	807	51,028	50,242	953	-	50,179	918	51,195
Trincomalee*	9,797	1,809	5,267	9,772	1,434	11,675	5,792	-	-	5,676	-	5,792
Kurunegala	12,031	25,389	25,497	11,895	13,001	32,080	7,617	10,547	12,039	6,597	5,644	30,203
Puttalam	4,711	6,255	919	4,535	5,885	11,110	832	631	-	790	546	1,463
Anuradhapura	20,086	12,552	-	18,516	6,483	24,999	3,930	430	-	3,930	412	4,360
Polonnaruwa	42,948	1,274	711	42,904	1,185	44,692	30,269	808	-	30,231	807	31,077
Badulla	9,621	8,205	2,011	9,404	8,154	19,566	7,349	2,922	-	7,202	2,864	10,271
Moneragala	4,795	4,161	3,279	4,632	3,994	11,718	3,120	1,159	-	3,089	1,153	4,279
Ratnapura	1,688	7,604	5,766	1,687	7,563	14,379	1,329	6,473	3,373	1,327	6,424	11,175
Kegalle	-	2,550	8,349	-	2,533	10,824	-	1,766	5,441	-	1,751	7,207
Udawalawe	9,713	-	-	9,713	-	9,713	8,063	-	-	8,002	-	8,063
Mahaweli" area	24,753	-	-	24,753	-	24,453	1,437	-	-	1,411	-	1,437

Table 5.4(Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown and harvested by irrigation scheme and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1996/97												Yala 1997												Total
	Cultivated				Harvested				Cultivated				Harvested				Cultivated				Harvested				
	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	
Sri Lanka	225,546	97,008	150,443	472,997	221,217	88,881	132,961	443,059	144,163	46,665	65,983	256,811	140,283	44,022	62,715	247,020									
Colombo	74	429	4,782	5,286	74	429	4,778	5,282	21	145	1,564	1,730	20	142	1,532	1,694									
Gampaha	826	1,831	9,622	12,279	820	1,809	9,598	12,227	250	276	1,773	2,299	245	270	1,737	2,252									
Kalutara	193	2,211	13,946	16,350	193	2,208	13,932	16,333	47	1,567	9,927	11,541	47	1,566	9,898	11,511									
Kandy	3,542	7,012	6,338	16,892	3,542	6,970	6,290	16,802	3,259	3,860	4,204	11,323	3,193	3,783	4,120	11,096									
Matale	4,467	6,932	2,886	14,285	4,464	5,326	1,673	11,462	2,199	2,207	439	4,845	2,155	2,163	430	4,748									
Nuwara Eliya	1,135	4,462	66	5,663	1,109	4,342	62	5,513	696	2,161	25	2,882	696	2,159	24	2,879									
Galle	-	49	17,409	17,458	-	49	17,406	17,454	-	44	9,417	9,461	-	43	9,229	9,272									
Matara	4,312	3,656	10,077	18,045	4,312	3,656	10,037	18,005	3,303	3,188	8,611	15,102	3,284	3,160	8,554	14,998									
Hambantota	14,189	2,928	1,268	18,385	14,189	2,926	1,268	18,383	12,911	1,773	625	15,309	12,782	1,755	619	15,156									
Jaffna	-	-	6,839	6,839	-	-	6,758	6,758	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-									
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-									
Mannar	5,827	647	40	6,515	5,787	647	40	6,475	1,085	3	-	1,088	922	2	924										
Yaruniya	560	2,552	-	3,112	453	1,833	-	2,286	85	60	145	145	72	51	123										
Mullaitivu	2,954	1,781	3,440	8,175	2,914	1,781	3,399	8,094	26	38	-	64	22	33	55										
Batticaloa	10,180	565	17,070	27,815	7,242	480	8,528	16,250	551	233	-	784	469	198	667										
Ampara	49,870	943	4,601	55,414	49,721	715	3,212	53,648	5,030	257	216	5,503	4,930	251	5,392										
Trincomalee	12,464	2,064	6,192	20,720	12,343	2,023	6,111	20,477	37,814	641	-	38,455	37,814	641	-	38,455									
Kurunegala	11,330	23,921	25,790	61,041	11,228	21,456	22,575	55,259	7,293	79	-	7,372	6,199	67	-	6,266									
Puttalam	2,796	5,096	744	8,636	2,707	4,335	610	7,652	7,548	13,961	18,113	39,623	6,416	11,867	15,396	33,679									
Anuradhapura	9,583	6,012	137	15,732	9,428	5,892	84	15,404	1,762	1,015	222	2,999	1,745	1,005	220	2,970									
Polonnaruwa	42,020	1,288	653	43,961	42,020	1,064	449	43,532	2,996	1,248	-	4,244	2,876	1,198	-	4,074									
Badulla	9,509	7,625	1,852	18,986	9,318	7,473	1,815	18,606	34,670	992	4	35,666	33,977	972	4	34,953									
Moneragala	4,404	4,295	3,113	11,812	4,043	2,811	797	7,650	6,745	2,803	12	9,560	6,610	2,747	12	9,369									
Ratnapura	1,704	8,159	5,227	15,090	1,703	8,108	5,193	15,004	1,408	1,408	3,357	11,440	1,379	6,542	3,290	11,211									
Kegalle	-	2,550	8,351	10,301	-	2,548	8,346	10,894	-	-	-	7,410	9,728	-	-	9,684									
Udawalawe	8,884	-	-	8,884	8,884	-	-	8,884	9,023	-	-	9,023	9,023	-	-	9,023									
Mahaweli Ganga area	24,723	-	-	24,723	24,723	-	-	24,723	3,700	-	-	3,700	3,700	-	-	3,700									

Table 5.4(Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown and harvested by irrigation scheme and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1997/98						Yala 1998							
	Cultivated			Harvested			Cultivated			Harvested				
	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total		
Sri Lanka	266,142	147,883	159,823	573,848	261,272	145,044	156,718	563,034	195,098	42,237	37,084	274,419		
Colombo	110	722	4,522	5,354	110	711	4,515	5,337	23	96	320	439		
Gampaha	940	1,470	9,623	12,033	922	1,438	9,442	11,802	207	162	1,100	1,470		
Kalutara	223	1,859	13,912	15,994	214	1,785	13,356	15,355	116	1,332	8,188	9,636		
Kandy	-	-	6,762	6,762	-	-	6,424	6,424	-	-	-	-		
Matabele	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Nuwara Eliya	4,929	911	2	5,842	4,683	865	2	5,550	667	74	741	724		
Galle	3,554	8,291	4,616	16,461	3,485	8,186	4,564	16,235	3,319	3,314	1,231	7,864		
Matara	4,939	7,753	3,585	16,277	4,840	7,598	3,513	15,952	3,016	2,671	371	6,058		
Hambantota	29,680	36,478	2,172	68,330	29,086	35,748	2,128	66,963	11,612	2,527	-	14,139		
Jaffna	9,766	-	-	9,766	9,766	-	-	9,766	7,210	-	-	7,210		
Kilinochchi	25,237	-	-	25,237	25,236	-	-	25,236	5,672	-	-	5,672		
Mannar*	1,967	8,751	5,212	15,930	1,947	8,596	5,125	15,667	1,624	6,821	3,384	11,829		
Vavuniya	11,367	1,194	22,590	35,151	11,293	1,194	22,496	34,983	10,444	567	324	11,334		
Mullaitivu*	5,250	5,550	3,702	14,502	5,197	5,494	3,628	14,319	2,223	1,646	-	3,869		
Batticaloa	12,344	33,289	28,220	73,853	12,097	32,623	27,656	72,376	8,325	9,439	8,783	26,547		
Ampara	5,294	7,143	1,448	13,885	5,221	6,990	1,399	13,609	3,981	813	164	4,958		
Trincomeale*	-	2,252	7,967	10,219	-	2,245	7,948	10,193	-	1,178	4,502	5,680		
Kurunegala	3,922	3,654	9,772	17,348	3,883	3,618	9,674	17,175	3,020	2,613	6,424	12,056		
Puttalam	18,700	4,571	1,378	24,649	18,686	4,550	1,336	24,573	16,699	1,434	655	18,788		
Anuradhapura	52,846	998	4,266	58,110	51,789	978	4,180	56,947	51,797	777	-	52,574		
Pelonnaruwa	14,373	2,822	5,138	22,333	12,540	2,665	4,965	20,171	11,797	125	-	11,922		
Badulla	1,287	2,681	168	4,136	1,222	2,547	160	3,929	920	102	-	1,022		
Moneragala	2,833	1,174	3,440	7,447	2,691	1,115	3,268	7,074	1,295	324	-	1,619		
Ratnapura	1,382	5,076	145	6,603	1,354	4,973	143	6,470	660	2,017	19	2,697		
Kegalle	-	124	17,402	17,526	-	121	17,054	17,175	-	14	1,589	1,603		
Udawalawe	45,032	2,177	979	48,188	44,875	2,143	963	47,981	42,642	994	-	43,636		
Mahaweli "H" area	10,167	8,943	2,803	21,913	10,132	8,859	2,779	21,770	7,828	3,195	32	11,055		
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														266,065

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

* Estimates

Table 5.5 - Paddy: Gross asweddumised extent by irrigation scheme 1973/74 - 1997/98

Cultivation year	Major scheme	Minor scheme	Rainfed	Total	Hectares
1973/74	196,416	168,675	241,326	606,417	
1974/75	202,967	173,236	244,411	620,614	
1975/76	204,800	177,524	247,512	629,836	
1976/77	208,371	180,974	253,516	642,861	
1977/78	216,953	185,435	255,418	657,806	
1978/79	228,378	171,265	253,525	653,168	
1979/80	238,531	167,352	253,081	658,964	
1980/81	245,549	171,066	253,078	669,693	
1981/82	259,177	172,295	255,273	686,745	
1982/83	265,836	175,045	257,730	698,611	
1983/84	268,784	176,235	257,343	702,362	
1984/85	276,376	175,414	254,092	705,882	
1985/86	288,032	176,423	252,730	717,185	
1986/87	292,255	180,997	251,351	724,603	
1987/88	297,762	181,534	248,115	727,411	
1988/89	302,472	180,638	247,512	730,622	
1989/90	307,160	179,235	243,558	729,953	
1990/91	310,479	179,190	242,940	732,609	
1991/92	317,212	178,286	241,506	737,004	
1992/93	317,955	177,757	232,509	728,221	
1993/94	321,332	174,747	235,887	731,966	
1994/95	322,629	174,779	237,047	734,455	
1995/96	323,318	175,215	237,849	736,382	
1996/97	323,799	176,491	237,021	737,311	
1997/98	327,748	175,440	228,348	731,536	

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note: Fluctuation in the asweddumised extent could be attributed to number of reasons
i.e. ; (i) not accounted the land that have not been cultivated for consecutive five years
(ii) land diverted to other purposes
(iii) land affected by sea water intrusion
(iv) inclusion of new land coming under paddy cultivation.

Table 5.6 -Paddy: Gross asweddumised extent by irrigation scheme and district, 1994/95 - 1997/98

Hectares

District	1994/95			1995/96			1996/97			1997/98		
	Major Scheme	Minor Scheme	Total	Major Scheme	Minor Scheme	Total	Major Scheme	Minor Scheme	Total	Major Scheme	Minor Scheme	Total
Sri Lanka	322,629	174,779	734,455	323,318	175,215	736,382	323,799	176,491	737,311	327,748	175,440	731,536
Colombo	94	504	6,751	94	505	6,752	94	505	6,752	113	779	6,615
Gampaha	2,026	2,477	16,522	2,041	2,478	16,670	2,041	2,478	16,670	1,649	1,925	14,914
Kalutara	507	2,349	19,937	508	2,355	19,963	507	2,360	20,002	356	2,009	17,891
Kandy	3,609	7,405	17,878	3,608	7,445	17,998	3,608	7,675	18,112	3,618	7,355	17,408
Matale	4,674	7,588	16,370	4,674	7,558	16,357	4,673	7,584	16,378	5,009	8,149	17,020
Nuwara Eliya	1,222	5,306	6,668	1,222	5,330	6,693	1,222	5,330	6,693	1,382	5,131	6,684
Galle	-	49	21,118	-	49	21,079	-	49	21,205	-	128	19,214
Matara	4,991	4,371	20,326	4,991	4,371	20,325	4,991	4,371	20,325	4,446	3,892	19,253
Hambantota	19,237	5,129	25,966	19,237	5,129	25,965	19,237	5,129	25,965	19,871	5,000	26,313
Jaffna	-	-	12,740	-	-	12,780	-	-	12,334	-	-	12,343
Kilinochchi	11,611	220	22,400	11,628	291	22,488	11,628	291	22,488	11,628	291	22,488
Mannar	14,551	4,318	20,283	14,551	4,318	20,284	14,551	4,318	20,284	14,551	4,348	20,283
Vavuniya	4,302	11,248	19,992	4,302	11,248	19,993	4,302	11,246	19,992	4,301	11,195	19,664
Mullaitivu	5,330	3,206	17,591	5,330	3,206	17,590	5,330	3,206	17,590	5,330	3,206	17,590
Batticaloa	21,225	2,989	56,743	21,296	2,989	56,884	21,308	3,005	56,865	21,308	3,005	56,865
Ambara	58,417	2,787	73,522	58,417	2,792	73,540	58,577	2,793	73,660	59,822	3,425	73,656
Trincomalee	19,344	4,200	41,385	19,344	4,200	41,385	19,344	4,199	41,384	19,344	4,199	41,384
Kurunegala	12,502	34,817	77,092	12,518	34,836	77,143	12,521	34,952	77,323	12,621	33,783	75,439
Puttalam	6,607	8,679	17,426	6,607	8,669	17,416	6,845	9,254	18,351	7,242	9,167	18,561
Anuradhapura	29,696	39,623	71,960	29,696	39,624	71,962	29,696	39,624	71,962	30,263	39,393	72,632
Polonnaruwa	46,845	1,866	49,533	46,864	1,866	49,552	46,864	1,945	49,631	47,941	2,309	51,253
Badulla	9,953	8,846	21,092	10,031	8,850	21,187	10,056	8,970	21,394	10,250	9,221	22,389
Moneragala	5,051	5,439	14,189	5,095	5,452	14,315	5,095	5,476	14,353	5,320	5,996	15,124
Ratnapura	1,939	8,781	16,994	2,052	9,074	17,720	2,096	9,149	17,289	2,117	9,275	16,918
Kegalle	-	2,582	11,081	-	2,582	11,081	-	2,581	11,096	-	2,291	10,369
Udawalawe	13,457	-	13,457	13,455	-	13,455	13,455	-	13,455	13,456	-	13,456
Mahaweli Ganga	25,439	-	25,439	25,756	-	25,756	25,756	-	25,756	25,811	-	25,811

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note- Fluctuation in the asweddumised extent could be attributed to number of reasons

- i.e. (i) not accounted the land that have not been cultivated for consecutive five years
(ii) land diverted to other purposes
(iii) land affected by sea water intrusion
(iv) inclusion of new land coming under paddy cultivation.

Table 5.7 - Paddy: Extent sown by variety of seed, 1989- 1998 maha and yala

Variety and season	1988	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Maha										
New improved	399,801	491,748	352,298	..	449,516	472,153	501,376	452,096	418,447	528,082
Old improved	16,379	14,852	6,392	..	7,160	18,541	14,246	6,156	5,029	3,580
Traditional	30,954	10,576	64,006	..	41,801	47,700	17,540	6,586	7,273	2,431
Total	447,134	517,177	422,696	..	498,477	538,394	533,161	464,838	430,749	534,093
Yala										
New improved	231,435	216,486	..	226,735	251,383	309,315	322,233	237,953	243,661	256,187
Old improved	9,049	7,031	..	2,019	3,122	4,276	3,237	2,327	2,436	2,039
Traditional	12,305	36,140	..	20,573	22,883	19,783	4,836	3,066	1,409	888
Total	252,789	259,657	..	249,327	277,388	333,374	330,306	243,346	247,506	259,114

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Other than

- 1988/89 Maha - Jaffna, Vavuniya and Trincomalee districts.
- 1989 Yala - Jaffna, Vavuniya and Trincomalee districts.
- 1989/90 Maha - Vavuniya and Trincomalee districts.
- 1990 Yala - Trincomalee district.
- 1990/91 Maha - Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu, Ampara, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts.
- 1992 Yala - Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts.
- 1992/93 Maha - Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1993 Yala - Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1993/94 Maha - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Other than

- 1994 Yala - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1994/95 Maha - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1995 Yala - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1995/96 Maha - Jaffna, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1996 Yala - Mannar and Mullaitivu districts.
- 1996/97 Maha - Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1997 Yala - Kilinochchi, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1997/98 Maha - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1998 Yala - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Table 5.8 - Paddy: Extent sown by variety of seed and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

Hectares

District	Maha 1994/95			Yala 1995			Maha 1995/96			Yala 1996					
	New improved	Old improved	Traditional	New improved	Old improved	Traditional	New improved	Old improved	Traditional	New improved	Old improved	Traditional			
Total	501,398	14,249	17,543	533,190	322,233	4,836	330,306	452,096	6,156	6,586	464,838	237,953	2,327	3,066	243,346
Celombo	5,078	351	180	5,609	1,721	196	1,917	4,883	-	476	5,359	916	4	449	1,369
Gampaha	11,977	-	-	11,977	2,903	-	2,903	11,183	6	-	11,189	1,314	28	-	1,342
Katutura	14,922	245	1,542	16,709	11,754	913	13,025	15,206	133	1,157	16,496	10,040	158	1,644	11,842
Kandy	16,058	352	700	17,110	11,878	205	12,191	15,573	374	968	16,915	9,957	142	124	10,223
Matale	14,444	89	428	14,961	4,555	85	4,647	14,060	143	89	14,292	3,706	-	2	3,708
Nuwara Eliya	2,223	3,730	253	6,206	1,644	173	2,946	2,840	3,161	152	6,153	1,045	1,481	1	2,527
Galle	16,521	312	819	17,652	11,540	140	11,932	17,010	5	217	17,232	12,144	18	438	12,600
Matara	18,003	120	-	18,123	15,722	27	15,763	17,671	77	-	17,748	14,988	203	49	15,240
Hambantota	22,000	105	441	22,546	18,637	16	18,653	20,593	27	206	20,826	14,418	-	-	14,418
Jaffna	3,575	2,145	3,534	9,254	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kiinochchi	14,412	-	1,494	15,906	1,950	60	2,350	9,873	206	1,683	11,762	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	7,651	353	-	8,004	885	-	885	6,308	-	-	6,308	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	28,617	30	3,294	31,941	12,344	-	12,395	24,412	-	-	24,412	9,320	25	-	9,345
Ampara	55,302	366	210	55,878	52,050	-	52,050	51,137	141	-	51,278	50,916	122	158	51,196
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	67,074	207	2,279	69,560	50,313	2,406	52,851	61,770	-	1,147	62,917	30,112	-	92	30,204
Puttalam	13,179	-	19	13,198	7,123	-	7,123	11,552	-	333	11,885	1,463	-	-	1,463
Anuradhapura	54,322	4,626	347	59,295	18,939	89	19,028	31,728	910	-	32,638	4,360	-	-	4,360
Polonnaruwa	45,024	-	373	45,397	42,777	15	42,957	44,922	-	11	44,933	31,033	-	44	31,077
Badulla	19,152	963	-	20,115	9,987	678	10,645	18,930	907	-	19,837	10,249	22	-	10,271
Moneragala	11,787	172	1,019	12,978	4,066	3	4,283	12,222	13	-	12,235	4,279	-	-	4,279
Ratnapura	14,510	43	336	14,889	12,391	248	12,639	14,977	-	81	15,058	11,011	99	65	11,175
Kegalle	10,620	17	275	10,912	10,593	49	10,642	10,818	15	66	10,899	7,207	-	-	7,207
Udawalawa	10,080	23	-	10,103	9,713	-	9,713	9,675	38	-	9,713	8,038	25	-	8,063
Mahaweli Ganga	24,867	-	-	24,867	8,768	-	8,768	24,753	-	-	24,753	1,437	-	-	1,437

Table 5.8 (Contd.)- Paddy: Extent sown by variety of seed and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1995/97			Yala 1997			Maha 1997/98			Yala 1998			Total
	New improved	Old improved	Traditional	New improved	Old improved	Traditional	New improved	Old improved	Traditional	New improved	Old improved	Traditional	
Total	418,447	5,029	7,273	430,749	2,436	1,409	528,082	3,580	2,431	256,187	2,039	888	259,114
Colombo	4,641	153	492	5,286	-	-	1,730	27	-	439	-	-	439
Gampaha	12,279	-	-	12,279	-	5	2,299	36	48	1,470	-	-	1,470
Katutura	13,996	294	2,060	16,350	12	208	14,923	-	1,073	9,463	125	48	9,636
Kandy	15,693	287	912	16,892	362	113	16,345	115	-	7,856	8	-	7,864
Matale	14,085	200	-	14,285	29	58	15,822	309	146	5,985	73	-	6,058
Nuwara Eliya	2,367	2,809	487	5,663	1,430	334	3,949	2,403	251	130	1,801	766	2,697
Galle	17,021	192	244	17,457	19	47	17,526	-	-	1,603	-	-	1,603
Matara	17,956	-	90	18,046	106	-	17,296	17	35	12,056	-	-	12,056
Hambantota	18,367	18	-	18,385	-	-	24,574	74	-	18,788	-	-	18,788
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,735	-	27	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	6	-	145	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	2,757	355	-	3,112	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	27,759	56	-	27,815	-	-	35,151	-	-	11,334	-	-	11,334
Ampara	55,414	-	-	55,414	77	-	58,110	-	-	52,574	-	-	52,574
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	58,843	122	2,075	61,040	40	357	73,189	295	369	26,548	-	-	26,548
Puttalam	8,205	-	432	8,637	-	-	13,816	42	28	4,958	-	-	4,958
Anuradhapura	15,700	31	-	15,731	110	-	68,330	-	-	14,125	14	-	14,139
Polonnaruwa	43,873	88	-	43,961	-	-	47,947	-	241	43,635	-	-	43,635
Badulla	18,777	209	-	18,986	210	268	21,717	66	131	11,055	-	-	11,055
Moneragala	11,599	24	189	11,812	35	-	14,487	15	-	3,857	12	-	3,869
Ratnapura	14,999	60	30	15,089	-	-	15,866	64	-	11,829	-	-	11,829
Kegalle	10,509	131	262	10,902	-	19	10,096	41	82	5,600	6	74	5,680
Udawalawa	8,884	-	-	8,884	-	-	9,766	-	-	7,210	-	-	7,210
Mahaweli"Th" area	24,723	-	-	24,723	-	-	25,161	76	-	5,672	-	-	5,672

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note:

* No cultivation during the season.

Table 5.9 - Paddy: Extent sown by method of sowing 1989 - 1998, Maha and Yala

Method of sowing and season	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Maha										
Broadcasting	327,223	401,466	306,965	..	387,674	428,818	441,573	392,313	361,504	473,739
Transplanted in rows	24,421	16,161	11,815	..	25,897	17,962	20,718	7,852	8,697	6,589
Transplanted not in rows	93,124	98,605	102,278	..	80,486	90,020	70,165	63,995	60,070	51,846
Row seeded	2,366	765	1,638	..	4,420	1,595	703	678	478	1,914
Total	447,134	517,177	422,696	..	496,477	538,395	533,159	464,838	430,749	534,088
Yala										
Broadcasting	196,506	191,934	..	210,330	233,034	286,303	290,720	212,490	215,479	239,055
Transplanted in rows	4,277	7,558	..	4,462	8,604	4,542	5,124	1,547	4,360	1,591
Transplanted not in rows	51,436	59,358	..	34,482	35,422	42,157	34,082	28,978	27,349	17,263
Row seeded	570	807	..	52	328	372	380	331	313	1,205
Total	252,789	259,657	..	249,327	277,388	333,374	330,306	243,346	247,501	259,114

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Other than

1988/89 Maha - Jaffna, Vavuniya and Trincomalee districts.

1989 Yala - Vavuniya and Trincomalee districts.

1989/90 Maha - Trincomalee district.

1990 Yala - Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu, Ampara, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts.

1990/91 Maha - Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts.

1992 Yala - Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1992/93 Maha - Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1993 Yala - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1993/94 Maha - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Other than

1994 Yala - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1994/95 Maha - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1995 Yala - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1995/96 Maha - Jaffna, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1996 Yala - Mannar and Mullaitivu districts.

1996/97 Maha - Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1997 Yala - Kilinochchi, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1997/98 Maha - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1998 Yala - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Table 5.10 - Paddy: Extent sown by method of sowing and district, Maha 1994/95 and Yala 1998

District	Maha 1994/95				Yala 1995				Total	
	Broadcasting	Transplanted in rows	Transplanted not in rows	Row seeded	Total	Broadcasting	Transplanted in rows	Transplanted not in rows		Row seeded
	Hectares									
Total	441,573	20,718	70,165	703	533,159	290,720	5,124	34,082	380	330,306
Colombo	5,139	124	255	90	5,608	1,866	-	15	36	1,917
Gampaha	10,735	238	988	16	11,977	2,780	72	51	-	2,903
Kalutara	16,678	15	14	-	16,707	12,797	-	5	223	13,025
Kandy	1,998	1,428	13,628	36	17,090	5,126	358	6,707	-	12,191
Matale	9,986	586	4,388	-	14,960	2,988	33	1,626	-	4,647
Nuwara Eliya	596	17	5,578	14	6,205	365	28	2,553	-	2,946
Galle	17,472	37	-	143	17,652	11,878	54	-	-	11,932
Matara	17,121	260	528	214	18,123	15,170	149	444	-	15,763
Hambantota	22,270	107	169	-	22,546	18,388	79	186	-	18,653
Jaffna	8,604	193	448	8	9,253	*	*	*	*	*
Kilinochchi	14,090	622	1,129	65	15,906	2,206	144	-	-	2,350
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	7,576	405	15	8	8,004	885	-	-	-	885
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	31,587	185	169	-	31,941	12,243	152	-	-	12,395
Ampara	53,686	1,286	906	-	55,878	51,311	157	582	-	52,050
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	50,335	3,170	15,967	88	69,560	46,643	901	5,297	10	52,851
Puttalam	11,258	1,255	674	11	13,198	5,771	1,352	-	-	7,123
Anuradhapura	48,508	8,739	2,046	-	59,293	18,674	205	149	-	19,028
Polonnaruwa	41,055	453	3,889	-	45,397	39,651	2	3,304	-	42,957
Badulla	11,919	862	7,333	-	20,114	6,661	438	3,546	-	10,645
Moneragala	10,697	118	2,163	-	12,978	4,187	18	78	-	4,283
Ratnapura	13,264	221	1,404	-	14,889	9,534	252	2,756	97	12,639
Kegalle	2,763	342	7,795	10	10,910	3,227	647	6,759	9	10,642
Udawalawe	10,048	55	-	-	10,103	9,708	-	-	5	9,713
Mahaewell"Hi" area	24,188	-	679	-	24,867	8,661	83	24	-	8,768

Table 5.10 (Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown by method of sowing and district, Maha 1994/95 and Yala 1998

Hectares

District	Maha 1995/96				Yala 1996					
	Broadcasting	Transplanted in rows	Transplanted not in rows	Row seeded	Total	Broadcasting	Transplanted in rows	Transplanted not in rows	Row seeded	Total
Total	392,313	7,852	63,995	678	464,838	212,490	1,547	28,978	331	243,346
Colombo	5,257	32	70	-	5,359	1,352	2	12	3	1,369
Gampaha	9,770	376	1,006	37	11,189	1,313	3	26	-	1,342
Kalutara	16,447	19	30	-	16,496	11,750	17	75	-	11,842
Kandy	2,550	561	13,776	28	16,915	5,011	309	4,860	43	10,223
Matale	9,882	84	4,310	16	14,292	2,483	-	1,225	-	3,708
Nuwara Eliya	126	198	5,829	-	6,153	241	12	2,274	-	2,527
Galle	17,153	73	-	6	17,232	12,405	128	-	67	12,600
Matara	17,707	-	41	-	17,748	15,042	167	31	-	15,240
Hambantota	20,154	262	410	-	20,826	14,284	134	-	-	14,418
Jaffna	11,640	-	-	122	11,762	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	6,308	-	-	-	6,308	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	24,202	34	176	-	24,412	9,345	-	-	-	9,345
Ampara	50,950	-	328	-	51,278	51,196	-	-	-	51,196
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	47,196	2,229	13,492	-	62,917	22,701	17	7,486	-	30,204
Puttalam	11,122	466	297	-	11,885	1,427	-	36	-	1,463
Anuradhapura	31,959	75	484	120	32,638	4,238	122	-	-	4,360
Polonnaruwa	37,725	665	6,543	-	44,933	27,568	-	3,465	44	31,077
Badulla	12,428	1,609	5,708	92	19,837	6,958	385	2,928	-	10,271
Moneragala	10,313	328	1,594	-	12,235	3,305	50	924	-	4,279
Ratnapura	13,332	187	1,310	229	15,058	9,432	65	1,573	105	11,175
Kegalle	2,407	453	8,030	9	10,899	3,008	111	4,019	69	7,207
Udawalawe	9,641	22	31	19	9,713	7,994	25	44	-	8,063
Mahaweli Ganga area	24,044	179	530	-	24,753	1,437	-	-	-	1,437

Table 5.10 (Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown by method of sowing and district, Maha 1994/95 and Yala 1998

District	Maha 1996/97				Yala 1997				Total	
	Broadcasting	Transplanted in rows	Transplanted not in rows	Row seeded	Total	Broadcasting	Transplanted in rows	Transplanted not in rows		Row seeded
	Hectares									
Total	361,504	8,697	60,070	478	430,749	215,479	4,360	27,349	313	247,501
Colombo	5,222	16	48	-	5,286	1,707	-	22	-	1,729
Gampaha	10,302	405	1,572	-	12,279	2,188	71	39	-	2,298
Kalutara	16,253	-	98	-	16,351	11,506	35	-	-	11,541
Kandy	3,125	777	12,889	101	16,892	3,487	589	7,110	136	11,322
Matale	8,242	414	5,628	-	14,284	2,786	102	1,957	-	4,845
Nuwara Eliya	425	91	5,141	6	5,663	23	58	2,802	-	2,883
Galle	17,388	35	-	35	17,458	9,442	9	9	-	9,460
Matara	17,468	343	235	-	18,046	13,018	2,039	45	-	15,102
Hambantota	18,257	-	129	-	18,386	15,278	15	-	15	15,308
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	3,112	-	-	-	3,112	144	-	-	-	144
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	27,731	83	-	-	27,814	5,503	-	-	-	5,503
Ampara	55,414	-	-	-	55,414	38,455	-	-	-	38,455
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	47,062	1,343	12,574	61	61,040	34,828	674	4,041	79	39,622
Puttalam	8,136	164	337	-	8,637	2,592	27	327	54	3,000
Anuradhapura	14,898	566	189	79	15,732	4,164	81	-	-	4,245
Polonnaruwa	37,894	1,231	4,836	-	43,961	34,703	-	963	-	35,666
Badulla	11,638	2,392	4,955	-	18,985	7,466	153	1,941	-	9,560
Moneragala	10,158	236	1,417	-	11,811	2,520	15	392	-	2,927
Ratnapura	12,781	241	1,871	196	15,089	8,957	297	2,185	-	11,439
Kegalle	2,638	360	7,904	-	10,902	3,989	195	5,516	29	9,729
Udawalawe	8,884	-	-	-	8,884	9,023	-	-	-	9,023
Mahaweli" area	24,476	-	247	-	24,723	3,700	-	-	-	3,700

Table 5.10 (Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown by method of sowing and district, Maha 1994/95 and Yala 1998

Hectares

District	Maha 1997/98				Yala 1998					
	Broadcasting	Transplanted in rows	Transplanted not in rows	Row seeded	Total	Broadcasting	Transplanted in rows	Transplanted not in rows	Row seeded	Total
Total	473,739	6,589	51,846	1,914	534,088	239,055	1,591	17,263	1,205	259,114
Colombo	5,301	37	16	-	5,354	439	-	-	-	439
Gampaha	11,083	180	770	-	12,033	1,453	4	13	-	1,470
Kalutara	15,515	-	-	480	15,995	9,578	58	-	-	9,636
Kandy	6,057	758	9,613	33	16,461	4,043	275	3,499	47	7,864
Matale	10,987	488	4,802	-	16,277	3,956	-	2,102	-	6,058
Nuwara Eliya	759	13	5,824	7	6,603	41	-	2,656	-	2,697
Galle	17,491	-	-	35	17,526	1,593	5	5	-	1,603
Matara	16,931	87	330	-	17,348	12,020	-	36	-	12,056
Hambantota	24,549	99	-	-	24,648	18,788	-	-	-	18,788
Jaffna	6,762	-	-	-	6,762	*	*	*	*	*
Kilinochchi	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mannar	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Vavuniya	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Mullaitivu	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Batticaloa	34,659	492	-	-	35,151	11,334	-	-	-	11,334
Ampara	57,587	-	174	349	58,110	52,574	-	-	-	52,574
Trincomalee	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Kurunegala	61,593	1,625	10,192	443	73,853	24,397	133	1,699	319	26,548
Puttalam	12,885	417	486	97	13,885	4,596	273	89	-	4,958
Anuradhapura	67,374	273	683	-	68,330	14,054	14	71	-	14,139
Polonnaruwa	44,477	145	3,518	48	48,188	43,286	-	349	-	43,635
Badulla	13,893	1,381	6,333	307	21,914	8,888	33	2,023	111	11,055
Moneragala	13,602	29	798	73	14,502	3,869	-	-	-	3,869
Ratnapura	14,878	80	940	32	15,930	8,339	603	2,165	722	11,829
Kegalle	2,432	409	7,367	10	10,218	2,925	193	2,556	6	5,680
Udawalawe	9,766	-	-	-	9,766	7,210	-	-	-	7,210
Mahaewell"i" area	25,160	76	-	-	25,236	5,672	-	-	-	5,672

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note:

* No cultivation during the season

Table 5.11 - Paddy: Extent sown by method of land preparation, 1989 - 1998, maha and yala

Method of land preparation	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Maha										
Mainly by tractor	203,777	273,016	199,594	..	276,271	327,645	336,608	389,089	280,956	386,524
Mainly by buffalo ploughed	235,411	224,839	203,906	..	180,279	184,936	182,548	55,426	135,264	129,732
Tractor, buffalo and maimotied	7,946	19,321	19,188	..	41,927	25,813	13,997	20,323	14,529	17,832
Total	447,134	517,177	422,688	..	498,477	538,394	533,153	464,838	430,749	534,088
Yala										
Mainly by tractor	94,376	102,073	..	118,686	147,930	195,438	204,468	156,622	160,229	183,433
Mainly by buffalo ploughed	151,260	140,379	..	120,755	123,679	118,122	113,197	78,740	75,452	66,323
Tractor, buffalo and maimotied	7,153	17,205	..	9,889	5,780	19,814	11,756	7,984	11,822	9,358
Total	252,789	259,657	..	249,329	277,388	333,374	329,421	243,346	247,503	259,114

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Other than

1988/89 Maha - Jaffna, Vavuniya and Trincomalee districts.

1989 Yala - Vavuniya and Trincomalee districts.

1989/90 Maha - Trincomalee district.

1990 Yala - Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu, Arr para, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts.

1990/91 Maha - Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts.

1992 Yala - Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1992/93 Maha - Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1993 Yala - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1993/94 Maha - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Other than

1994 Yala - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1994/95 Maha - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1995 Yala - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1995/96 Maha - Jaffna, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1996 Yala - Mannar and Mullaitivu districts.

1996/97 Maha - Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1997 Yala - Kilinochchi, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1997/98 Maha - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

1998 Yala - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Table 5.13 - Paddy: Extent sown by method of weeding, use of insecticide and use of fungicide 1989 - 1998, Maha and Yala

Method of land Preparation	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Hectares										
Maha										
Method of weeding										
Hand weeded	135,752	125,191	..	..	141,282	122,602	141,350	115,884	110,994	136,207
Used weedicides	237,163	309,175	..	..	338,457	341,419	333,491	292,721	271,819	352,442
Used water	9,126	14,885	..	..	15,143	13,815	7,930	6,523	7,887	9,660
Un- weeded	65,093	67,926	..	..	3,595	60,558	50,392	49,710	40,049	35,779
Use of insecticide										
Used insecticide	320,517	371,359	..	..	367,197	389,402	401,680	305,270	283,850	413,210
Not used insecticide	126,617	145,818	..	..	131,280	148,993	131,475	159,568	146,899	120,878
Use of fungicide										
Used fungicide	97,631	133,061	..	..	127,509	126,315	144,187	92,818	91,852	153,664
Not used fungicide	349,503	365,416	..	..	370,968	412,080	388,974	372,020	338,897	380,424
Total	447,134	517,177	..	..	498,477	538,394	533,161	464,838	430,749	534,088
Yala										
Method of weeding										
Hand weeded	66,126	70,001	..	66,231	61,641	86,369	78,128	66,300	67,352	74,216
Used weedicides	131,335	135,857	..	142,197	174,853	203,695	206,412	142,246	150,986	161,806
Used water	15,347	10,051	..	5,305	6,351	9,320	6,382	4,863	4,873	7,100
Un- weeded	39,981	43,747	..	35,594	34,542	33,990	39,384	29,937	24,292	15,992
Use of insecticide										
Used insecticide	176,366	162,480	..	172,301	196,711	246,996	253,366	161,335	156,414	187,924
Not used insecticide	76,423	97,177	..	77,028	80,677	86,370	76,940	82,011	91,090	71,189
Use of fungicide										
Used fungicide	61,020	44,265	..	64,510	54,898	66,025	83,876	52,141	50,962	70,972
Not used fungicide	191,769	215,391	..	184,819	222,490	267,349	246,430	191,205	196,542	188,141
Total	252,789	259,656	..	249,329	277,388	333,374	330,306	243,346	247,503	259,113

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Other than

Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Jaffna, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Mannar and Mullaitivu districts.

Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Kilinochchi, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

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Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Table 5.14 - Paddy: Extent sown by method of weeding and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1994/95				Yala 1985				Maha 1995/96				Yala 1996				Total			
	Hand weeded	Used weedicide	Used water	Un-weeded	Hand weeded	Used weedicide	Used water	Un-weeded	Hand weeded	Used weedicide	Used water	Un-weeded	Hand weeded	Used weedicide	Used water	Un-weeded				
																		Total	Total	Total	Total
Total	141,350	333,491	7,930	50,392	55,316	78,128	206,412	6,382	39,384	330,306	115,884	292,721	6,523	49,710	464,838	66,300	142,246	4,863	29,937	243,346
Colombo	589	4,312	124	584	5,608	359	1,194	17	347	1,917	633	3,900	87	739	5,359	161	950	118	140	1,369
Gampaha	2,085	7,988	145	1,760	11,977	476	2,018	12	397	2,903	2,536	6,883	357	1,413	11,189	129	1,066	-	147	1,342
Kalutara	965	11,290	651	3,802	16,708	1,654	6,473	615	4,283	13,025	1,061	9,843	400	5,392	16,496	481	5,636	1,100	4,625	11,842
Kandy	13,364	1,130	105	2,490	17,089	8,830	1,467	294	1,600	12,191	13,722	1,043	88	2,062	16,915	6,836	2,178	84	1,125	10,223
Matale	4,958	7,672	-	2,331	14,963	1,857	1,321	628	841	4,647	3,063	9,492	496	1,241	14,292	1,189	1,968	30	521	3,708
Nuwara Eliya	6,016	189	-	-	6,205	2,912	34	-	-	2,946	5,976	177	-	-	6,153	2,411	116	-	-	2,527
Galle	828	8,883	1,297	6,643	17,552	236	3,987	2,550	5,159	11,932	906	9,613	1,324	5,389	17,232	455	7,781	1,339	3,025	12,600
Matara	2,846	14,688	42	547	18,123	2,684	11,458	60	1,561	15,763	3,194	13,936	216	402	17,748	2,889	11,538	426	387	15,240
Hambantota	2,447	20,087	12	-	22,546	1,232	17,190	-	231	18,653	2,036	18,681	109	-	20,826	2,003	12,327	66	22	14,418
Jaffna	5,703	3,450	100	350	9,253	330	1,870	-	150	2,350	3,588	3,546	-	4,628	11,762	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	4,662	10,895	-	-	15,907	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	767	6,807	172	257	8,004	16	817	26	26	885	434	5,874	-	-	6,308	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaithivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	4,329	26,814	-	798	31,941	814	10,930	-	651	12,385	2,928	20,510	52	922	24,412	1,028	7,351	22	944	9,345
Ampara	39,914	14,938	364	662	55,878	27,214	24,717	-	119	52,050	30,675	20,597	-	6	51,278	30,542	19,446	263	945	51,196
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	18,063	39,086	724	11,687	69,560	11,220	29,180	1,052	11,399	52,851	17,892	30,153	1,059	13,813	62,917	4,813	12,995	103	12,293	30,204
Puttalam	1,248	10,377	-	1,572	13,198	535	6,177	-	411	7,123	982	10,353	33	507	11,885	92	1,324	-	47	1,463
Anuradhapura	3,452	50,669	2,296	2,856	59,294	943	17,747	-	338	19,028	3,537	28,046	31	1,024	32,638	4	4,349	-	7	4,360
Polonnaruwa	4,348	35,590	189	5,270	45,397	2,822	35,230	182	4,723	42,957	2,824	40,248	198	1,663	44,933	779	29,255	859	184	31,077
Badulla	9,400	9,731	-	983	20,115	4,173	6,430	42	7	10,645	7,661	9,816	620	1,740	19,837	5,196	5,046	25	4	10,271
Moneragala	2,851	9,112	244	771	12,978	645	3,608	23	7	4,283	1,013	10,068	175	979	12,235	65	4,182	-	32	4,279
Ratnapura	4,881	7,212	810	1,985	14,889	4,893	6,071	308	1,387	12,639	4,605	7,319	662	2,472	15,058	4,365	4,248	363	2,199	11,175
Kegalle	4,452	1,458	445	4,557	10,911	4,103	1,330	-	5,209	10,642	4,064	1,166	616	5,053	10,899	2,481	1,371	65	3,290	7,207
Udawalawe	853	9,167	5	78	10,103	153	9,282	278	-	9,713	383	9,325	-	5	9,713	263	7,800	-	-	8,063
Mahaweli "H" area	2,330	21,925	204	408	24,867	27	7,881	295	565	8,768	2,161	22,332	-	260	24,753	118	1,319	-	-	1,437

Table 5.14 (Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown by method of weeding and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1994/95				Yala 1997				Maha 1997/98				Yala 1998							
	Hand weeded	Used weedicide	Used water	Un-weeded	Hand weeded	Used weedicide	Used water	Un-weeded	Hand weeded	Used weedicide	Used water	Un-weeded	Hand weeded	Used weedicide	Used water	Un-weeded	Total			
Total	110,994	271,819	7,887	40,049	430,749	67,352	150,986	4,873	24,292	247,503	136,207	352,442	9,660	35,779	534,088	74,216	161,806	7,100	15,992	259,114
Colombo	365	3,636	344	941	5,286	130	1,396	10	194	1,730	589	4,134	21	610	5,354	21	319	-	99	439
Gampaha	1,473	8,423	147	2,235	12,278	349	1,735	71	142	2,297	1,059	9,566	36	1,372	12,033	181	890	15	384	1,470
Kalutara	965	8,208	1,455	5,723	16,351	369	7,271	531	3,370	11,541	1,504	8,253	1,248	4,990	15,995	944	5,021	482	3,189	9,636
Kandy	12,618	1,858	101	2,314	16,891	6,771	2,219	1,415	917	11,322	10,864	3,227	642	1,728	16,461	4,404	2,201	79	1,180	7,864
Matale	4,485	8,028	329	1,443	14,285	2,355	1,933	97	460	4,845	7,634	7,878	195	570	16,277	2,502	3,332	12	212	6,058
Nuwara Eliya	5,504	74	-	85	5,683	2,862	20	-	2,882	9,462	6,015	436	13	139	6,603	2,538	159	-	-	2,697
Galle	1,187	11,330	1,344	3,596	17,457	246	5,724	852	2,640	9,462	1,647	10,831	1,420	3,628	17,526	35	1,058	98	412	1,603
Matara	2,310	15,447	54	235	18,046	1,329	13,184	45	544	15,102	3,244	13,514	87	503	17,348	2,230	9,597	96	133	12,056
Hambantota	2,647	15,517	-	221	18,385	1,393	13,701	-	214	15,308	3,673	20,679	271	25	24,648	1,578	16,045	1,165	-	18,798
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Killinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	1	131	5	7	144	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	243	1,917	871	81	3,112	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yapuna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	2,615	23,058	-	2,142	27,815	462	4,952	-	88	5,502	2,179	31,777	105	1,090	35,151	238	9,384	1,621	91	11,334
Batticaloa	38,014	17,400	-	-	55,414	28,688	9,691	38	38	38,455	48,405	9,473	174	58	58,110	42,532	10,042	-	-	52,574
Ampara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trincomelee	11,048	36,502	2,136	11,354	61,040	4,517	24,606	1,506	8,994	39,623	14,475	48,522	3,545	7,311	73,853	3,982	17,602	265	4,689	26,548
Kurunegala	1,701	6,020	155	760	8,636	288	2,454	54	204	3,000	1,847	11,413	-	625	13,885	892	4,026	10	30	4,958
Puttalam	928	13,765	94	944	15,731	153	3,998	17	76	4,244	5,876	60,131	-	2,323	68,330	636	13,390	-	113	14,139
Anuradhapura	615	41,631	220	1,495	43,961	3,281	32,207	-	178	35,666	2,120	45,490	241	337	48,188	698	40,886	1,440	611	43,635
Pokonnarawe	8,677	10,006	-	304	18,987	3,346	6,147	-	67	9,560	11,636	9,336	285	657	21,914	2,874	6,788	1,150	243	11,055
Badulla	1,819	9,804	35	154	11,812	296	2,578	12	41	2,927	2,001	11,413	247	841	14,502	89	3,486	248	46	3,869
Moniragala	5,930	7,198	513	1,449	15,090	6,475	3,409	172	1,384	11,440	4,205	8,682	908	2,135	15,930	4,862	4,329	12	2,626	11,829
Ranepura	5,309	938	87	4,568	10,902	3,638	1,411	49	4,631	9,729	2,830	859	20	6,509	10,218	2,709	972	176	1,823	5,680
Kegalle	240	8,635	-	9	8,884	370	8,608	-	45	9,023	371	9,395	-	227	9,766	50	7,009	101	50	7,210
Udawalawe	2,299	22,424	-	-	24,723	33	3,612	-	56	3,701	1,943	22,864	202	227	25,236	221	5,270	130	51	5,672
Mahaweli "H" area	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

* No cultivation during the season.

Table 5.15 - Paddy: Extent sown by application of fertilizer 1993 - 1998, Maha and Yala

Type of Fertilizer	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Chemical Fertilizer	473,857	491,967	497,032	430,925	409,804	488,535
Organic Fertilizer	6,767	4,324	3,457	4,176	1,259	2,842
Both Chemical and Organic Fertilizer	10,997	19,589	18,763	16,725	15,273	37,373
None	6,856	22,515	13,909	13,012	4,413	5,338
Total	498,477	538,395	533,161	464,838	430,749	534,088
Yala						
Chemical Fertilizer	256,578	305,036	304,369	230,419	228,481	243,091
Organic Fertilizer	1,046	2,826	2,788	970	2,391	1,435
Both Chemical and Organic Fertilizer	10,857	12,881	13,051	9,701	12,182	11,775
None	8,906	12,631	10,098	2,256	4,449	2,813
Total	277,387	333,374	330,306	243,346	247,503	259,114

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Other than

- 1992/93 Maha - Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1993 Yala - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1993/94 Maha - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1994 Yala - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1994/95 Maha - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1995 Yala - Mannar, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Other than

- 1995/96 Maha - Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1996 Yala - Mannar and Mullaitivu districts.
- 1996/97 Maha - Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1997 Yala - Kilinochchi, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1997/98 Maha - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.
- 1998 Yala - Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

Table 5.16 - Paddy: Extent sown by type of fertilizer used and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1994/95						Yala 1995									
	Total sown area	Chemical fertilizer only		Organic fertilizer only	Both chemical & organic		Total sown area	Chemical fertilizer only		Organic fertilizer only	Both chemical & organic		None			
		Area	%		Area	%		Area	%		Area	%		Area	%	
Total	533,161	497,032	93	3,457	1	18,763	3	330,306	304,369	92	2,788	1	13,051	4	10,098	3
Colombo	5,608	5,079	91	36	1	471	8	1,917	1,698	89	-	-	58	3	161	8
Gampaha	11,977	10,265	86	150	1	143	1	2,903	2,888	100	-	-	3	-	12	-
Kalutara	16,708	15,712	94	538	3	149	1	13,025	12,029	92	9	-	284	2	703	5
Kandy	17,089	13,708	80	170	1	2,441	14	12,191	8,955	74	285	2	1,968	16	983	8
Matale	14,960	14,435	97	215	1	202	1	4,647	4,166	90	29	1	399	8	53	1
Nuwara Eliya	6,205	4,566	74	56	1	1,578	25	2,946	2,094	71	-	-	850	29	2	-
Galle	17,652	16,280	92	6	-	705	4	11,932	10,830	91	210	2	277	2	615	5
Matara	18,123	17,091	94	44	-	467	3	15,763	14,796	94	-	-	2	-	965	6
Hambantota	22,546	21,757	96	103	1	676	3	18,653	18,334	98	98	1	-	-	221	1
Jaffna	9,253	1,987	22	496	5	6,376	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	15,907	14,494	91	439	3	490	3	2,350	1,757	75	41	2	-	-	552	23
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yavuniye	8,004	7,584	95	-	-	197	2	885	885	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	31,941	31,585	99	162	-	163	1	12,395	12,260	99	-	-	135	1	-	-
Ampara	55,878	55,093	98	225	-	290	1	52,050	49,906	96	467	1	1,677	3	-	-
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	69,560	64,940	93	161	-	322	1	52,851	47,423	90	128	-	2,527	5	2,773	5
Puttalam	13,198	12,482	95	-	-	-	-	7,123	7,053	99	-	-	-	-	70	1
Anuradhapura	59,294	58,147	98	39	-	40	-	19,028	17,957	94	37	-	516	3	518	3
Polonnaruwa	45,397	45,012	99	210	1	29	-	42,957	40,877	95	209	1	-	-	1,871	4
Badulla	20,115	17,012	85	70	-	1,587	8	10,645	8,535	80	31	-	1,817	17	262	3
Moneragala	12,978	12,485	96	-	-	227	2	4,283	4,221	99	-	-	-	-	62	1
Ratnapura	14,889	13,682	92	281	2	659	4	12,639	11,743	93	95	1	707	6	94	1
Kegalle	10,911	9,409	86	44	-	1,384	13	10,642	8,147	77	1,149	11	1,301	12	45	-
Udawalawe	10,103	9,428	93	13	-	102	1	9,713	9,101	94	-	-	476	5	136	1
Mahaewell "H" Area	24,867	24,800	100	-	-	67	-	8,768	8,714	99	-	-	54	1	-	-

Table 5.16 (Contd) - Paddy: Extent sown by type of fertilizer used and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

Table 5.16 (Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown by type of fertilizer used and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1995/96						Yala 1996											
	Total sown area	Chemical fertilizer only		Both chemical & organic		None	Total sown area	Chemical fertilizer only		Organic fertilizer only		Both chemical & organic		None				
		Area	%	Area	%			Area	%	Area	%	Area	%		Area	%		
Total	464,838	430,925	93	4,176	1	16,725	4	13,012	3	243,346	230,419	95	970	-	9,701	4	2,256	1
Colombo	5,359	5,212	97	35	1	-	-	112	2	1,369	1,315	96	2	-	4	-	48	4
Gampaha	11,189	9,786	87	10	-	1,022	9	371	3	1,342	1,322	99	-	-	-	-	20	1
Kelutara	16,496	15,858	96	95	1	271	2	272	2	11,842	11,401	96	33	-	264	2	144	1
Kandy	16,915	15,244	90	393	2	1,017	6	261	2	10,223	8,833	86	16	-	1,293	13	81	1
Matale	14,292	13,854	97	3	-	358	3	77	1	3,708	3,645	98	1	-	35	1	27	1
Nuwara Eliya	6,153	4,733	77	66	1	1,352	22	2	-	2,527	1,855	73	-	-	672	27	-	-
Galle	17,232	15,948	93	161	1	725	4	398	2	12,600	11,833	94	22	-	584	5	161	1
Matara	17,748	17,183	97	2	-	142	1	421	2	15,240	14,964	98	-	-	212	1	64	-
Hambantota	20,826	20,490	98	185	1	151	1	-	-	14,418	12,775	89	136	1	1,481	10	26	-
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	11,762	8,116	69	878	7	197	2	2,571	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	6,308	1,916	30	-	-	4,392	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	24,412	23,415	96	109	-	888	4	-	-	9,345	9,232	99	10	-	74	1	29	-
Ampara	51,278	49,596	97	314	1	597	1	771	2	51,196	49,441	97	317	1	1,043	2	395	1
Trincomalée	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	62,917	58,424	93	851	1	1,358	2	2,284	4	30,204	29,409	97	47	-	348	1	400	1
Puttalam	11,885	10,267	86	112	1	854	7	652	5	1,463	1,044	71	16	1	398	27	5	-
Anuradhapura	32,638	30,368	93	-	-	186	1	2,084	6	4,360	4,338	99	-	-	11	-	11	-
Polonnaruwa	44,933	44,480	99	-	-	194	-	259	1	31,077	31,010	100	-	-	67	-	-	-
Badulla	19,837	18,158	92	-	-	1,032	5	647	3	10,271	8,455	82	47	-	1,707	17	62	1
Moneragala	12,235	10,676	87	558	5	27	-	974	8	4,279	3,997	93	-	-	49	1	233	5
Ratnapura	15,058	13,666	91	306	2	644	4	442	3	11,175	10,309	92	1	-	571	5	294	3
Kegalle	10,899	9,317	85	60	1	1,262	12	260	2	7,207	5,852	81	287	4	802	11	256	4
Udawalawe	9,713	9,552	98	38	-	56	1	67	1	8,063	7,962	99	25	-	76	1	-	-
Mahaweli "Th" Area	24,753	24,666	100	-	-	-	-	87	-	1,437	1,427	99	-	-	10	1	-	-

Table 5.16 (Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown by type of fertilizer used and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1996/97						Yala 1997											
	Total sown area	Chemical fertilizer only		Organic fertilizer only	Both chemical & organic		None	Total sown area	Chemical fertilizer only		Organic fertilizer only	Both chemical & organic		None				
		Area	%		Area	%			Area	%		Area	%		Area	%	Area	%
Total	430,749	409,804	95	1,259	-	15,273	4	4,413	1	247,503	228,481	92	2,391	1	12,182	5	4,449	2
Colombo	5,286	4,963	94	-	-	285	5	37	1	1,730	1,647	95	14	1	64	4	5	-
Gampaha	12,279	11,714	95	25	-	479	4	61	-	2,298	2,213	96	-	-	57	2	28	1
Kalutara	16,351	16,073	98	49	-	147	1	82	1	11,541	11,483	99	12	-	35	-	12	-
Kandy	16,892	14,476	86	135	1	1,926	11	355	2	11,322	7,314	65	600	5	3,102	27	306	3
Matale	14,285	13,542	95	-	-	729	5	14	-	4,845	4,506	93	-	-	141	3	199	4
Nuwara Eliya	5,662	4,519	80	-	-	1,127	20	17	-	2,882	2,098	73	-	-	784	27	-	-
Galle	17,458	16,009	92	-	-	1,047	6	402	2	9,461	8,771	93	9	-	568	6	114	1
Matara	18,046	17,035	94	18	-	812	4	180	1	15,102	14,090	93	362	2	483	3	166	1
Hambantota	18,385	17,723	96	147	1	515	3	-	-	15,309	14,069	92	536	4	597	4	107	1
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavunya	3,112	2,172	70	34	1	367	12	538	17	144	13	9	-	-	124	86	7	5
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	27,814	27,620	99	-	-	195	1	-	-	5,503	5,503	100	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ampara	55,414	55,137	100	-	-	277	-	-	-	38,455	37,917	99	-	-	154	-	385	1
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	61,041	59,393	97	305	-	610	1	732	1	39,623	35,621	90	357	1	1,585	4	2,060	5
Puttalam	8,637	6,987	81	130	2	1,486	17	35	-	3,000	2,457	82	-	-	351	12	192	6
Anuradhapura	15,731	15,322	97	16	-	16	-	378	2	4,244	4,202	99	-	-	30	1	13	-
Polonnaruwa	439,621	43,873	10	-	-	-	-	88	-	35,666	35,595	100	-	-	71	-	-	-
Badulla	18,986	15,568	82	76	-	2,905	15	437	2	9,560	7,868	82	57	1	1,644	17	-	-
Moneragala	11,812	11,174	95	71	1	390	3	177	1	2,926	2,918	100	9	-	-	-	-	-
Ratnapura	15,090	13,943	92	166	1	317	2	664	4	11,440	10,536	92	309	3	-	-	595	5
Kegalle	10,901	9,255	85	87	1	1,493	14	65	1	9,728	7,218	74	126	1	2,121	22	263	3
Udawalawe	8,884	8,706	98	-	-	27	-	151	2	9,023	8,752	97	-	-	271	3	-	-
Mahaweli "H" Area	24,723	24,588	99	-	-	124	1	-	-	3,700	3,700	100	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 5.16 (Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown by type of fertilizer used and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

Table 5.16 (Contd.) - Paddy: Extent sown by type of fertilizer used and district, Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1997/98						Yala 1998										
	Total sown area	Chemical fertilizer only		Both chemical & organic		None	Total sown area	Chemical fertilizer only		Organic fertilizer only		Both chemical & organic		None			
		Area	%	Area	%			Area	%	Area	%	Area	%		Area	%	
Total	534,088	488,535	91	2,842	1	37,373	7	5,338	1	243,091	94	1,435	1	11,775	5	2,813	1
Colombo	5,354	5,182	97	27	1	134	3	11	-	411	94	-	-	-	-	28	6
Gampaha	12,033	11,732	98	-	-	60	1	241	2	1,418	97	-	-	18	1	34	2
Kalutara	15,995	15,387	97	224	1	336	2	48	-	8,692	90	780	8	-	-	164	2
Kandy	16,461	13,301	81	230	1	2,749	17	181	1	6,582	84	39	1	1,156	15	87	1
Matale	16,277	15,203	93	130	1	814	5	130	1	5,568	92	6	-	454	8	30	1
Nuwara Eliya	6,603	5,382	82	13	-	1,149	17	59	1	2,363	88	-	-	334	12	-	-
Galle	17,526	15,581	88	-	-	1,577	10	368	2	1,508	94	8	1	58	4	29	2
Matara	17,348	15,128	88	52	-	2,064	12	104	1	11,261	94	12	-	723	6	60	1
Hambantota	24,648	21,838	89	271	1	2,539	10	-	-	16,628	89	19	-	2,085	11	56	-
Jaffna	6,762	74	1	-	-	6,688	99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	35,151	34,062	97	808	2	176	1	105	-	10,983	97	-	-	204	2	147	1
Ampara	58,110	57,064	98	58	-	988	2	-	-	51,943	99	-	-	473	1	158	-
Trincomalee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegale	73,853	67,798	92	295	-	5,465	7	295	-	24,503	92	133	1	717	3	1,195	5
Puttalam	13,885	12,691	91	125	1	764	6	305	2	4,635	94	20	-	263	5	40	1
Anuradhapura	68,330	66,758	98	-	-	1,230	2	342	1	14,012	100	28	-	57	-	42	-
Polonnaruwa	48,188	44,477	93	-	-	3,566	7	145	-	41,715	96	131	-	1,440	3	349	1
Badulla	21,914	16,961	78	88	-	2,849	13	2,016	9	9,220	84	22	-	1,791	16	22	-
Moneragala	14,502	12,935	89	-	-	740	5	827	6	3,818	99	-	-	8	-	43	1
Ratnapura	15,930	15,389	97	143	1	350	2	48	-	11,285	95	106	1	154	1	284	2
Kegalle	10,218	7,776	76	225	2	2,105	21	112	1	4,311	76	131	2	1,193	21	45	1
Udawalawe	9,766	9,063	92	-	-	703	8	-	-	6,676	93	-	-	534	7	-	-
Mahaweli "H" Area	25,236	24,757	98	151	1	328	1	-	-	5,559	98	-	-	113	2	-	-

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

* No cultivation during the season.

Table 5.17 - Cultivated extent of Highland crops by district, Maha 1996/97 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1996/97														Hectares			
	Kurakkan	Maize	Meneri	Sorgham	Green Gram	Cow Pea	Dhall	Gingelly	Ground Nuts	Manioc	Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	Chillies (Green)	Mustard		Red Onions	Big Onions	Ginger (Raw)	Tumeric (Raw)
Sri Lanka	4,734	23,824	119	174	11,680	12,389	21	3,171	6,330	16,641	5,052	3,946	16,434	378	3,414	101	1,490	1,299
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	372	65	-	50	-	-	-	81	25
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1,076	289	-	91	-	-	-	278	196
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	667	304	-	52	-	-	-	100	54
Kandy	203	131	-	-	42	36	-	2	-	446	224	30	211	1	25	-	198	225
Matale	474	822	-	3	217	268	-	259	123	609	248	5	716	28	59	25	57	99
Nuwara Eliya	310	332	-	-	18	47	-	-	-	242	136	1,285	193	25	294	-	62	90
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	524	270	-	34	-	-	-	45	38
Matara	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	437	218	-	91	-	-	-	80	84
Hambantota	881	658	71	78	3,025	847	-	721	611	1,041	338	-	1,081	-	146	-	15	13
Jaffna	18	-	-	-	86	67	-	92	8	268	3	134	306	-	613	-	-	-
Kilinochchi *	19	51	-	-	145	72	-	99	136	127	17	4	1,012	-	66	-	-	-
Mannar	2	15	-	-	50	20	-	126	13	82	7	5	250	-	25	3	-	-
Vavuniya	20	98	-	-	86	198	-	51	191	42	10	-	342	-	28	-	-	-
Mullaitivu *	-	5	-	-	122	109	-	-	808	70	-	-	136	-	131	-	-	-
Batticaloa	27	452	-	8	83	70	-	26	187	698	68	-	145	-	37	1	2	52
Ampara	219	6,307	-	-	550	4,372	-	28	192	1,218	421	-	473	-	422	-	-	-
Trincomalee *	18	454	-	-	48	87	-	7	255	347	118	-	254	-	422	-	-	-
Kurunegala	142	638	-	-	1,191	1,003	-	12	551	1,495	363	-	812	-	130	8	327	149
Puttalam	73	347	-	-	749	836	-	190	581	660	130	-	633	134	549	-	17	2
Anuradhapura	947	6,842	-	-	664	1,692	-	312	172	1,049	261	-	6,325	160	115	25	-	4
Polonnaruwa	69	309	-	-	155	212	3	41	219	676	131	-	335	11	39	25	-	-
Badulla	242	3,312	-	1	141	289	6	249	3	1,013	309	2,471	531	12	71	8	4	1
Monaragala	710	2,484	21	1	3,637	1,804	-	875	1,799	1,047	117	-	794	2	256	6	-	-
Ratnapura	333	226	27	83	590	251	12	76	489	1,511	659	8	395	5	404	-	27	24
Kegalle	-	-	-	-	7	4	-	-	-	888	345	-	81	-	-	-	197	243
Mahaweli G'Area	23	341	-	-	69	105	-	5	5	36	1	-	1,091	-	4	-	-	-

Table 5.17(Contd.) - Cultivated extent of highland crops by district, Maha 1996/97 - Yala 1998

District	Yala 1997														Hectares	
	Kurakkan	Maize	Meniri	Sorgham	Green Gram	Cow Pea	Dhall	Gingelly	Ground Nuts	Mandoc	Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	Chillies (Green)	Mustard		Red Onions
Sri Lanka	828	1,972	75	32	4,956	3,820	17	8,580	2,717	12,214	3,913	2,523	7,704	41	3,037	2,855
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	323	56	-	35	-	-	-
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,266	307	-	105	-	-	-
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	648	274	-	41	-	-	-
Kandy	34	55	-	-	47	30	-	1	2	391	248	3	267	-	49	1
Matale	36	66	-	-	136	144	-	146	41	452	238	5	645	9	43	1,038
Nuwara-Eliya	17	210	-	-	11	33	-	6	-	166	76	231	175	7	263	-
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	507	227	-	27	-	-	-
Matara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	418	194	-	101	-	-	-
Hambantota	163	153	27	19	860	233	-	180	242	761	249	-	674	-	82	-
Jaffna	174	-	2	-	72	36	-	17	15	234	25	-	248	-	579	-
Kilinochchi	8	-	-	-	30	28	-	22	84	58	3	-	12	-	102	65
Mannar	-	3	-	-	10	9	-	86	47	37	4	-	45	-	19	2
Vavuniya	-	-	-	-	8	11	-	306	63	12	-	-	156	-	142	30
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	18	24	-	-	120	114	-	-	298	-	105	15
Batticaloa	8	53	-	2	20	19	-	7	66	384	42	-	100	-	155	-
Ampara	32	213	-	-	174	1,010	-	6	52	473	83	-	214	-	26	11
Trincmalee	-	21	-	-	30	18	-	5	20	142	14	-	98	-	201	8
Kurunegala	35	187	-	-	1,036	713	-	799	544	1,553	354	-	1,096	-	142	136
Puttalam	17	53	-	-	272	212	-	185	419	437	93	-	246	3	642	-
Anuradhapura	28	202	-	-	143	254	-	5,907	28	185	46	-	866	13	66	538
Polonnaruwa	5	123	-	-	205	129	-	46	274	520	69	-	320	-	72	349
Badulla	41	286	-	-	779	206	6	149	56	569	178	2,274	280	8	79	9
Monaragala	41	197	25	7	368	376	1	510	384	269	65	-	323	-	74	32
Retnapura	188	76	21	4	550	170	10	109	255	1,406	768	10	305	1	187	-
Kegalle	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	886	300	-	80	-	-	-
Mahaweli 'A' Area	1	74	-	-	183	165	-	93	5	3	-	-	947	-	9	621

Table 5.17(Contd.) - Cultivated extent of highland crops by district, Maha 1996/97 - Yala 1998

Hectares

District	Maha 1997/98																	
	Kurakkan	Maize	Meneri	Sorgham	Green Gram	Cow Pea	Dhall	Gingelly	Ground Nuts	Mantoc	Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	Chillies (Green)	Mustard	Red Onion	Big Onion	Ginger (Raw)	Tumeric (Raw)
Sri Lanka	5,091	27,531	116	68	13,487	10,086	28	3,392	7,289	17,565	4,663	1,437	14,906	278	2,720	87	1,550	1,235
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	55	-	36	-	-	-	79	21
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,104	246	-	72	-	-	-	314	170
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	636	291	-	53	-	-	-	98	51
Kandy	206	455	-	-	20	25	-	21	-	420	189	8	221	1	25	-	160	188
Matale	506	851	-	1	179	213	-	248	135	594	204	1	611	27	51	6	51	115
Nuwara Eliya	271	265	-	-	2	28	-	-	-	280	112	496	169	17	192	-	77	80
Galle	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	482	237	-	31	-	-	-	45	37
Matara	5	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	372	177	-	88	-	-	-	71	78
Hambantota	841	994	57	56	4,456	1,423	-	1,061	992	1,034	321	-	1,276	-	92	-	13	12
Jaffna	18	1	-	-	80	51	-	88	12	300	2	117	321	-	427	-	-	-
Kiilinochchi	19	51	-	-	145	72	-	99	136	127	17	4	1,012	-	66	-	-	-
Mannar	-	12	-	-	33	10	-	154	284	125	11	13	281	-	20	-	-	-
Mannar	18	82	-	-	48	34	-	15	154	40	1	-	107	-	30	-	-	-
Yavuniya	-	5	-	-	122	109	-	-	808	70	-	-	136	-	28	-	-	-
Mullathivu	32	476	-	8	91	43	-	26	230	723	66	-	148	-	117	-	-	-
Batticaloa	279	6,851	-	-	584	1,481	-	35	302	1,270	220	-	507	-	28	2	1	51
Ampara	72	537	-	-	153	94	-	12	313	608	123	-	307	1	201	-	1	-
Trincomalee	253	1,112	-	-	1,844	1,448	-	98	773	1,765	440	-	733	-	89	6	359	115
Kurunegala	83	378	-	-	777	920	-	230	647	594	141	-	465	48	407	-	16	3
Puttalam	1,082	7,273	-	-	617	1,737	-	352	244	1,043	256	-	5,679	157	91	28	-	5
Anuradhapura	43	387	-	-	129	151	1	17	304	831	110	-	271	8	33	45	-	-
Polonnaruwa	255	3,630	-	-	179	345	26	-	83	1,153	297	796	567	11	109	-	-	-
Badulla	750	3,305	30	-	3,443	1,495	1	837	1,437	1,368	189	-	1,143	1	225	-	-	-
Moneragala	300	326	29	3	489	223	-	95	424	1,346	635	2	361	7	485	-	34	28
Ratnapura	1	1	-	-	10	5	-	-	-	869	312	-	86	-	-	-	231	281
Kegalle	57	539	-	-	80	179	-	4	11	61	11	-	225	-	4	-	-	-
Mahaweli Ganga Area																		

Table 5.17(Contd.) - Cultivated extent of highland crops by district, Maha 1996/97 - Yala 1998

District	Yala 1998													Hectares		
	Kurakkan	Maize	Menei	Sorgham	Green Gram	Cow Pea	Dhal	Gingelly	Ground Nuts	Mamoc	Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	Chillies (Green)		Mustard	Red Onions	Big Onion
Sri Lanka	951	2,259	97	38	4,022	4,741	-	6,963	2,817	12,499	3,993	891	6,726	47	2,941	1,326
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	323	53	-	36	-	-	-
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,140	251	-	90	-	-	-
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	618	263	-	41	-	-	-
Kandy	34	53	-	-	37	26	-	1	-	348	219	-	172	-	8	-
Matale	47	82	-	-	141	156	-	119	82	446	219	2	716	6	47	584
Nuwara Eliya	145	187	-	-	2	26	-	5	-	206	88	260	164	7	169	-
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	490	206	-	30	-	-	-
Matara	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	357	194	-	104	-	-	-
Hambantota	117	138	2	-	478	187	-	188	198	695	234	-	488	-	80	-
Jaffna	163	-	-	-	61	34	-	9	12	233	22	-	237	-	535	-
Kilinochchi *	8	-	-	-	30	28	-	22	84	58	3	-	10	-	102	5
Mannar	1	4	-	-	11	6	-	9	47	32	2	-	68	-	20	1
Vavuniya	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	333	68	19	-	-	68	-	161	27
Mullaithivu	-	-	-	-	18	24	-	-	120	114	-	-	213	-	105	15
Batticaloa	6	61	-	1	19	19	-	6	62	408	41	-	110	-	153	-
Ampara	40	142	-	-	130	1,996	-	5	43	720	80	-	187	-	17	10
Trincomalee	33	249	2	15	56	47	-	19	240	384	218	-	204	4	221	2
Kurunegala	41	125	-	-	780	590	-	462	503	1,550	353	-	762	-	199	55
Puttalam	19	16	-	-	372	348	-	209	348	516	83	-	349	4	733	-
Anuradhapura	36	227	-	-	118	255	-	4,679	34	203	52	-	922	16	50	252
Polonnaruwa	13	135	-	-	140	117	-	19	265	500	63	-	197	1	29	55
Badulla	19	371	-	-	643	143	-	214	43	495	176	629	238	5	89	3
Moneragala	36	186	25	-	287	264	-	425	347	416	113	-	379	-	54	2
Ratnapura	175	119	49	21	482	201	-	134	310	1,335	756	-	284	4	154	-
Kegalle	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	864	298	-	85	-	-	-
Mahaweli Ganga Area	16	164	-	-	201	273	-	105	11	29	6	-	572	-	15	315

* Estimates

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Production

Table 5.18 - Volume index of agriculture and livestock production, 1988/89 - 1997/98

Year	(Base: 1977 - 79 = 100)										
	1988/89	1989/90	1990/91	1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98 *	
Tea	100.61	113.33	117.26	87.12	112.94	117.98	119.80	125.88	133.67	136.41	
Rubber	73.07	73.77	68.55	70.06	68.77	69.30	69.30	74.25	71.13	63.04	
Coconut	116.01	118.30	102.04	107.27	102.79	121.94	123.71	118.95	126.15	119.65	
Paddy	112.87	138.84	130.62	128.02	140.60	146.78	153.68	112.75	122.48	147.25	
Highland crops	137.65	174.39	170.79	134.65	151.16	149.92	141.03	130.32	121.31	103.62	
Livestock	140.67	137.25	143.55	144.52	147.85	149.18	148.68	145.72	143.14	145.80	
Minor export crops	101.21	112.02	123.07	132.84	157.66	158.88	168.17	172.73	174.45	171.25	
Overall index	115.43	131.57	130.00	119.08	132.14	135.91	137.44	125.11	127.64	131.58	

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

* Provisional

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Table 5.19 - Production of crops 1989 - 1998

Crop	Metric tons									
	1989	1990(1)	1991(2)	1992(3)	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Tea	206,987	233,165	240,747	178,870	231,871	242,214	245,961	258,427	276,861	280,056
Rubber	110,968	113,096	103,854	106,150	104,200	105,301	106,717	112,490	105,783	95,710
Coconut(Million Nuts)	2,484	2,532	2,184	2,296	2,164	2,622	2,755	2,546	2,631	2,565
Cinnamon	10,200	10,530	9,900	10,500	12,200	11,900	11,800	11,970	12,170	11,740
Coffee	6,800	7,600	7,900	8,700	10,900	11,050	11,510	11,760	11,350	10,500
Cocoa	3,900	4,200	4,700	4,100	3,400	3,410	3,600	3,650	3,700	3,760
Pepper	8,500	8,700	9,900	10,900	14,100	14,710	16,120	16,890	17,270	17,810
Cardamom	300	500	800	1,000	1,000	1,070	1,120	1,210	1,170	1,190
Paddy										
Cult. Year Total	2,063,000	2,538,000	2,389,000	2,339,700	2,570,170	2,683,690	2,809,890	2,061,520	2,239,370	2,692,335
Maha	1,342,000	1,647,000	1,554,000	1,630,000	1,692,000	1,670,220	1,751,050	1,331,260	1,457,062	1,781,048
Yala	721,000	891,000	835,000	709,700	878,170	1,013,470	1,048,840	730,260	782,308	911,287
Kurakkan										
Cult. Year Total	7,000	7,000	6,600	5,000	7,000	6,670	4,880	3,910	3,500	4,390
Maha	6,400	6,500	6,000	4,200	5,900	5,680	4,090	3,400	2,990	3,800
Yala	600	500	600	800	1,100	990	790	510	510	590
Maize										
Cult. Year Total	30,600	31,400	33,500	28,700	32,600	31,590	34,840	32,960	25,690	33,870
Maha	29,300	29,900	32,500	27,700	31,100	29,970	33,340	31,430	23,630	31,450
Yala	1,300	1,500	1,000	1,000	1,500	1,620	1,500	1,530	2,060	2,420
Mexeri										
Cult. Year Total	200	1,100	1,100	200	400	400	260	200	110	135
Maha	100	200	200	100	300	170	120	120	70	70
Yala	100	900	900	100	100	230	140	80	40	65
Sorghum										
Cult. Year Total	30	50	80	100	80	100	220	200	190	75
Maha	30	50	50	90	50	60	200	180	170	40
Yala	-	-	30	10	30	40	20	20	20	35
Green Gram										
Cult. Year Total	20,400	26,500	26,600	23,100	21,000	19,030	16,010	16,580	15,000	15,650
Maha	12,100	18,600	19,700	18,400	15,500	13,840	11,350	12,110	10,960	12,240
Yala	8,300	7,900	6,900	4,700	5,500	5,190	4,660	4,470	4,040	3,410
Cowpea										
Cult. Year Total	19,000	21,900	22,400	17,500	19,400	18,600	16,110	17,000	13,980	13,400
Maha	11,900	15,900	16,200	12,500	14,700	13,790	11,740	11,890	10,500	9,130
Yala	7,100	6,000	6,200	5,000	4,700	4,810	4,370	5,110	3,480	4,270
Dhall										
Cult. Year Total	30	30	40	20	60	70	30	50	30	30
Maha	-	-	10	10	50	60	20	20	20	30
Yala	30	30	30	10	10	10	10	30	10	-
Gingelly										
Cult. Year Total	4,600	4,500	5,400	4,700	7,000	4,640	4,500	3,820	6,630	5,720
Maha	1,300	1,300	1,900	1,200	3,500	1,440	1,460	1,610	1,860	2,090
Yala	3,300	3,200	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,200	3,040	2,210	4,770	3,630

Table 5.19(Contd.) - Production of crops 1989 - 1998

Crop	Metric tons									
	1989	1990(1)	1991(2)	1992(3)	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Ground Nuts										
Cult. Year Total	7,400	5,500	4,300	3,200	5,400	5,630	5,910	5,120	5,260	6,260
Maha	5,200	3,300	2,800	2,100	3,300	3,490	4,170	3,720	3,600	4,500
Yala	2,200	2,200	1,500	1,100	2,100	2,140	1,740	1,400	1,660	1,760
Manioc										
Cult. Year Total	420,800	354,000	358,800	302,200	309,000	298,400	288,930	270,600	249,780	257,160
Maha	250,600	207,600	215,100	178,800	181,000	174,800	167,650	160,330	143,420	151,030
Yala	170,200	146,400	143,700	123,400	128,000	123,600	121,280	110,270	106,360	106,130
Sweet Potatoes										
Cult. Year Total	86,000	75,400	73,300	60,100	57,100	62,100	61,900	58,820	54,130	52,490
Maha	47,000	40,700	39,600	31,700	24,600	31,910	32,510	31,090	31,030	28,800
Yala	39,000	34,700	33,700	28,400	32,500	30,190	29,390	27,730	23,100	23,690
Potatoes										
Cult. Year Total	83,500	87,200	66,700	78,500	78,200	79,390	81,650	100,760	66,490	25,900
Maha	35,700	51,400	33,700	37,300	40,200	41,140	42,760	66,240	41,000	16,400
Yala	47,800	35,800	33,000	41,200	38,000	38,250	38,890	34,520	25,490	9,500
Chillies (Green)										
Cult. Year Total	67,900	95,000	99,500	75,800	94,700	93,660	85,370	73,610	72,230	62,470
Maha	29,100	41,300	38,200	43,500	55,900	55,980	53,170	45,240	49,710	44,580
Yala	38,800	53,700	61,300	32,300	38,800	37,680	32,200	28,370	22,520	17,890
Mustard										
Cult. Year Total	810	960	950	620	640	750	540	550	310	250
Maha	800	900	900	600	600	720	500	520	250	200
Yala	10	60	50	20	40	30	40	30	60	50
Red Onions										
Cult. Year Total	71,900	52,600	41,600	54,500	47,600	48,230	48,390	43,930	44,800	38,040
Maha	35,500	33,000	25,900	28,500	22,900	24,360	23,510	23,150	23,800	17,680
Yala	36,400	19,600	15,700	26,000	24,700	23,870	24,880	20,780	21,000	20,360
Big Onions										
Cult. Year Total	5,400	15,350	14,020	27,880	28,790	34,720	29,720	19,070	29,140	17,440
Maha	400	50	400	800	600	1,880	610	510	570	330
Yala	5,000	15,300	13,620	27,080	28,190	32,840	29,110	18,560	28,570	17,110
Ginger (raw)										
Cult. Year Total	12,100	9,400	7,600	5,100	3,200	5,800	5,880	5,910	5,720	5,540
Maha	12,100	9,400	7,600	5,100	3,200	5,800	5,880	5,910	5,720	5,540
Yala										
Turmeric (raw)										
Cult. Year Total	10,900	7,700	7,700	7,600	3,100	4,220	4,790	5,180	5,060	4,550
Maha	10,900	7,700	7,700	7,600	3,100	4,220	4,790	5,180	5,060	4,550
Yala										

Note: For Tea, Rubber and Coconut, the source of data are Tea commissioner's Division - Sri Lanka Tea Board, Rubber Control Department, Coconut Development Board respectively. Source - Department of Census and Statistics

For Seasonal crops other than paddy :

- (1) Other than the districts of Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Batticaloa and Trincomalee.
- (2) Other than the districts of Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee.
- (3) For Maha Season - Other than the districts of Mannar and Trincomalee, and for Yala Season - other than the district of Mannar.

Table 5.20 - Paddy: Production and average yield per net hectare harvested by district - Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1994/95		Yala 1995		Maha 1995/96		Yala 1996	
	Production ('000 M.T.)	Average yield (Kg.)	Production ('000 M.T.)	Average yield (Kg.)	Production ('000 M.T.)	Average yield (Kg.)	Production ('000 M.T.)	Average yield (Kg.)
Sri Lanka	1,759	3,604	1,049	3,427	1,330	3,534	731	3,477
Colombo	15	3,148	3	1,796	14	3,157	2	2,080
Gampaha	33	3,307	6	2,331	31	3,317	3	2,885
Kalutara	42	2,705	27	2,328	36	2,375	24	2,183
Kandy	41	3,015	31	3,188	46	3,466	23	2,873
Matale	49	3,690	13	3,184	47	3,746	11	3,184
Nuwara Eliya	13	3,609	6	3,561	15	4,256	5	3,842
Galle	36	2,651	19	2,097	34	2,527	22	2,213
Matara	43	2,985	35	2,804	40	2,838	33	2,771
Hambantota	78	3,953	64	3,927	71	3,893	51	4,065
Jaffna	21	2,633	*	*	2	2,062	*	*
Kilinochchi	49	3,600	7	3,298	9	1,688	..	..
Mannar	12	2,939	3	2,939	8	3,094	1	2,939
Vavuniya	30	4,012	3	3,433	2	2,212	..	..
Mullaitivu	21	3,609	6	2,940	7	2,578	1	2,939
Batticaloa	59	2,335	39	3,627	39	2,219	26	3,279
Ampara	190	3,648	198	3,997	188	3,850	216	4,415
Trincomalee	41	2,269	42	3,094	32	1,939	20	3,609
Kurunegala	223	3,533	146	3,008	102	3,171	39	2,309
Puttalam	34	3,386	15	2,711	32	3,429	4	3,097
Anuradhapura	190	4,018	48	3,258	74	3,709	13	3,828
Polonnaruwa	195	4,861	161	4,240	191	4,834	109	3,973
Badulla	61	3,602	32	3,628	56	3,393	26	3,056
Moneragala	41	3,215	13	3,088	37	3,228	14	3,359
Ratnapura	37	2,939	34	3,312	36	2,923	29	3,089
Kegalle	38	3,709	25	25	36	3,539	19	2,791
Udawalawe	48	4,888	44	4,669	43	4,528	35	4,000
Mahaweli "H" Area	119	5,340	29	3,752	102	4,671	5	3,913

Table 5.20 (Contd.) - Paddy Production and average yield per net hectare harvested by district - Maha 1994/95 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1996/97		Yala 1997		Maha 1997/98		Yala 1998	
	Production ('000 M.T.)	Average yield (Kg.)	Production ('000 M.T.)	Average yield (Kg.)	Production ('000 M.T.)	Average yield (Kg.)	Production ('000 M.T.)	Average yield (Kg.)
Sri Lanka	1,457	3,670	782	3,526	1,781	3,555	911	3,807
Colombo	16	3,490	3	2,032	15	3,220	1	2,532
Gampaha	35	3,391	6	2,902	26	2,596	2	2,014
Kalutara	41	2,689	27	2,574	36	2,547	22	2,696
Kandy	45	3,367	28	3,140	40	3,151	19	3,228
Matale	38	3,677	16	3,686	56	3,906	19	3,554
Nuwara Eliya	13	4,028	5	3,250	14	3,867	4	2,960
Galle	40	2,911	17	2,323	42	3,154	3	2,302
Matara	48	3,357	32	2,701	44	3,253	29	3,215
Hambantota	64	3,995	52	3,885	81	3,761	70	4,366
Jaffna	16	2,630	*	*	11	1,935	*	*
Kilinochchi	..	..	1	2,320	*	*	*	*
Mannar	18	2,939	0	2,681	14	2,578	2	2,784
Vavuniya	8	3,549	0	2,835	10	2,681	3	2,887
Mullaitivu	22	2,836	2	2,938	17	2,578	4	2,630
Batticaloa	28	1,924	16	3,323	87	2,808	35	3,539
Ampara	215	4,187	162	4,406	205	3,871	224	4,548
Trincomalee	43	2,269	192	3,299	50	2,681	29	2,681
Kurunegala	193	3,493	90	2,677	250	3,460	83	3,294
Puttalam	21	3,244	8	3,280	36	3,078	15	3,605
Anuradhapura	49	3,989	11	3,454	230	4,264	43	3,870
Polonnaruwa	189	4,916	136	4,409	175	4,114	164	4,334
Badulla	58	3,649	26	3,321	53	2,867	37	4,036
Moneragala	25	3,291	11	3,779	48	3,398	12	3,138
Rathnapura	42	3,296	29	3,091	37	2,804	26	2,706
Kegalle	37	3,641	26	2,883	33	3,436	12	2,481
Udawalawe	42	4,811	44	5,008	47	5,121	34	4,787
Mahaweli "H" Area	114	5,138	13	4,054	125	5,516	21	4,072

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

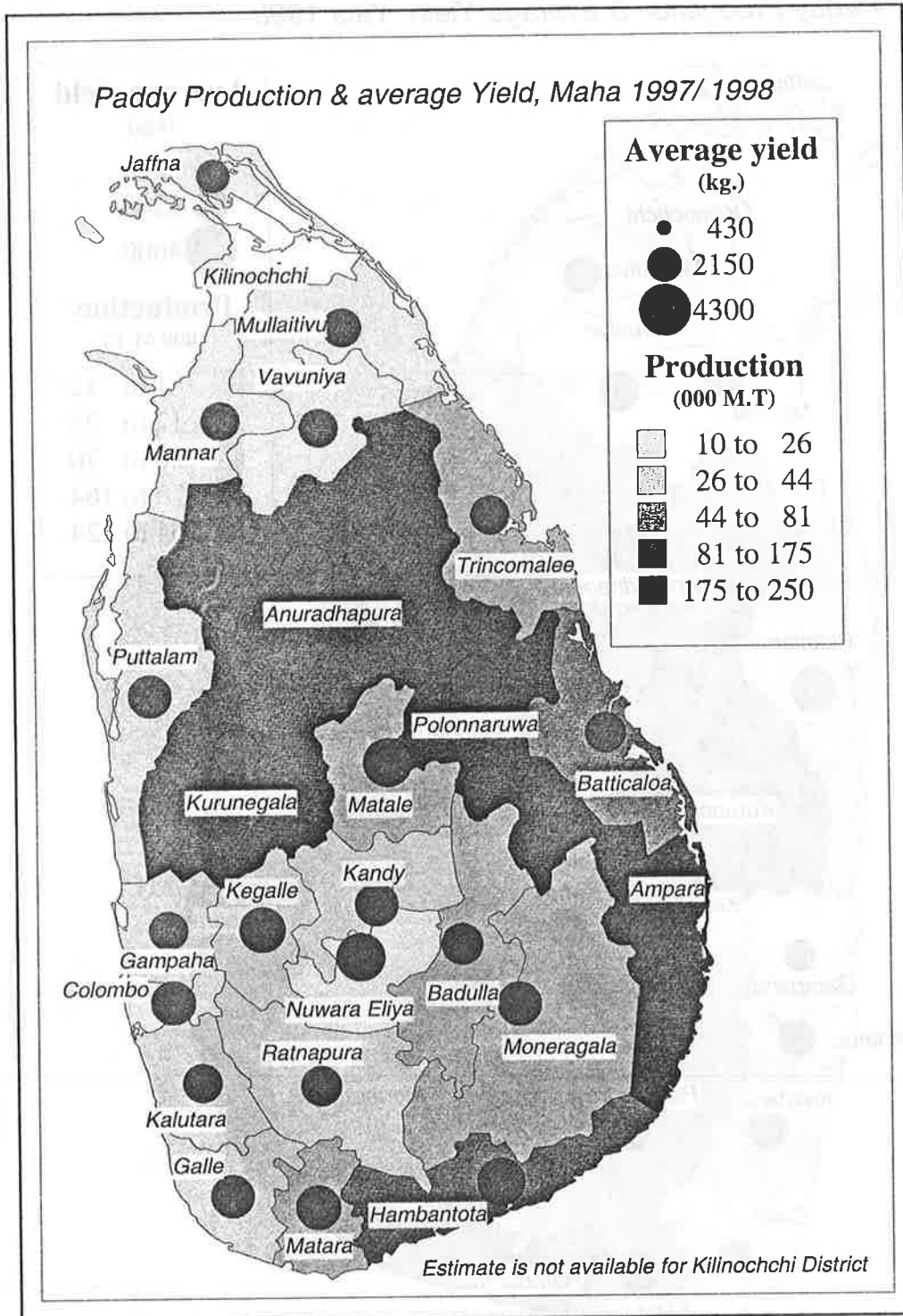
Note:

* No cultivation during the Season.

.. Estimates are not available for these districts

Table 5.21 - Production of Highland crops by district, Maha 1996/97 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1996/97													Metric Tons				
	Kurakkan	Maize	Meneri	Sorghum	Green Gram	Cow Pea	Dhal	Gingelly	Ground Nuts	Manioc	Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	Chillies (Green)	Mustard	Red Onion	Big Onion	Ginger (Raw)	Turmeric (Raw)
Sri Lanka	2,994	23,630	71	166	10,960	10,495	24	1,863	3,596	143,418	31,029	40,995	49,714	248	23,798	565	5,724	5,055
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,523	-	588	-	102	-	-	-	440	154
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,310	-	1,274	-	122	-	-	-	1,045	636
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,108	-	2,842	-	56	-	-	-	639	331
Kandy	150	138	-	-	27	35	-	1	2,351	-	629	107	589	1	81	-	262	344
Matale	300	827	-	2	215	276	-	176	4,330	-	1,113	33	2,741	25	270	107	107	149
Nuwara Eliya	172	254	-	-	17	62	-	-	2,982	-	1,229	15,859	521	23	2,271	3	240	419
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,131	-	1,534	-	49	-	-	-	71	60
Matara	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	3,006	-	1,416	-	69	-	-	-	260	296
Hambantota	493	524	34	47	2,849	1,010	-	405	8,669	-	1,962	-	2,251	-	717	-	41	44
Jaffna	10	-	-	-	50	31	-	32	4,148	-	24	988	3,233	-	5,885	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	14	54	-	-	156	75	-	78	969	-	83	20	2,391	-	494	-	-	-
Mannar	1	17	-	-	51	25	-	60	1,231	-	43	125	1,097	-	243	30	-	-
Vavuniya	7	53	-	-	53	99	-	21	399	-	19	-	2,069	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	6	-	-	142	203	-	-	516	-	-	-	168	-	275	-	-	-
Batticaloa	9	500	-	3	41	39	-	9	8,711	-	311	-	173	-	868	-	-	-
Ampara	132	8,050	-	-	573	2,923	-	13	8,768	-	2,165	1	673	-	212	6	5	207
Trincomalee	13	441	-	-	45	83	-	4	1,743	-	798	-	350	-	3,178	-	-	-
Kurunegala	77	542	-	-	714	626	-	6	14,198	-	2,230	-	1,856	-	836	70	1,044	465
Puttalam	36	226	-	-	541	614	-	98	2,891	-	609	-	2,243	50	3,441	-	34	4
Anuradhapura	676	5,955	-	-	654	1,427	-	154	6,949	-	943	-	21,997	134	521	67	-	10
Polonnaruwa	46	337	-	-	159	245	3	25	4,506	-	691	-	1,688	7	345	99	-	-
Badulla	132	2,775	-	1	142	269	14	112	9,698	-	2,756	23,839	1,365	6	557	61	9	3
Moneragala	450	2,090	16	2	3,955	1,979	-	612	12,058	-	371	-	1,782	-	2,103	122	1	-
Ratnapura	257	249	21	111	491	315	7	52	15,183	-	5,307	23	697	2	1,481	-	34	48
Kegalle	-	-	-	-	8	6	-	-	6,811	-	2,088	-	62	-	-	-	1,492	1,865
Mahaweli*H*Area	17	592	-	-	75	153	-	5	229	-	4	-	1,370	-	20	-	-	-



Paddy Production & average Yield, Yala 1998

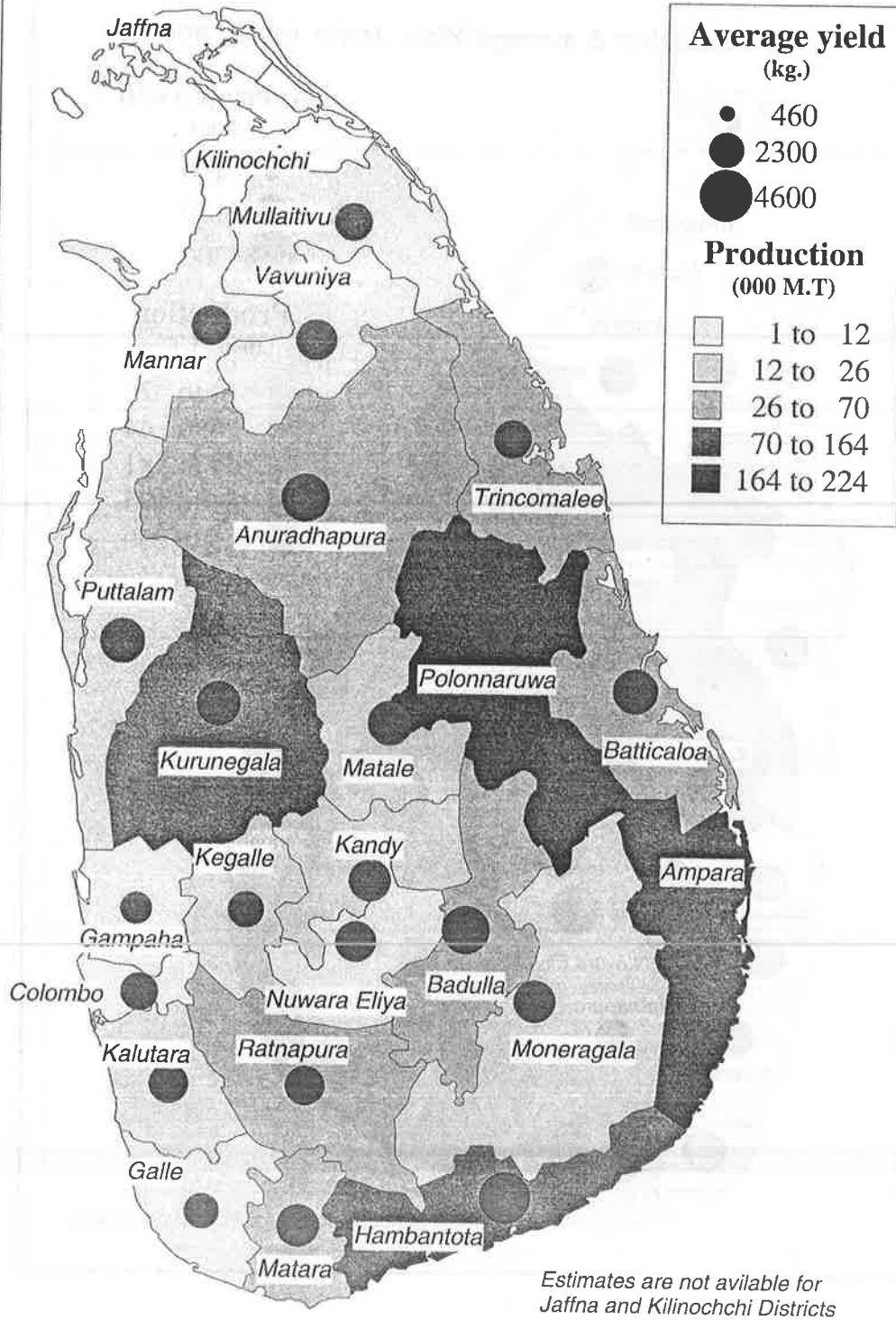


Table 5.21(Contd.)- Production of Highland crops by district, Maha 1996/97 - Yala 1998

District	Yala 1997													Metric Tons		
	Kurakkan	Maize	Meneri	Sorghum	Green Gram	Cow Pea	Dhali	Gingelly	Ground Nuts	Mianloc	Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	Chillies (Green)		Mustard	Red Onion
Sri Lanka	506	2,059	44	21	4,040	3,476	8	4,772	1,662	106,361	23,100	25,489	22,517	64	21,001	28,573
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,780	452	-	71	-	-	-
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,156	1,931	-	181	-	-	-
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,008	2,328	-	52	-	-	-
Kandy	22	38	-	-	27	20	-	-	1	1,581	738	35	610	1	134	1
Matale	22	78	-	-	122	171	-	81	13	4,222	1,036	49	2,626	13	133	15,210
Nuwara Eliya	10	194	-	-	10	36	-	3	-	1,740	615	2,732	428	7	2,213	-
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,536	998	-	34	-	-	-
Matara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,729	1,362	-	104	-	-	-
Hambantota	85	132	12	11	848	278	-	108	121	6,306	1,455	-	1,454	-	476	-
Jaffna	102	-	1	-	49	22	-	8	3	3,218	304	-	661	-	5,400	-
Kilinochchi	11	-	-	-	26	21	-	15	40	366	33	-	60	-	967	350
Mannar	-	4	-	-	10	12	-	41	35	643	30	4	228	-	178	26
Vavuniya	-	-	-	-	6	11	-	242	28	152	-	-	978	-	1,627	286
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	14	20	-	-	83	850	-	-	368	-	1,026	115
Batticaloa	2	33	-	1	10	11	-	3	31	4,623	182	-	248	-	1,228	-
Ampara	19	349	-	-	134	789	-	3	26	4,340	493	-	450	-	167	71
Trincomalee	-	18	-	-	26	13	-	3	22	1,248	75	-	306	-	1,261	41
Kurunegala	19	153	-	-	629	466	-	487	257	11,790	1,761	-	3,084	-	369	753
Puttalam	9	74	-	-	190	171	-	78	226	2,245	305	-	787	4	3,219	2
Anuradhapura	21	202	-	-	122	233	-	3,111	25	913	239	-	3,401	29	374	3,212
Polonnaruwa	4	117	-	-	206	139	-	28	243	3,463	381	-	1,743	-	457	1,496
Badulla	22	232	-	-	596	184	2	86	14	6,159	955	22,631	843	9	530	67
Moneragala	40	240	19	5	366	425	1	349	301	1,727	219	-	571	-	517	315
Ratnapura	117	66	12	4	446	213	5	57	189	13,173	5,503	38	509	1	678	-
Kegalle	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	6,373	1,705	-	200	-	-	-
Mahaewellippa Area	1	129	-	-	200	241	-	69	4	20	-	-	2,520	-	47	6,628

Table 5.21(Contd.) - Production of Highland crops by district, Maha 1996/97 - Yala 1998

District	Maha 1997/98													Metric Tons				
	Kurakkan	Maize	Meneni	Sorghum	Green Gram	Cow Pea	Dhali	Gingelly	Ground Nuts	Manioc	Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	Chillies (Green)		Mustard	Red Onion	Big Onion	Ginger (Raw)
Sri Lanka	3,797	31,451	67	42	12,240	9,131	26	2,092	4,500	151,027	28,798	18,403	44,581	195	17,684	331	5,542	4,546
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,631	353	-	73	-	-	-	308	80
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,532	1,260	-	105	-	1	-	1,338	637
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,785	2,743	-	69	-	-	-	401	214
Kandy	136	539	-	-	22	27	-	11	-	2,019	539	29	740	1	100	-	217	260
Matale	345	1,002	-	1	175	206	-	182	59	4,257	932	7	2,511	27	216	23	100	172
Nuwara Eliya	157	259	-	-	2	35	-	-	-	3,070	860	6,250	429	14	1,331	-	331	370
Galle	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3,567	1,392	-	59	-	-	-	40	35
Matara	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	3,292	1,261	-	137	-	-	-	266	295
Hambantota	445	800	24	34	4,070	1,557	-	586	485	8,499	1,887	-	2,633	-	449	-	35	41
Jaffna	10	-	-	-	54	24	-	29	4	4,199	13	881	992	-	3,953	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	14	54	-	-	156	75	-	78	64	969	83	20	2,391	-	494	-	-	-
Mannar	-	13	-	-	33	13	-	73	307	1,275	71	116	675	-	109	-	-	-
Vavuniya	7	54	-	-	27	15	-	6	39	443	2	-	470	-	81	1	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	6	-	-	142	127	-	-	199	516	-	-	270	-	224	-	-	-
Batticaloa	10	518	-	3	46	24	-	10	131	8,922	298	-	215	-	783	-	-	-
Ampara	170	10,161	-	-	628	1,343	-	16	147	11,049	978	1	809	-	153	12	5	207
Trincomalee	59	466	-	-	174	78	-	6	262	4,610	730	-	633	1	1,179	-	1	-
Kurunegala	279	990	-	-	1,280	1,044	-	59	306	13,857	2,911	-	1,758	-	648	9	958	391
Puttalam	41	316	-	-	555	708	-	129	298	5,709	640	-	1,518	18	2,525	35	35	5
Anuradhapura	801	6,726	-	-	577	1,332	-	244	139	8,420	884	-	21,166	124	346	90	-	10
Poonaruruwa	33	411	-	-	137	163	-	12	260	5,689	634	-	1,464	4	283	196	-	-
Badulla	250	3,508	-	-	178	335	1	-	51	9,058	2,029	9,080	1,814	4	627	-	-	-
Moneragala	829	4,381	23	-	3,483	1,477	24	587	1,474	14,257	604	-	2,729	4	1,557	-	1	-
Rathnapura	167	310	20	4	400	281	1	61	267	12,328	5,752	19	571	2	2,603	-	58	63
Kegalle	-	1	-	-	11	6	-	-	-	6,693	1,894	-	68	-	-	-	1,448	1,766
Mahaweli G*Area	42	936	-	-	87	261	-	3	8	381	48	-	282	-	22	-	-	-

Table 5.21(Contd.)- Production of Highland crops by district, Maha 1996/97 - Yala 1998

District	Yala 1998													Metric Tons		
	Kurakkan	Maize	Meneri	Sorghum	Green Gram	Cow Pea	Dhail	Gingelly	Ground Nuts	Manioc	Sweet Potatoes	Potatoes	Chillies (Green)		Mustard	Red Onion
Sri Lanka	588	2,423	65	35	3,406	4,268	-	3,632	1,757	106,126	23,691	9,496	17,889	51	20,364	17,113
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,428	336	-	72	-	-	-
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,397	1,249	-	164	-	-	-
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,520	2,214	-	45	-	-	-
Kandy	28	42	-	-	27	19	-	-	-	1,309	740	-	375	-	24	-
Matale	28	95	-	-	126	143	-	65	32	4,141	978	21	2,276	8	135	8,780
Nuwara Eliya	89	180	-	-	2	23	-	2	-	2,303	757	2,987	403	7	1,322	-
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,774	981	-	36	-	-	-
Matara	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3,643	1,328	-	110	-	-	-
Hambantota	64	116	10	-	491	218	-	116	97	5,947	1,397	-	970	-	453	-
Jaffna	99	-	-	-	39	20	-	4	2	3,246	277	-	689	-	5,168	-
Kilinochchi	6	-	-	-	26	21	-	15	40	366	24	-	33	-	967	26
Mannar	1	4	-	-	12	7	-	4	34	406	23	8	343	-	174	9
Vavuniya	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	193	30	239	-	-	418	-	1,861	251
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	14	20	-	-	59	850	-	-	267	-	921	115
Batticaloa	2	38	-	-	10	13	-	2	31	5,004	200	-	289	-	1,207	-
Ampara	24	230	-	-	100	1,592	-	3	21	6,408	474	-	404	-	103	64
Trincornalee	23	239	2	15	51	44	-	10	203	3,508	1,098	-	605	5	1,604	9
Kurunegala	23	114	-	-	522	419	-	253	231	11,283	1,992	-	1,828	1	624	250
Puttalam	10	7	-	-	247	282	-	78	165	2,584	292	-	1,024	4	3,598	-
Anuradhapura	23	232	-	-	86	241	-	2,316	32	914	137	-	3,649	16	221	3,643
Polonnaruwa	8	147	-	-	156	127	-	12	224	3,334	350	-	1,071	-	199	561
Badulla	14	339	-	-	571	117	-	130	12	5,368	1,259	6,480	655	6	670	21
Moneragala	26	261	19	1	292	313	-	241	298	2,925	383	-	840	-	387	16
Rathnapura	107	94	34	19	402	251	-	89	238	12,641	5,345	-	543	4	651	-
Kegalle	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	6,408	1,830	-	62	-	-	-
Mahaweli Area	12	285	-	-	219	397	-	99	8	180	27	-	718	-	75	3,368

* Estimates

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

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Table 5.22 - Cost of production of tea per kilogramme, 1988/89 - 1997/98

Item	1988/89	1989/90	1990/91	1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98*	Rupees
A- General charges											
Supervisory staff, monthly paid salaries, allowances, etc. and directors' visiting charges.	1.55	1.94	2.02	1.78	2.35	2.09	2.35	2.92	3.22	2.38	
Labour											
Holiday wages, feeding and schooling, concessional grants, sanitary, medical and maternity benefits, contribution to E.P.F.	5.20	5.57	5.34	5.56	4.25	3.80	4.82	4.80	5.93	5.53	
Up-keep of bungalows, roads, minor buildings, etc., interest, bank charges and commission, insurance, depreciation of fixed assets.	3.91	5.45	5.54	5.16	4.11	4.56	4.72	6.02	6.59	5.89	
Stationery, postage, etc., Auditors' fees, rent, a creage fees, and local taxes, other general expenses.	1.48	2.93	2.88	3.42	1.72	1.60	2.47	1.72	3.00	3.39	
B- Up-keep and cultivation											
Labour wages including all allowances - weeding and upkeep of fences, control of pests and diseases, manuring, plucking, pruning, supply of vacancies, field watchers, miscellaneous.	18.78	20.99	21.38	28.19	34.67	34.25	35.04	33.27	33.40	35.16	
Materials and tools-fencing, control of pests and diseases, manure, other materials and tools.	2.56	2.78	2.87	4.75	5.72	5.76	5.46	4.68	4.90	6.10	
C- Transport costs incurred in production											
Wages of drivers and cleaners, repairs to vehicles, fuel.	1.17	1.36	1.60	1.90	2.20	2.83	1.67	1.70	1.68	1.80	
D- Cost of green leaf (1)											
(a) Cost of estate leaf	22.52	25.13	25.84	34.85	42.59	41.56	42.17	39.65	39.99	43.06	
(b) Cost of bought leaf	27.78	35.98	39.03	37.59	47.53	50.95	47.92	58.25	72.00	82.03	
(c) Cost of green leaf (weighted average)	23.90	29.55	32.24	37.25	46.31	47.95	44.52	45.13	48.38	51.27	
E- Manufacturing costs											
factory labour, fuel for engines, fuel for driers, electricity, machinery up-keep, packing materials, factory sundries.	7.38	8.33	8.19	10.71	10.90	9.88	11.28	11.16	13.25	13.75	
F- Marketing cost and agency house expenses											
transport to Colombo auctions or port of shipping, storage and handling brokerage, agency charges, and other expenses.	3.10	4.72	3.48	5.10	2.07	1.99	3.13	3.56	3.27	3.55	
Total cost per kilogramme of made tea.	46.52	58.49	59.69	68.98	71.71	71.87	73.29	75.31	83.64	85.76	

Note-

The cost of production of tea estimates are based on a survey carried out jointly by the Department of Census and Statistics and the Tea Commissioner's Division - Sri Lanka Tea Board.

* Provisional

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Source - Department of Census and Statistics and the Tea Commissioner's Division - Sri Lanka Tea Board.

Table 5.23 - Cost of production of rubber per kilogramme, 1988/89 - 1997/98

Item	1988/89	1989/90	1990/91	1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98*
1. Cultivation cost										
A. Cost of labour, labour wages inclusive of supplements, salaries of field supervisors.	2.42	2.75	2.84	2.44	4.15	4.27	6.28	6.13	5.67	5.89
B. Cost of materials- manure, dolomite, sprays, chemicals, tractor/truck operating costs, field tools, other costs of maintaining natural rubber	1.04	1.19	1.42	2.00	1.19	1.77	1.54	1.47	1.98	2.03
C. Tapping/collecting cost- tapping/collecting labour inclusive of supplements, drivers inclusive of supplements, tapping supervisors salaries, truck/tractors supplements, tapping supervisors salaries, truck/tractors	7.93	8.51	9.13	10.72	11.34	11.53	11.32	13.63	14.15	14.21
Group total	11.39	12.45	13.39	15.16	16.68	17.57	19.14	21.23	21.80	22.13
2. Cost of maintaining										
young rubber-manure, dolomite, sprays, chemicals, plants from nursery, baskets, field tools, tractor/truck operating costs, other materials costs.	2.80	2.91	3.30	3.49	3.76	4.56	3.77	4.23	4.38	5.55
Group total	2.80	2.91	3.30	3.49	3.76	4.56	3.77	4.23	4.38	5.55
3. Factory cost										
A. Wages and salaries- total wages of labour including supplements, total salaries of rubber makers, mechanics, other factory staff	1.00	1.50	1.40	1.73	1.81	1.57	1.73	2.13	2.09	2.55
B. Factory materials- chemicals, firewood, fuel, diesel, furnace oil, electricity packing materials, acids, other sundries, machinery and general factory maintenance.	1.58	1.69	1.61	2.07	2.45	2.49	2.49	3.63	4.41	4.21
Group total	2.58	3.19	3.01	3.80	4.26	4.06	4.22	5.76	6.50	6.76
4. Marketing and agency house expenses										
transport to Colombo, storage and handling, brokerage, agency commission and other marketing costs.	0.32	0.38	0.37	0.53	0.46	0.61	0.53	0.69	0.41	0.51
Group total	0.32	0.38	0.37	0.53	0.46	0.61	0.53	0.69	0.41	0.51
5. Cost of estate maintenance										
A. Cost of labour, wages of labour including supplements.	1.16	1.19	1.26	1.16	1.01	1.77	2.00	1.02	0.35	0.73
B. Other equipments- lines, latrines, other buildings, roads, water supply, estate boundaries, and other general estate maintenance.	1.00	1.09	0.90	0.91	1.57	1.30	1.61	1.91	1.80	1.81
Group total	2.16	2.28	2.16	2.07	2.58	3.07	3.61	2.93	2.15	2.54
6. Estate general charges										
salaries, allowances, director fees, visiting charges, holiday wages, feeding and schooling, sanitation, medical maternity, all insurance, E.P.F. contribution, concessionary grants, office supplies, rent depreciation auditors fees bonus to staff workers, compensation and other general charges.	7.04	7.53	7.69	8.23	8.82	9.38	10.09	12.09	12.60	12.08
Group total	7.04	7.53	7.69	8.23	8.82	9.38	10.09	12.09	12.60	12.08
Total cost per kilogramme of made rubber.	26.29	28.74	29.92	33.28	36.56	39.25	41.36	46.93	47.84	49.57

Note:-

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

(1) The cost of production of rubber estimates are based on a survey carried out jointly by the Department of Census and Statistics and the Rubber Control Department.

(2) The costs figures given above are, all inclusive cost up to the point of the Colombo auctions for shipping.

(3) Group totals may not tally due to rounding of figures.

* Provisional

Table 5.24 - Cost of production of coconut per 1,000 nuts, 1988/89 - 1997/98

Item	Rupees										
	1988/89	1989/90	1990/91	1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98*	
General charges-											
(i) Salaries, wages and allowances of superintendents, kanganyies and watchers, etc.	380.99	318.21	289.98	453.40	516.08	612.38	565.03	720.97	851.18	885.61	
(ii) Building and equipment-											
(a) Up-keep and maintenance.	32.61	18.18	37.66	69.53	87.13	73.22	89.06	84.17	110.62	82.23	
(b) Maintenance of tools and implements.	49.09	27.32	1.77	6.69	14.92	20.76	13.11	17.43	17.84	17.43	
(iii) Transport-up-keep of vehicles, carts and bulks.	43.73	47.49	58.68	69.16	54.89	77.14	133.27	139.49	75.61	83.91	
(iv) Services and charges-											
(a) Medical aid, maternity benefits, gratuities and holiday pay to labourers.	3.47	9.57	10.17	18.04	23.05	20.42	47.12	29.54	15.08	7.19	
(b) Other (insurance, local taxes, etc.)	30.23	16.18	14.57	17.89	30.45	68.01	46.20	50.11	22.68	18.11	
(c) Contributions to e. p. ₹ (national).	2.32	13.08	37.92	49.43	39.57	86.05	111.70	125.58	111.76	89.78	
(v) Up-keep and maintenance-											
(a) Clearing boundaries, weeding and removal of palms and other field work.	65.01	77.59	117.94	132.91	148.19	185.97	182.38	146.75	243.78	280.73	
(b) Control of pests and diseases and clearing of ant-hills.	6.05	9.91	6.34	8.97	13.02	16.96	17.55	37.79	21.50	22.43	
(c) Drains and draining.	4.99	4.98	10.07	11.35	9.65	11.73	10.54	9.27	32.74	17.23	
(d) Other.	18.34	10.18	9.36	4.92	7.90	10.81	27.98	56.26	78.05	41.83	
(vi) Cultivation-											
(a) Artificial manuring (cost of manure and application).	184.05	211.25	248.35	348.22	414.34	459.74	468.59	531.35	501.46	677.09	
(b) Cattle manuring.	4.59	2.24	3.33	2.26	4.73	3.35	23.70	36.17	12.86	15.56	
(c) Other (ploughing and harrowing).	6.08	12.01	7.88	7.92	13.35	9.60	12.86	26.26	28.07	36.94	
(vii) Crop works-											
(a) Plucking-wages and allowances to labourers.	41.09	45.46	35.30	51.48	79.26	95.27	85.57	124.30	192.46	192.99	
(b) Collecting, transporting and counting wages and allowances to labourers.	29.32	43.95	67.09	62.18	94.53	133.80	156.30	158.41	144.18	197.95	
Cost of production per 1,000 nuts	901.96	867.60	956.41	1,314.35	1,551.06	1,885.22	1,990.96	2,293.85	2,459.87	2,667.01	

* Provisional

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 5.25 - Guaranteed prices of commodities 1989 - 1998

Commodity	Rupees per metric ton									
	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Paddy	5,260	5,260	6,500	6,500	7,420	7,420	7,420	7,420	7,420	7,420
Kurakkan	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	-	-	5,000	-	-	-
Maize	4,250	4,250	5,250	5,250	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000
Sorghum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Red Onions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gingelly	9,900	9,900	9,900	9,900	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chillies	32,000	32,000	32,000	32,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Green Gram	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000
Cowpea	9,000	9,000	9,000	9,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turmeric	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ground Nuts	8,150	8,150	8,150	8,150	-	-	-	-	-	-
Big Onions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soya Beans	7,300	7,300	7,300	7,300	17,000	14,000	14,000	14,000	14,000	14,000
Coriander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thur Dhall	-	-	20,000	-	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000

Source - Paddy Marketing Board

Table 5.26 - Purchase of paddy under guaranteed price by district, 1989 - 1998

District	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Sri Lanka	5,036	3,1,185	44,338	6,599	45,893	119,578	282,421	1,187	-	-
Colombo	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gampaha	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kandy	152	3,461	3,033	171	3,891	2,014	10,675	13	-	-
Matale	1	2,380	3,267	154	1,704	3,897	3,913	129	-	-
Nuwara Eliya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Matara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hambantota	85	418	14	9	667	1,487	3,561	-	-	-
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	318	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	-	111	71	75	356	2,800	5,587	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	8	92	159	72	104	1,302	1,119	-	-	-
Ampara	3,962	4,412	9,321	865	11,022	17,066	43,146	446	-	-
Trincormalee	15	3,146	1,666	88	3,579	5,429	14,612	-	-	-
Kurunegala	38	350	629	220	165	6,396	15,256	10	-	-
Puttalam	5	74	315	41	86	1,292	5,668	1	-	-
Anuradhapura	27	3,576	8,504	3,925	9,595	34,863	66,909	6	-	-
Polonnaruwa	55	5,526	10,568	581	6,112	26,181	62,721	42	-	-
Badulla	508	5,497	5,255	345	6,944	13,142	34,026	89	-	-
Moneragala	180	892	1,518	53	1,601	3,463	12,412	451	-	-
Ratnapura	-	795	18	-	67	246	2,816	-	-	-
Kegalle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mahaweli" H" area	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source - Paddy Marketing Board

Table 5.27 - Purchase of other produces under guaranteed prices by commodities, 1989 - 1998

Commodity	Metric tons									
	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Paddy	5,036	31,139	44,368	6,599	45,893	119,578	282,421	1,187	-	-
Kurakkam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maize	9,964	914	93	49	728	993	-	-	-	-
Sorghum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Red Onions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gingelly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chillies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Green Gram	-	153	414	-	28	286	-	-	-	-
Cowpea	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turmeric	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ground Nuts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Big Onions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soya Beans	225	154	-	-	-	-	153	-	-	-
Coriander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thur Dhall	-	-	7	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

Source - Paddy Marketing Board

LIVESTOCK

Table 5.28 - Livestock population , 1989 - 1998

Animal	1989	1990	1991 #	1992 @	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Neat cattle	1,819,900	1,772,700	1,476,800	1,603,800	1,704,100	1,702,500	1,704,100	1,644,000	1,578,800	1,599,000
Buffaloes	967,000	958,100	825,000	896,600	793,800	791,100	763,900	760,900	725,800	720,700
Sheep	29,800	26,000	20,300	22,200	19,500	20,200	19,000	11,400	10,600	11,800
Goat	518,300	521,700	460,000	528,300	582,600	587,800	591,100	535,200	520,700	519,300
Pig (swine)	94,400	85,000	83,500	91,200	90,100	93,800	86,900	84,800	80,300	76,300

Other than

Kilinochchi, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu and Trincomalee districts.

@ Mannar and Mullaitivu districts

Source - Department of Census & Statistics

Table 5.29 - Livestock slaughtered, 1989 - 1998

Animal	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Neat cattle	151,065	152,245	170,988	190,461	179,413	192,578	202,199	179,790	186,507	183,159
Sheep & goat	96,094	82,711	79,297	101,692	109,158	128,941	114,805	96,674	95,517	80,449
Pig (swine)	19,371	22,913	30,604	32,950	23,175	27,535	32,191	29,534	29,691	26,392

The number of animals slaughtered at license houses are included here.

Please note that it does not include animals slaughtered without authority.

Source - Department of Census & Statistics

Table 5.30 - Supply of calories, proteins and fats per day per person, 1985 - 1998

Supply per person	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Animal														
Calories	120.84	110.09	133.53	126.30	130.26	132.57	136.22	140.49	148.76	143.53	150.98	148.06	152.15	161.35
Proteins(gm)	11.76	11.28	13.11	12.44	12.17	13.37	13.80	14.35	16.33	15.14	15.67	15.37	16.35	17.30
Fats(gm)	6.25	5.51	6.84	5.72	6.80	6.81	6.94	7.08	7.07	6.94	7.43	7.35	7.43	7.83
Vegetable														
Calories	2,396.64	2,266.74	2,133.87	2,199.80	2,118.11	2,159.45	2,075.71	2,028.55	1,992.20	2,169.47	2,106.99	2,031.73	2,056.02	2,069.26
Proteins(gm)	43.26	40.82	38.34	40.16	40.02	40.95	39.15	37.68	36.89	40.94	40.83	38.81	38.07	36.92
Fats(gm)	51.70	46.54	42.37	42.83	44.58	44.33	42.57	32.38	31.90	36.26	35.63	34.66	33.63	35.79
Total														
Calories	2,517.48	2,376.83	2,267.40	2,326.10	2,248.37	2,292.02	2,213.92	2,169.03	2,140.96	2,313.00	2,257.97	2,179.79	2,208.17	2,230.61
Proteins(gm)	55.02	52.10	51.45	52.60	52.19	54.32	52.94	52.03	53.22	56.07	56.50	54.18	54.42	54.22
Fats(gm)	57.95	52.05	49.21	48.55	51.38	51.14	49.51	39.46	38.97	43.19	43.06	42.01	41.06	43.62

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 5.31 - Food Balance Sheet - 1994 (Revised)

Unit : '000 MT (if not otherwise specified)
Mid Year Population : 17,865,000

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability				Distribution				Per Capita Availability									
	Production	Change In stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm. per yr.	Gms. per day	Calories Per day	Prot.Gms. per day	Fat Gms. Per day	
A.Cereals																		
1.Rice (Paddy)	2,683.69	-39.69	31.91	85.92	2,757.40		95.86		165.44	2,496.09	68.00	1,697.34	95.01	260.30	900.64	17.16	1.17	
2.Kurakkan & Menari	7.07				7.07		0.10		0.21	6.76	90.00	6.06	0.34	0.93	3.06	0.07	0.01	
3.Maize	31.80	0.01		84.82	116.41	64.77	0.62		3.49	47.54	90.00	42.78	2.39	6.56	23.75	0.62	0.26	
4.Sorghum	0.10				0.10		0.00		0.00	0.09	90.00	0.08		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5.Wheat Flour		-22.49		655.09	677.57		0.00		6.10	671.47		671.47	37.59	102.98	358.35	11.33	0.93	
Total Cereals																		
															1,285.80	29.20	2.37	
B.Roots & Tubers																		
1.Potatoes	79.39			7.85	87.24		14.48		8.72	64.03		64.03	3.58	9.82	9.52	0.16	0.01	
2.Manioc	298.40				298.40	0.00			89.52	208.88		208.88	11.69	32.03	50.29	0.22	0.06	
3.Sweet Potatoes	62.10				62.10				18.63	43.47		43.47	2.43	6.67	8.00	0.08	0.02	
Total Roots & Tubers																		
															67.82	0.46	0.08	
C.Sugar																		
1.Refined Sugar	72.53	15.96		491.75	548.33			14.12		534.20		534.20	29.90	81.92	327.70			
2.Jaggery	1.04			1.23	2.28					2.28		2.28	0.13	0.35	1.19	0.00	0.00	
Total Sugar																		
															328.88	0.00	0.00	
D.Pulses & Nuts																		
1.Green Gram	19.03	0.00			19.03		0.50		0.57	17.95		17.95	1.00	2.75	9.58	0.67	0.03	
2.Soye Bean	0.98			14.78	15.76	0.00	0.07		0.47	15.21		15.21	0.85	2.33	10.08	1.01	0.45	
3.Cowpea & Dhali	18.68	1.65		79.43	96.46		0.47		2.89	93.09		93.09	5.21	14.28	47.63	3.40	0.16	
4.Ground Nuts	5.63			1.63	7.26		1.40		0.22	5.64		5.64	0.32	0.86	4.90	0.22	0.35	
5.T.V.P.	2.93			3.26	6.19					6.19		6.19	0.35	0.95	3.51	0.47	0.03	
Total Pulses & Nuts																		
															75.70	5.78	1.02	
E.Vegetables																		
1.Vegetables (Excl. Onion)	637.73				637.73					637.73		637.73	35.70	97.80	43.96	2.06	0.30	
2.Onion	82.95	0.00		50.21	133.17		20.18		39.95	73.04		73.04	4.09	11.20	6.61	0.20	0.01	
Total Vegetable																		
															50.57	2.27	0.31	
F.Fruits																		
1.Fresh	132.90			5.89	136.25			1.19		135.06		135.06	7.56	20.71	19.12	0.37	0.36	
2.Dried (Dates, Grapes & etc.)				6.52	6.50					6.50		6.50	0.36	1.00	3.16	0.02	0.00	
Total Fruit																		
															22.28	0.40	0.37	

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1994 (Revised)

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability				Distribution				Per Capita Availability									
	Production	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm. per yr.	Gms. per day	Calories Per day	Prot.Gms. per day	Fat.Gms. Per day	
G.Grains																		
1.Beef	26.16			0.06	26.23	9.18				17.05		17.05	0.95	2.61	5.28	0.50	0.37	
2.Pork	2.00			0.01	2.01					2.01		2.01	0.11	0.31	1.14	0.04	0.11	
3.Mutton (Goat & Sheep)	2.57			0.50	3.07					3.07		3.07	0.17	0.47	0.56	0.10	0.02	
4.Poultry	35.47	-0.20		0.40	36.08					36.08		36.08	2.02	5.53	6.03	1.43	0.03	
Total Meat															13.01	2.07	0.52	
H.Eggs	48.95			0.00	48.95	0.86			0.02	48.07		48.07	2.69	7.37	12.75	0.98	0.98	
I.Fish																		
1.Fresh Fish	224.00			0.63	224.63	0.00		33.58	67.39	123.66		123.66	6.92	18.96	23.62	3.64	0.85	
2.Dried & Salted Fish	16.12			47.62	63.74					63.74		63.74	3.57	9.77	23.95	4.96	0.39	
3.Tinned Fish				13.15	12.34	0.00				12.34		12.34	0.69	1.89	3.25	0.40	0.19	
Total Fish		0.81													50.82	8.99	1.43	
J.Milk																		
1.Cow Milk	211.57				211.57			56.15		155.42		155.42	8.70	23.83	15.97	0.76	0.98	
2.Buffaloe Milk	69.09				69.09			0.00		69.09		69.09	3.87	10.60	12.40	0.46	0.93	
3.Tinned (Whole Dried)	8.94	0.08		38.12	44.97	0.00		0.04		44.93		44.93	2.52	6.89	34.18	1.78	1.84	
4.Condensed Milk	4.21			0.45	4.65					4.65		4.65	0.26	0.71	2.32	0.06	0.06	
5.Milk Food (Yougurt, etc)	1.76			0.21	1.97					1.97		1.97	0.11	0.30	0.18	0.01	0.00	
Total Milk															65.04	3.06	3.81	
K.Oil & Fats																		
1.Coconut	694.03		8.66		885.38			303.51		581.87		581.87	32.57	89.23	278.41	2.86	25.16	
2.Coconut Oil	60.00	-0.04	4.53		55.52			21.00		34.52		34.52	1.93	5.28	46.74		5.29	
3.Gingelly Oil	0.88				0.88					0.88		0.88	0.04	0.10	0.91		0.10	
4.Desiccated Coconut	55.89	0.92	53.29		1.68			0.61		1.07		1.07	0.06	0.16				
5.Margarine	8.50	-0.12		3.10	11.72					11.72		11.72	0.66	1.80	13.75		1.53	
6.Butter	0.39	0.00		0.99	1.38					1.38		1.38	0.08	0.21	1.54		0.17	
7.Cheese	0.01			0.65	0.66					0.66		0.66	0.04	0.10	0.35	0.02	0.03	
Total Oil & Fats															341.71	2.88	32.28	
Animal Vegetable															143.53	15.14	6.94	
Total															2,170.86	40.96	36.26	
															2,314.39	56.10	43.20	

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1995 (Revised)

Unit : '000 MT (if not otherwise specified)
Mid Year Population : 18,112,000

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability				Distribution				Per Capita Availability									
	Production	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm. per yr.	Gms. per day	Calories per day	Prot.Gms per day	Fat Gms. Per day	
A.Cereals																		
1.Rice (Paddy)	2,809.89	69.85	68.02	13.89	2,685.91		94.36		161.15	2,430.40	68.00	1,652.67	91.25	249.99	864.97	16.50	1.12	
2.Kurakkan & Meneri	5.14	0.00			5.14		0.08		0.15	4.90	90.00	4.41	0.24	0.67	2.19	0.05	0.01	
3.Maize	34.84	0.00		80.06	114.89	65.00	0.70		3.45	45.74	90.00	41.17	2.27	6.23	22.54	0.59	0.25	
4.Sorghum	0.22				0.22	0.00	0.00		0.01	0.21	90.00	0.19	0.01	0.03	0.10	0.00	0.00	
5.Wheat Flour		-0.14		782.47	782.61				7.04	775.57		775.57	42.82	117.32	408.26	12.90	1.06	
Total Cereals															1,298.07	30.05	2.44	
B.Roots & Tubers																		
1.Potatoes	81.66	-0.48		11.96	94.10		14.92		9.41	69.77		69.77	3.85	10.55	10.24	0.17	0.01	
2.Manioc	288.77				288.77	0.00			86.63	202.14		202.14	11.16	30.58	48.01	0.21	0.06	
3.Sweet Potatoes	61.82				61.82				18.55	43.28		43.28	2.39	6.55	7.86	0.08	0.02	
Total Roots & Tubers															66.10	0.46	0.09	
C.Sugar																		
1.Refined Sugar	71.57	21.25		416.91	467.23				13.33	453.90		453.90	25.06	68.66	274.64			
2.Jaggery	1.06			0.00	1.06					1.06		1.06	0.06	0.16	0.54	0.00	0.00	
Total Sugar															275.18	0.00	0.00	
D.Pulses & Nuts																		
1.Green Gram	16.01	0.45		2.67	15.56		0.41		0.47	14.69		14.69	0.81	2.22	7.73	0.54	0.03	
2.Soya Bean	2.37	-13.68		66.78	18.72	0.00	0.19		0.56	17.96		17.96	0.99	2.72	11.74	1.17	0.53	
3.Cowpea & Dhall	16.14	7.70		0.30	75.22		0.41		2.26	72.55		72.55	4.01	10.97	36.61	2.62	0.12	
4.Ground Nuts	5.91			1.89	6.21		1.33		0.19	4.70		4.70	0.26	0.71	4.03	0.18	0.28	
5.T.V.P.	2.31				4.20					4.20		4.20	0.23	0.64	2.35	0.32	0.02	
Total Pulses & Nuts															62.46	4.83	0.98	
E.Vegetables																		
1.Vegetables (Excl. Onion)	646.54			78.47	646.54		20.11		46.90	646.54		646.54	35.70	97.80	43.96	2.06	0.30	
2.Onion	78.11	0.26			156.32					89.32		89.32	4.93	13.51	7.97	0.24	0.01	
Total Vegetable															51.93	2.31	0.32	
F.Fruits																		
1.Fresh	136.49		2.38	6.59	140.70		3.15			137.55		137.55	7.59	20.81	19.20	0.38	0.37	
2.Dried (Dates, Grapes&etc.)			0.01	5.61	5.60					5.60		5.60	0.31	0.85	2.69	0.02	0.00	
Total Fruit															21.89	0.40	0.37	

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1995 (Revised)

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability				Distribution				Per Capita Availability									
	Production	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm. per yr.	Gms. per day	Calories Per day	Prot-Gms. per day	Fat Gms. Per day	
G.Meal																		
1.Beef	27.49			0.08	27.58	0.00				27.58		27.58	1.52	4.17	8.43	0.79	0.89	
2.Pork	2.34			0.00	2.34					2.34		2.34	0.13	0.35	1.31	0.05	0.12	
3.Mutton (Goat & Sheep)	2.29			0.70	2.99					2.99		2.99	0.16	0.45	0.53	0.10	0.02	
4.Poultry	38.78	0.18		0.64	39.23					39.23		39.23	2.17	5.93	6.47	1.54	0.04	
Total Meat															16.74	2.48	0.76	
H.Eggs																		
	48.86			0.00	48.86	0.86			0.02	47.98		47.98	2.65	7.26	12.56	0.97	0.97	
I.Fish																		
1.Fresh Fish	237.50			0.84	238.34	5.00				125.57		125.57	6.93	18.99	23.92	3.68	0.89	
2.Dried & Salted Fish	12.09	-0.15		48.19	60.43			36.27	71.50	60.43		60.43	3.34	9.14	22.40	4.63	0.37	
3.Tinned Fish		-0.17		20.49	20.66	0.00				20.66		20.66	1.14	3.12	5.37	0.66	0.31	
Total Fish															51.69	8.97	1.56	
J.Milk																		
1.Cow Milk	214.06				214.06					151.08		151.08	8.34	22.85	15.31	0.73	0.94	
2.Buffalo Milk	67.45				67.45			62.98		67.45		67.45	3.72	10.20	11.94	0.44	0.90	
3.Tinned (Whole Dried)	10.22	1.00		42.22	51.44	0.05		0.05		51.34		51.34	2.83	7.77	38.52	2.00	2.07	
4.Condensed Milk	4.38	0.12		0.29	4.55					4.55		4.55	0.25	0.69	2.24	0.05	0.06	
5.Milk Food (Yogurt, etc)	2.24			0.20	2.44					2.44		2.44	0.13	0.37	0.22	0.01	0.00	
Total Milk															68.22	3.24	3.97	
K.Oil & Fats																		
1.Coconut	937.24		9.02		928.22			346.93		581.28		581.28	32.09	87.93	274.34	2.81	24.80	
2.Coconut Oil	64.52	3.57	8.95		51.99			18.92		33.07		33.07	1.83	5.00	44.17	0.91	5.00	
3.Gingelly Oil	0.69				0.69					0.69		0.69	0.04	0.10	0.26	0.02	0.10	
4.Desiccated Coconut	68.39	-0.01	66.06		2.34			0.63		1.71		1.71	0.09	0.26	13.79	0.09	1.53	
5.Margarine	8.88	0.07		3.31	11.92					11.92		11.92	0.66	1.80	1.44	0.02	0.16	
6.Butter	0.33	-0.01		0.86	1.30					1.30		1.30	0.07	0.20	1.44	0.02	0.02	
7.Cheese	0.01			0.61	0.63					0.63		0.63	0.03	0.09	0.33	0.02	0.02	
Total Oil & Fats															334.96	2.84	31.61	
Animal Vegetable																		
															150.96	15.67	7.43	
															2,108.85	40.86	35.63	
Total															2,259.83	56.53	43.06	

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1996 (Revised)

Unit : '000 MT (if not otherwise specified)
Mid Year Population : 18,315,000

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability				Distribution				Per Capita Availability								
	Production	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm: per yr.	Gms: per day	Calories Per day	Prot:Gms per day	Fat Gms. Per day.
A.Cereals																	
1.Rice (Paddy)	2,061.52	-135.46	1.85	499.53	2,694.65		77.21		161.68	2,455.76	66.00	1,669.92	91.18	249.80	864.31	16.49	1.12
2.Kurakkan & Meneri	4.10				4.10		0.06		0.12	3.91	90.00	3.52	0.19	0.53	1.73	0.04	0.01
3.Maize	32.96	0.00		91.58	124.54	78.58	0.61		3.74	41.62	90.00	37.45	2.05	5.60	20.28	0.53	0.22
4.Sorghum	0.19			10.09	10.29	5.88	0.00		0.31	4.10	90.00	3.69	0.20	0.55	1.93	0.06	0.01
5.Wheat Flour		-6.82		675.62	662.44			6.14	676.30			676.30	36.93	101.17	352.06	11.13	0.91
Total Cereals																	
															1,240.31	28.24	2.28
B.Roots & Tubers																	
1.Potatoes	100.76	-0.41		25.74	126.91		15.92		12.69	98.30		98.30	5.37	14.70	14.26	0.24	0.01
2.Manioc	270.60				270.60	4.36			81.18	185.06		185.06	10.10	27.68	43.46	0.19	0.06
3.Sweet Potatoes	58.82				58.82				17.85	41.17		41.17	2.25	6.16	7.39	0.07	0.02
Total Roots & Tubers																	
															65.12	0.50	0.09
C.Sugar																	
1.Refined Sugar	74.64	7.62		381.16	448.18			10.44		437.74		437.74	23.90	65.48	261.93		
2.Jaggery	1.07			0.00	1.07					1.07		1.07	0.06	0.16	0.54	0.00	0.00
Total Sugar																	
															262.47	0.00	0.00
D.Pulses & Nuts																	
1.Green Gram	16.59	-0.36			16.94		0.41		0.51	16.02		16.02	0.87	2.40	8.34	0.59	0.03
2.Soya Bean	0.73	-2.40		0.29	3.41	0.81	0.06		0.10	2.44		2.44	0.13	0.36	1.57	0.16	0.07
3.Cowpea & Dhall	17.04	-8.96		61.26	87.27		0.42		2.62	84.23		84.23	4.60	12.60	42.03	3.00	0.14
4.Ground Nuts	5.12			6.68	11.80		1.18		0.35	10.26		10.26	0.56	1.53	8.70	0.39	0.62
5.T.V.P.	2.88	0.08		2.97	5.78					5.78		5.78	0.32	0.86	3.20	0.43	0.03
Total Pulses & Nuts																	
															63.85	4.57	0.88
E.Vegetables																	
1.Vegetables (Excl. Onion)	653.79				653.79					653.79		653.79	35.70	97.80	43.96	2.06	0.30
2.Onion	63.31	-0.29		93.55	157.14		17.41		47.14	92.59		92.59	5.06	13.85	8.17	0.25	0.01
Total Vegetable																	
															52.13	2.31	0.32
F.Fruits																	
1.Fresh	137.85							3.62		138.69		138.69	7.57	20.75	19.15	0.38	0.37
2.Dried (Dates, Grapes etc.)		1.80		6.26	142.31					10.47		10.47	0.57	1.57	4.96	0.04	0.01
Total Fruit		0.14		10.60	10.47												
															24.11	0.41	0.37

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1996 (Revised)

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability				Distribution						Per Capita Availability						
	Production	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm. per yr.	Gms. per day	Calories Per day	Prot:Gms per day	Fat Gms. Per day
G.Meat	24.40			0.06	24.47	0.00				24.47		24.47	1.34	3.66	7.39	0.70	0.51
1.Beef	2.25			0.00	2.26					2.26		2.26	0.12	0.34	1.25	0.05	0.12
2.Pork	1.96			0.50	2.46					2.46		2.46	0.13	0.37	0.43	0.08	0.01
3.Mutton (Goat & Sheep)	38.89	-0.21		0.51	39.60					39.60		39.60	2.16	5.92	6.46	1.53	0.94
4.Poultry															15.54	2.36	0.68
Total Meat	48.53			0.00	48.53	0.00	0.85		0.02	47.65		47.65	2.60	7.13	12.33	0.95	0.95
H.Eggs																	
I.Fish	228.55			1.94	230.49	4.60		16.50	69.15	140.24		140.24	7.66	20.98	28.12	4.07	1.15
1.Fresh Fish	10.00	0.02		48.33	58.31	0.00				58.31		58.31	3.18	8.72	21.37	4.42	0.35
2.Dried & Salted Fish		-0.02		15.42	15.44	0.00				15.44		15.44	0.84	2.31	3.97	0.49	0.23
3.Tinned Fish															53.46	8.98	1.73
Total Fish																	
J.Milk	210.69			0.07	210.69		75.06			135.63		135.63	7.41	20.29	13.59	0.65	0.83
1.Cow Milk	69.20			38.49	69.20	0.00	0.00			69.20		69.20	3.78	10.35	12.11	0.45	0.91
2.Buffalo Milk	11.72	0.81		0.33	49.40	0.00	0.02			49.37		49.37	2.70	7.39	36.63	1.91	1.97
3.Tinned (Whole Dried)	3.90	0.04		0.07	4.20					4.20		4.20	0.23	0.63	2.04	0.05	0.05
4.Condensed Milk	1.71				1.78					1.78		1.78	0.10	0.27	0.16	0.01	0.00
5.Milk Feed (Yogurt, etc)															64.54	3.06	3.77
Total Milk																	
K.Oil & Fats	866.22		5.72		866.50		269.48			591.03		591.03	32.27	88.41	275.84	2.83	24.93
1.Coconut	41.00	-0.04	2.81		38.23		11.44			26.79		26.79	1.46	4.01	35.39	0.00	4.00
2.Coconut Oil	0.69				0.69					0.69		0.69	0.04	0.10	0.91	0.00	0.10
3.Gingelly Oil	62.53	0.00	60.80		1.73		0.58			1.15		1.15	0.06	0.17	15.18	0.00	1.69
4.Desiccated Coconut	9.28	-0.08		3.91	13.27					13.27		13.27	0.72	1.98	1.78	0.20	0.20
5.Margarine	0.84	0.02		0.80	1.63					1.63		1.63	0.09	0.24	0.42	0.03	0.03
6.Butter				0.78	0.80					0.80		0.80	0.04	0.12	329.52	2.86	30.95
7.Cheese	0.02																
Total Oil & Fats																	
Animal															148.06	15.37	7.35
Vegetable															2,035.32	36.87	34.66
Total															2,183.38	54.24	42.01

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1997 (Revised)

Unit : '000 MT (if not otherwise specified)
Mid Year Population : 18,552,000

Commodity	Production			Foreign Trade & Availability			Distribution				Per Capita Availability								
	Production	Change in stocks	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm. per yr.	Gms. per day	Calories Per day	Prot.Gms per day	Fat Gms. Per day	
A. Cereals																			
1. Rice (Paaddy)	2,239.37	-92.10	2.10	449.91	2,779.28	2,779.28		75.26		166.76	2,537.26	68.00	1,725.34	93.00	254.80	881.59	16.82	1.15	
2. Karakkan & Meneri	3.62	0.00		3.62	3.62	3.62		0.06		0.11	3.45	90.00	3.10	0.17	0.46	1.50	0.03	0.01	
3. Milze	25.69	0.00		90.24	115.93	115.93	82.92	0.51		3.48	29.02	90.00	26.12	1.41	3.86	13.96	0.37	0.15	
4. Sorghum	0.19			0.62	0.81	0.81	0.00	0.00		0.02	0.78	90.00	0.70	0.04	0.10	0.36	0.01	0.00	
5. Wheat Flour		-34.25		599.93	634.19	634.19			5.71	628.48			628.48	33.88	92.81	322.99	10.21	0.84	
Total Cereals															1,220.41	27.44		2.14	
B. Roots & Tubers																			
1. Potatoes	66.48	-0.25		108.38	175.12	175.12		12.98		17.51	144.61		144.61	7.79	21.36	20.72	0.34	0.02	
2. Manioc	249.78			249.78	249.78	249.78	0.00			74.93	174.85		174.85	9.42	28.82	40.54	0.18	0.05	
3. Sweet Potatoes	54.13			54.13	54.13	54.13			16.24	37.89			37.89	2.04	5.60	6.71	0.07	0.02	
Total Roots & Tubers															67.97	0.59	0.09		
C. Sugar																			
1. Refined Sugar	63.08	78.78		545.16	529.45	529.45			11.16	518.29			518.29	27.94	76.54	306.16		0.00	
2. Jaggery	1.08			0.00	1.08	1.08				1.08			1.08	0.06	0.16	0.54	0.00	0.00	
Total Sugar															306.70	0.00	0.00		
D. Pulses & Nuts																			
1. Green Gram	15.00	-1.73		0.20	16.73	16.73		0.37		0.50	15.85		15.85	0.85	2.34	8.15	0.57	0.03	
2. Soya Bean	0.42	0.00		83.19	83.61	83.61	0.00	0.04		0.02	0.56		0.56	0.03	0.08	0.36	0.04	0.02	
3. Cowpea & Dhall	14.00	5.21		1.79	7.05	7.05		0.36		2.76	88.85		88.85	4.79	13.12	43.77	3.13	0.15	
4. Ground Nuts	5.26	-0.08		3.35	6.38	6.38		1.23		0.21	5.60		5.60	0.30	0.83	4.69	0.21	0.33	
5. T.V.P.	2.95										6.38		6.38	0.34	0.94	3.49	0.47	0.03	
Total Pulses & Nuts															60.46	4.42	0.55		
E. Vegetables																			
1. Vegetables (Excl. Onion)	662.25	-0.19		122.43	662.25	662.25		17.71		58.97	662.25		662.25	35.70	97.80	43.96	2.06	0.30	
2. Onion	73.94				196.56	196.56					119.88		119.88	6.46	17.70	10.45	0.32	0.02	
Total Vegetable															54.41	2.38	0.32		
F. Fruits																			
1. Fresh	140.19	2.48		9.66	147.37	147.37		3.57			143.81		143.81	7.75	21.24	19.60	0.38	0.37	
2. Dried (Dates, Grapes & etc.)		0.37		9.52	9.45	9.45					9.45		9.45	0.51	1.40	4.42	0.03	0.01	
Total Fruit															24.02	0.42	0.42	0.38	

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1997 (Revised)

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability				Distribution				Per Capita Availability								
	Production	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animals Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm: per yr.	Gms: per day	Calories Per day	Prot:Gms per day	Fat Gms. Per day
G.Meat																	
1.Beef	25.38			0.05	25.43	0.00				25.43		25.43	1.37	3.76	7.59	0.71	0.53
2.Pork	2.15			0.03	2.18					2.18		2.18	0.12	0.32	1.20	0.05	0.11
3.Mutton (Goat & Sheep)	1.91			0.92	2.83					2.83		2.83	0.15	0.42	0.49	0.09	0.02
4.Poultry	45.73	0.04		1.36	47.05					47.05		47.05	2.54	6.95	7.57	1.80	0.04
Total Meat															16.85	2.65	0.70
H.Eggs																	
	48.47			0.00	48.47	0.85			0.02	47.60		47.60	2.57	7.03	12.16	0.93	0.93
I.Fish																	
1.Fresh Fish	242.00			2.07	244.07	2.73		18.46	73.22	149.66		149.66	8.07	22.10	30.12	4.33	1.28
2.Dried & Salted Fish	12.00	-0.10		51.93	64.03	0.00				64.03		64.03	3.45	9.46	23.17	4.79	0.38
3.Tinned Fish		0.35		21.04	20.69	0.00				20.69		20.69	1.12	3.06	5.26	0.64	0.30
Total Fish															58.54	9.76	1.96
J.Milk																	
1.Cow Milk	212.78				212.78			72.96		139.82		139.82	7.54	20.65	13.83	0.66	0.85
2.Buffaloe Milk	66.81				66.81	0.00		0.00		66.81		66.81	3.60	9.87	11.54	0.42	0.87
3.Tinned (Whole Dried)	9.86	-0.95		37.36	48.17	0.00		0.03		48.14		48.14	2.59	7.11	35.26	1.83	1.90
4.Condensed Milk	4.09	-0.13		0.25	4.47					4.47		4.47	0.24	0.66	2.15	0.05	0.06
5.Milk Food (Yogurt, etc)	1.62			0.12	1.74					1.74		1.74	0.09	0.26	0.15	0.01	0.00
Total Milk															62.94	2.98	3.67
K.Oil & Fats																	
1.Coconut	894.71		6.02		888.69			291.18		597.51		597.51	32.21	88.24	275.31	2.82	24.88
2.Coconut Oil	36.19	0.28	3.70		32.21			8.98		23.22		23.22	1.25	3.43	30.28	0.00	3.43
3.Gingelly Oil	0.70				0.70					0.70		0.70	0.04	0.10	0.91	0.00	0.10
4.Desiccated Coconut	65.53	0.00	63.74		1.79			0.30		1.49		1.49	0.08	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00
5.Margarine	9.53	0.24		4.48	13.77					13.77		13.77	0.74	2.03	15.55	0.14	1.73
6.Butter	0.42	-0.03		0.74	1.19					1.19		1.19	0.06	0.18	1.29	0.03	0.14
7.Cheese	0.02			0.70	0.72					0.72		0.72	0.04	0.11	0.37	0.03	0.03
Total Oil & Fats															323.71	2.85	30.31
Animal															152.15	16.35	7.43
Vegetable															2,056.02	38.07	33.63
Total															2,208.17	54.42	41.05

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1998 (Revised)

Unit : '000 MT (if not otherwise specified)
Mid Year Population : 18,774,000

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability			Distribution				Per Capita Availability										
	Production	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm: per yr:	Gms: per day	Calorifee Per day	Prot:Gms per day	Fat Gms: Per day	
A. Cereals																		
1. Rice (Paddy)	2,682.34	66.24	2.23	246.42	2,870.28		87.47		172.22	2,610.59	68.00	1,775.20	94.56	259.06	896.34	17.10	1.17	
2. Kurakkan & Menari	4.52				4.52		0.06		0.14	4.32	90.00	3.89	0.21	0.57	1.86	0.04	0.01	
3. Maize	33.87			106.54	140.41	74.41	0.58		4.21	61.20	90.00	55.08	2.93	8.04	29.10	0.76	0.32	
4. Sorghum	0.08				0.08		0.00		0.00	0.07	90.00	0.07	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.00	
5. Wheat Flour		150.98		664.24	513.26		0.00		4.62	508.64		508.64	27.09	74.23	258.31	8.17	0.67	
Total Cereals																		1,185.65
																		26.07
B. Roots & Tubers																		
1. Potatoes	25.90	0.15		115.61	141.36		4.68		14.14	122.55		122.55	6.53	17.88	17.35	0.29	0.02	
2. Manioc	257.15				257.15				77.15	180.01		180.01	9.59	26.27	41.24	0.18	0.05	
3. Sweet Potatoes	52.49				52.49				15.75	36.74		36.74	1.96	5.36	6.43	0.06	0.02	
Total Roots & Tubers																		65.02
																		0.53
C. Sugar																		
1. Refined Sugar	62.67	-75.68		449.78	588.13			14.55		573.58		573.58	30.55	83.70	334.82			
2. Jaggery	1.10				1.10					1.10		1.10	0.06	0.16	0.54	0.00	0.00	
Total Sugar																		335.36
																		0.00
D. Pulses & Nuts																		
1. Green Gram	15.65	0.64		5.13	20.14		0.39		0.60	19.14		19.14	1.02	2.79	9.72	0.68	0.03	
2. Soya Bean	0.60			0.18	0.78		0.05		0.02	0.71		0.71	0.04	0.10	0.45	0.04	0.02	
3. Cowpea & Dhal	13.43	-5.10		76.80	95.32		0.33		2.86	92.12		92.12	4.91	13.44	44.85	3.20	0.15	
4. Ground Nuts	6.26			2.38	8.64		1.36		0.26	7.02		7.02	0.37	1.02	5.81	0.26	0.41	
S.T.V.P.	2.92	0.00		3.34	6.25					6.25		6.25	0.33	0.91	3.37	0.46	0.03	
Total Pulses & Nuts																		64.20
																		4.65
E. Vegetables																		
1. Vegetables (Excl. Onion)	675.34		5.17		670.18					670.18		670.18	35.70	97.80	43.96	2.06	0.30	
2. Onion	55.49	0.55		102.84	157.78		13.32		47.33	97.12		97.12	5.17	14.17	8.36	0.26	0.01	
Total Vegetable																		52.32
																		2.32
F. Fruits																		
1. Fresh	141.93		2.42	15.34	154.84			3.76		151.08		151.08	8.05	22.05	20.35	0.40	0.39	
2. Dried (Dates, Grapes&etc.)				9.38	9.38					9.38		9.38	0.50	1.37	4.34	0.03	0.01	
Total Fruit																		24.69
																		0.43

Table 5.31(Contd.) - Food Balance Sheet - 1998 (Revised)

Commodity	Production, Foreign Trade & Availability			Distribution					Per Capita Availability								
	Production	Change in stocks	Gross Exports	Gross Imports	Available Supply	Animal Feed	Seed	Manu- -facture	Waste	Food Gross	Extraction Rate	Food Net	Kgm: per yr.	Gms: per day	Calorie Per day	Prot:Gms per day	Fat Gms. Per day
G.Meat																	
1.Beef	24.95			0.08	25.03					25.03			1.33	3.65	7.38	0.69	0.51
2.Pork	1.92			0.15	2.07					2.07			0.11	0.30	1.12	0.04	0.11
3.Mutton (Goat & Sheep)	1.61			0.80	2.40					2.40			0.13	0.35	0.41	0.07	0.01
4.Poultry	58.93	0.19		1.17	59.91					59.91			3.19	8.74	9.53	2.26	0.05
Total Meat															18.44	3.08	0.68
H.Eggs																	
H.Eggs	49.66				49.66		0.87		0.02	48.76			2.80	7.12	12.31	0.95	0.95
I.Fish																	
1.Fresh Fish	260.10			1.33	261.43	5.11		21.75	78.43	156.14			8.32	22.79	31.22	4.46	1.33
2.Dried & Salted Fish	14.50	0.01		52.10	66.58					66.58			3.55	9.72	23.81	4.93	0.39
3.Tinned Fish		0.02		19.25	19.23					19.23			1.02	2.81	4.83	0.59	0.28
Total Fish															59.86	9.97	2.00
J.Milk																	
1.Cow Milk	216.50				216.50			63.51		152.98			8.15	22.33	14.96	0.71	0.92
2.Buffaloe Milk	71.83				71.83					71.83			3.83	10.48	12.26	0.45	0.92
3.Tinned (Whole Dried)	8.63	3.04		48.79	54.39	0.00		0.05		54.34			2.89	7.93	39.33	2.05	2.12
4.Condensed Milk	4.18	0.05		0.26	4.39					4.39			0.23	0.64	2.08	0.05	0.05
5.Milk Food (Yougurt, etc)	1.51			0.32	1.83					1.83			0.10	0.27	0.16	0.01	0.00
Total Milk															68.80	3.27	4.01
K.Oil & Fats																	
1.Coconut	872.43		5.95		866.48			241.19		625.29			33.31	91.25	284.70	2.92	25.73
2.Coconut Oil	38.00	-0.15	2.67		35.49			3.69		31.80			1.69	4.64	40.97	0.00	4.64
3.Gingelly Oil	0.71				0.71					0.71			0.04	0.10	0.91	0.00	0.10
4.Desiccated Coconut	45.07	-0.52	45.24		0.35			0.35		-			-	-	-	-	-
5.Margarine	8.35	-0.08		5.39	13.63					13.63			0.74	2.02	15.43	0.03	1.71
6.Butter	0.63	0.05		0.84	1.41					1.41			0.08	0.21	1.50	0.03	0.17
7.Cheese	0.06	0.01		0.80	0.85					0.85			0.05	0.12	0.43	0.03	0.03
Total Oil & Fats															343.96	2.95	32.38
Animal															161.35	17.30	7.83
Vegetable															2,069.26	36.92	35.79
Total															2,230.61	54.22	43.62

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note:

1. Production of rice and highland crops is estimated for the cultivation year (Maha and Yala) and not for the calendar year.
2. Production of vegetables, fruits, jaggery and gingelly oil is estimated by multiplying the per capita consumption by the Total Mid Year Population
3. The item Rice given here upto "Food Gross" is accounted to be in terms of Paddy.

CHAPTER VI - FORESTRY

Table 6.1 - Area of forests, 1995- 1998

Item	Hectares			
	1995	1996	1997	1998
1. Natural forests				
1.1 Closed canopy Natural forests				
a. Forest Reserves	293,481	293,474	293,472	294,417
b. Proposed Reserves	272,606	272,606	272,439	272,705
c. Other states	571,072	570,983	570,983	570,983
Total	1,137,159	1,137,063	1,136,894	1,138,105
1.2 Sparse forests	370,024	370,024	370,024	370,029
1.3 Mangroves	7,972	7,972	7,972	7,972
Total	377,996	377,996	377,996	378,001
Total forest area under forest department	1,515,155	1,515,059	1,514,890	1,516,105
2. Forest Plantation (man made forests)				
1. Teak	46,028	46,880	46,689	46,689
2. Mahogany	7,315	7,730	7,739	7,739
3. Eucalyptus	25,738	25,968	26,097	26,097
4. Pine/Bamboo	20,597	20,597	20,597	20,597
5. Other Species	32,587	33,877	33,707	33,732
Total	132,265	135,052	134,829	134,854

Source - Department of Forests

Table 6.2 - Area of wild life reserves, 1991 - 1998

Item	Hectares							
	1991	1992	1993	1994(1)	1995(1)	1996	1997	1998
National parks	466,070	460,070	472,286	477,662*	501,161*	524,660	495,785	495,785
Striot natural reserves	31,575	31,570	31,570	31,573	31,573	31,573	31,575	31,575
Nature reserve	33,373	33,373	34,197	33,372	38,120	38,120	45,631	45,735
Jungle corridor	10,360	10,360	10,360	10,364	10,364	10,364	10,364	10,364
Sanctuaries	247,273	277,942	299,099	255,617	255,617	256,902	242,453	242,409

Source - Department of Wild Life Conservation

(1) Area of wild life reserves have been gazatted on basis of recent survey estimates of the Survey General.

* An error has been rectified

Table 6.3 - Production of timber, 1991 - 1998

Item	Unit	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Soft timber	Cu.Metres	115	33	..	..	290	..	..	..
Other logs	"	27,653	38,716	46,051	45,663	56,423	58,480	69,710	86,952
Ebony logs	"	151	48	29	15	44	23	49	30
Sawn timber	"	5,447	5,038	4,822	3,996	5,705	5,219	6,052	6,607
Railway sleepers	Number	18,171	59,779	155,049	77,468	54,035	50,104	65,375	77,092
Electrical transmission posts	"	11,709	26,929	4,613	10,554	21,237	48,295	35,398	39,316
Firewood	Cu.Metres	56,232	75,164	90,904	130,193	191,436	151,959	170,287	169,568
Pulpwood	"	5,932	648	..	..	245	1,676	-	-

CHAPTER VII - FISHERIES

**Table 7.1 - Basic statistics of marine fisheries and fishing craft by
D.F.E.O. Divisions - Census Fisheries - 1996**

District	D.F.E.O. Division	Number of Div. sec Divisions	Number of F.I. Divisions	Number of GN Divisions	Number of Fishing Villages	Total Fishing Households
Batticaloa	Batticaloa	11	11	228	195	13,526
Colombo	Colombo	3	10	31	34	2,308
Gampaha	Negambo	2	15	66	79	10,081
Galle	Galle	6	10	133	169	5,047
Hambantota	Tangalle	4	10	78	57	4,982
Kalutara	Kalutara	3	10	71	62	3,584
Kalmunai	Kalmunai	11	12	274	90	13,064
Matara	Matara	4	11	58	61	4,654
Puttalam	Puttalam	4	10	59	112	9,681
	Chilaw	5	13	53	63	8,042
Trincomalee	Trincomalee	4	9	74	116	7,629
Total		57	121	1,125	1,038	82,598

Source - Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

Abbreviations:

D.F.E.O. -	District Fisheries Extension Officer
Div. Sec.	Divisional Secretary
F.I.	Fisheries Inspector
G.N.	Grama Niladari

Table 7.2 - Fish production by fishing sub - sectors, 1991 - 1998

Metric tons

Year	Total fish production	Marine fish production		Inland and aquaculture fish production
		Costal	Offshore & deep sea	
1991	198,060	159,150	15,080	23,830
1992	206,170	163,170	22,000	21,000
1993	220,900	169,900	33,000	18,000
1994	224,000	174,500	37,500	12,000
1995	237,500	157,500	60,000	18,250
1996	228,800	149,300	57,000	22,250
1997	242,000	152,750	62,000	27,250
1998*	260,100	166,700	63,500	29,900

Source - Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

* Provisional

Note - Also includes fish purchases from foreign vessels permitted to land in Sri Lanka

Table 7.3 - Coastal sub - sector fish production by District Fisheries Extension Officers(D.F.E.O.) Division, 1992 - 1998

D.F.E.O Division	Metric tons						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Batticaloa	9,371	9,750	10,538	6,261	5,592	7,100	7,500
Chilaw	19,217	20,198	21,308	21,554	21,605	18,900	19,950
Cofombo	2,625	2,250	1,923	2,152	1,327	1,800	2,000
Galle	13,765	14,173	14,386	15,309	16,231	16,400	17,250
Kalmunai	10,344	11,150	12,198	6,099	5,038	7,500	7,800
Kalutara	8,837	9,368	9,703	9,903	12,769	12,400	13,500
Matara	12,975	13,823	14,375	14,809	15,259	14,400	16,800
Negombo	21,405	22,277	25,634	25,570	22,149	24,750	25,700
Puttalam	24,017	24,867	26,732	27,028	22,096	20,100	23,300
Tangalle	13,295	14,427	15,204	15,499	14,165	15,100	17,800
Trincomalee	13,048	14,250	14,565	8,739	8,432	8,800	9,100
Northern Province*	14,271	13,367	7,934	4,577	4,637	5,500	6,000
Total	163,170	169,900	174,500	157,500	149,300	152,750	166,700

Source - Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

* Northern province consists of Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu & Mannar D.E.F.O. divisions

Table 7.4 - Coastal sub - sector fish production by varieties, 1992 - 1998

Varieties	Metric tons						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Seer	3,524	3,369	3,200	2,993	2,175	2,400	2,500
Paraw	8,526	8,378	8,000	6,910	6,088	6,900	7,000
Balaya	18,359	19,316	20,475	23,548	25,631	27,600	28,200
Kelawalla	11,730	11,981	13,180	12,050	12,738	14,600	13,900
Other Blood Fish	10,258	10,681	11,215	17,642	15,942	14,800	15,100
Shark/Skate	18,306	19,061	19,500	14,017	7,108	8,800	8,500
Rock Fish	9,870	10,277	10,585	7,088	8,968	9,100	9,200
Shore Seine Varieties	35,097	37,379	38,870	49,785	48,221	42,700	49,800
Prawns	6,470	6,737	7,000	**	**	**	**
Lobsters	828	862	1,000	400	**	**	**
Others	40,202	41,859	41,475	23,067	22,429	25,850	32,500
Total	163,170	169,900	174,500	157,500	149,300	152,750	166,700

Source - Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

** Included under others

Table 7.5 - Quantity and value of exports of major fish production, 1992 - 1998

Description	1992		1993		1994		1995		1996		1997		1998	
	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)
Prawns	1,246.25	613.09	1,426.44	808.03	2,300.84	1,650.41	2,780.50	2,153.14	3,155.07	2,365.35	2,584.34	2,194.62	5,091.76	4,474.14
Lobsters	153.96	125.14	311.57	209.21	364.18	257.61	283.32	259.65	356.87	410.76	214.06	271.10	163.99	195.11
Crabs	533.33	66.91	546.33	82.22	908.61	168.19	898.24	181.40	845.84	180.62	727.51	48.70	486.03	111.02
Beche de Mer	24.51	36.56	37.33	25.63	91.92	69.27	247.63	148.17	182.15	166.23	272.27	356.10	202.70	269.78
Ornamental Fish	246.27	142.93	290.68	204.91	382.66	247.64	331.23	273.30	529.77	309.17	14.64	4.44	1,043.35	530.77
Chank & Shells	93.08	12.30	121.89	19.87	235.67	33.85	745.92	41.30	723.31	44.14	430.84	55.72	602.86	81.69
Shark Fins	89.55	135.16	58.60	98.93	81.15	110.37	126.88	162.81	52.30	111.51	83.38	183.19	76.50	137.99
Molluscs	158.93	42.73	154.51	47.61	112.56	48.67	51.25	16.28	25.25	13.74	14.11	18.21	86.56	32.72
Fish Maws	3.76	0.58	1.75	0.82	0.73	0.15	1.26	1.74	0.11	0.03	0.38	0.31	1.44	0.63
Frozen Fish	1,130.04	116.14	2,900.74	625.07	2,706.97	702.28	1,978.48	413.48	2,494.20	523.85	3,251.04	4,378.00	3,678.77	898.59
Fat & Oil of Fish	55.10	12.37	45.56	21.79	8.66	3.25	12.34	4.22	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	3,734.78	1,303.91	5,895.40	2,144.09	7,193.95	3,291.69	7,457.05	3,655.49	8,364.87	4,125.40	7,592.57	7,510.39	11,433.96	6,732.44

Source - Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources
Department of Sri Lanka Customs

Table 7.6 - Quantity and value of imports of fish production, 1992 - 1998

Description	1992		1993		1994		1995		1996		1997		1998	
	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)	Qty (M.T)	Value (Rs.Mn.)
Maldivo Fish	3,042.51	300.20	4,011.35	348.05	4,193.35	460.28	3,371.13	412.53	3,809.50	481.25	3,246.20	442.30	2,669.22	406.92
Dried Fish	41,246.90	1,497.01	42,465.92	1,421.42	39,404.08	1,629.85	44,798.84	1,738.68	43,864.94	1,872.75	48,781.60	2,159.10	49,426.47	2,195.26
Canned Fish	10,681.80	534.31	7,008.26	417.40	12,664.52	802.85	20,169.23	1,215.20	15,208.49	1,071.21	21,925.30	1,519.40	19,108.91	1,317.76
Others	29.46	2.48	0.39	0.32	-	-	4.14	2.59	0.92	1.02	-	-	9.42	3.02
Total	55,000.67	2,334.00	53,485.92	2,187.19	56,261.95	2,892.98	68,343.34	3,369.00	62,883.85	3,426.23	73,953.10	4,120.80	71,214.02	3,922.96

Source - Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources
Department of Sri Lanka Customs

Table 7.7 - Local production and imports of dried fish, 1989 - 1998

Year	Local (1) production (Mt.)	Imported (2) Quantity (Mt.)	Total (Mt.)
1989	6,080	20,460	26,540
1990	11,120	38,360	49,480
1991	12,930	43,890	56,820
1992	14,400	44,290	58,690
1993	15,500	64,750	80,250
1994	16,120	47,620	63,740
1995	12,000	44,798	56,798
1996	10,000	43,864	53,864
1997	12,000	48,782	60,782
1998	14,500	49,426	63,926

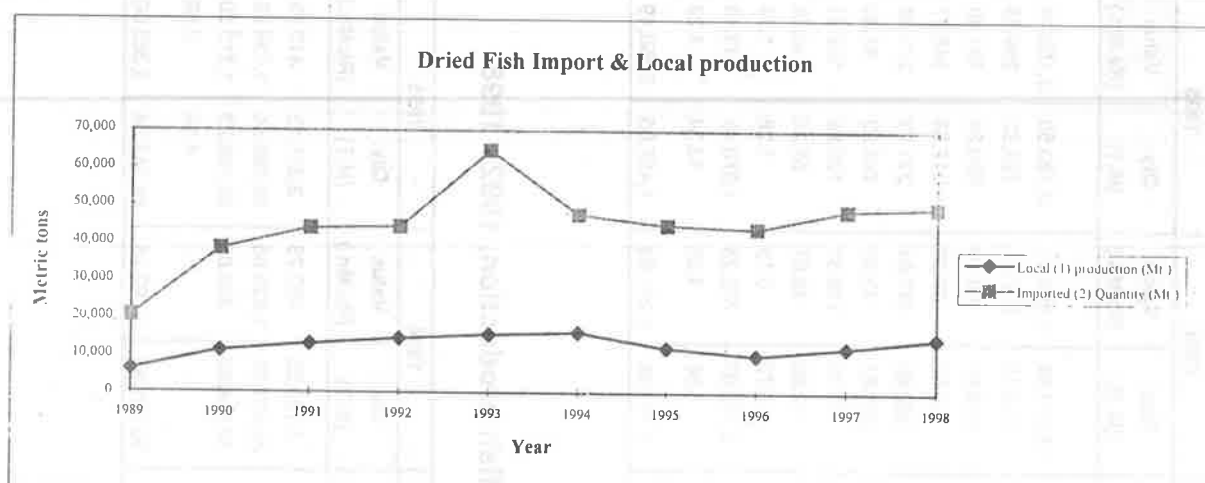
Source - Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

(1) Annual Estimates

(2) Custom Returns

Note - About 70 to 80 percent of dry fish production operates in Northern and Eastern provinces.

These annual estimates were prepared by consulting the District Fisheries Extension Officers.

**Table 7.8 - Operating fishing crafts, 1991 - 1998**

Year	Total fishing crafts	Inboard engines		Out board engines		None Mechanized
		Multiday	Day	Fibre glass	Traditional	
1991	28,608	2,442	**	9,952	1,022	15,192
1992	26,066	2,964	**	8,709	1,012	13,381
1993(1)	22,619	1,204	1,372	7,754	1,009	11,280
1994(1)	25,136	1,543	1,272	8,843	1,016	12,462
1995	27,269	1,639	1,357	8,564	1,060	14,649
1996(1)	26,609	1,710	1,543	8,334	1,149	13,873
1997	27,411	1,764	1,351	8,300	1,771	14,225
1998(2)	28,261	1,353	2,494	6,910	1,845	15,659

Source - Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

(1) Excluding Northern province

(2) Census of operating fishing craft - August 1998 (Estimated for North & East)

** included under Multiday boats.

CHAPTER VIII - INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Table 8.1 - Employment statistics of BOI enterprises, 1992 - 1998

Sector	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997+	1998 +
Food, beverage and tobacco	2,480	3,094	4,105	8,159	6,931	8,625	11,699
Textile and wearing apparel	62,776*	69,274*	144,131*	153,664*	156,391*	1,61,321*	189,395*
Wood and wood products	58	628	1,074	2,500	2,449	3,147	2,723
Paper and paper products	150	276	459	519	733	1,011	871
Chemical, petroleum, rubber	8,592	11,922	13,378	19,020	20,509	22,319	25,699
Non-metallic mineral products	6,966	7,270	8,146	9,160	9,226	9,709	10,920
Fabricated metal products	1,498	609	887	1,252	1,399	1,681	2,503
Manufacturing products	15,473	20,287	23,433	23,761	26,645	31,563	31,538
Services	6,227	8,805	10,047	15,332	17,687	18,809	19,033
Total	104,220	122,165	205,660	233,367	241,970	258,185	294,381

Source - Board of Investment of Sri Lanka

* Included 200 garment factories

+ Provisional

Table 8.2 - Principal indicators of industrial activity classified by province, 1995 - 1996 all establishments (with 5 or more persons engaged)

Name of province	% Distribution of persons engaged	per person value (Rs.)			
		Salaries & wages	Value of out put	Value of input	Value added
1995					
Western	74.6	52,994	605,635	335,021	270,614
Central	4.5	33,687	436,569	247,726	188,843
Southern	4.7	32,005	304,591	175,960	128,631
North - Western	4.2	40,916	383,480	161,462	221,017
North - Central	1.0	33,136	252,722	101,556	151,166
Uva	2.9	31,071	691,548	140,702	550,846
Sabaragamuwa	7.4	42,980	369,343	185,039	184,304
Others	0.8	58,455	2,657,446	1,903,355	754,091
Total*	100.0	49,100	571,932	309,405	262,527

Table 8.2(Contd.) - Principal indicators of industrial activity classified by province, 1995 - 1996 all establishments (with 5 or more persons engaged)

Name of province	% Distribution of persons engaged	per person value (Rs.)			
		Salaries & wages	Value of out put	Value of input	Value added
1996					
Western	76.3	59,763	795,592	457,906	337,686
Central	7.0	35,544	412,192	231,595	180,597
Southern	4.4	38,208	474,930	268,113	206,817
North - Western	3.3	68,898	883,549	504,677	378,872
North - Central	0.2	66,375	722,372	455,596	266,776
Uva	2.9	43,161	372,957	195,175	177,781
Sabaragamuwa	5.4	52,737	600,782	317,162	283,620
Others	0.5	81,678	1,144,907	714,607	430,299
Total*	100.0	56,695	736,663	421,526	315,138

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

* Excluding Northern and Eastern provinces

Table 8.3 - Selected statistical indicators of industrial activity classified by industry division, 1995 - 1996 all establishment

Industry Division	% Distribution of persons engaged	Salaries & wages per person(Rs.)	Value of out put per person(Rs.)	Value of Input per person(Rs.)	Value added per person(Rs.)	Persons engaged per unit
1995						
Other mining	0.7	58,211	166,515	35,652	130,863	54
Food, beverages and tobacco	15.3	44,496	950,571	446,563	504,008	107
Textile, wearing apparel and leather	50.6	44,133	310,769	179,594	131,176	291
Wood, wood products and furniture	1.2	33,210	288,694	79,207	209,487	30
Paper products, printing and publishing	3.1	73,498	481,018	272,555	208,463	185
Chemicals, petroleum, rubber, plastic products	9.5	56,483	1,275,808	886,928	388,880	140
Non - metallic mineral products	3.5	65,751	671,900	355,950	315,950	97
Basic metal industries	0.7	80,505	1,044,883	523,925	520,957	157
Fabricated metal products, machinery and equipment	5.3	59,850	578,932	318,842	260,090	129
Other manufacturing industries	4.7	38,008	566,950	412,621	154,329	322
Electricity, gas and steam	3.5	75,364	1,040,991	78,191	962,800	139,930
Water works and supply	4.7	55,418	206,346	62,978	143,368	7,472
Total	100.0	49,100	571,932	309,405	262,527	182

Table 8.3(Contd.) - Selected statistical indicators of industrial activity classified by industry division, 1995 - 1996 all establishment

Industry Division	% Distribution of persons engaged	Salaries & wages per person(Rs.)	Value of out put per person(Rs.)	Value of Input per person(Rs.)	Value added per person(Rs.)	Persons engaged per unit
1996						
Other mining	0.4	44,103	149,643	33,610	116,032	24
Food, beverages and tobacco	17.3	51,416	1,234,427	534,583	699,845	97
Textile, wearing apparel and leather	46.1	47,736	360,659	211,299	149,360	274
Wood, wood products and furniture	1.6	32,799	197,847	60,552	137,295	34
Paper products, printing and publishing	2.8	74,541	602,990	360,311	242,680	123
Chemicals, petroleum, rubber, plastic products	11.1	66,579	1,670,141	1,345,778	324,363	142
Non - metallic mineral products	4.9	80,136	670,384	384,594	285,790	110
Basic metal industries	0.7	79,328	892,587	607,432	285,155	145
Fabricated metal products, machinery and equipment	4.5	78,233	601,035	346,529	254,505	133
Other manufacturing industries	4.0	50,365	877,459	690,212	187,247	405
Electricity, gas and steam	4.4	75,364	1,040,991	78,191	962,800	13,930
Water works and supply	2.4	55,934	207,968	76,700	131,268	7,574
Total	100.0	56,695	736,663	421,526	315,138	166

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 8.4 - Principal indicators of industrial activity classified by persons engaged size class ,1995 - 1996 (establishments with 25 or more persons engaged)

Size class	% Distribution of persons engaged	Salaries & wages per person(Rs.)	Value of out put per person(Rs.)	Value of input per person(Rs.)	Value added per person(Rs.)
1995					
Less than 30	0.39	32,244	455,428	191,010	264,417
30-39	1.17	30,267	517,111	196,945	320,166
40-49	1.42	43,085	1,276,411	252,534	1,023,877
50-99	5.25	43,371	608,205	314,166	294,039
100-199	7.56	42,820	570,069	308,342	261,727
200-499	18.00	47,595	650,898	398,517	252,381
500-999	24.08	44,554	648,329	397,645	250,684
1000 & over	42.14	56,605	490,129	238,937	251,192
Total	100.00	49,750	580,732	314,590	266,142

Table 8.4(Contd.) - Principal indicators of industrial activity classified by persons engaged size class ,1995 - 1996 (establishments with 25 or more persons engaged)

Size class	% Distribution of persons engaged	Salaries & wages per person(Rs.)	Value of out put per person(Rs.)	Value of input per person(Rs.)	Value added per person(Rs.)
1996					
Less than 30	0.63	30,884	357,516	185,009	172,506
30-39	1.29	30,003	395,047	214,717	180,330
40-49	1.39	41,557	629,141	399,204	229,936
50-99	6.20	41,410	595,056	336,650	258,405
100-199	8.86	48,766	647,364	381,959	265,405
200-499	15.31	52,175	909,381	584,194	325,186
500-999	20.93	55,300	712,137	303,799	408,338
1000 & over	45.38	65,925	775,130	467,628	307,501
Total	100.00	57,531	750,419	429,452	320,968

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 8.5 - Principal indicators of industrial activity classified by out put size class, 1995 - 1996 (establishments with 25 or more persons engaged)

Size class	% Distribution of persons engaged	Salaries & wages per person(Rs.)	Value of out put per person(Rs.)	Value of input per person(Rs.)	Value added per person(Rs.)
1995					
Less than 50,000	0.03	4,677	1,093	502	591
50,000 - 199,999	0.40	13,377	443	387	56
200,000 - 499,999	0.20	3,991	7,064	5,873	1,191
500,000 - 999,999	0.18	17,001	17,613	7,791	9,822
1,000,000 - 4,999,999	1.88	20,064	46,646	17,798	28,848
5,000,000 - 9,999,999	2.18	27,908	101,251	45,059	56,192
10,000,000 - 49,999,999	17.90	29,010	181,005	90,538	90,468
50,000,000 - 99,999,999	13.31	40,351	273,778	141,623	132,155
100,000,000 & above	63.92	59,618	795,956	435,229	360,727
Total	100.00	49,750	580,732	314,590	266,142

Table 8.5(Contd.) - Principal indicators of industrial activity classified by out put size class, 1995 - 1996 (establishments with 25 or more persons engaged)

Size class	% Distribution of persons engaged	Salaries & wages per person(Rs.)	Value of out put per person(Rs.)	Value of input per person(Rs.)	Value added per person(Rs.)
1996					
Less than 50,000					
50,000 - 199,999	0.07	13,331	2,102	503	1,599
200,000 - 499,999	0.24	1,368	6,836	4,299	2,538
500,000 - 999,999	0.57	6,608	10,181	4,485	5,696
1,000,000 - 4,999,999	1.86	21,821	51,793	18,443	33,350
5,000,000 - 9,999,999	3.24	17,779	63,900	30,927	32,973
10,000,000 - 49,999,999	13.97	34,462	235,392	123,169	112,223
50,000,000 - 99,999,999	10.81	45,006	367,860	203,453	164,407
100,000,000 & above	69.24	67,619	974,430	561,657	412,773
Total	100.00	57,531	750,419	429,452	320,968

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 8.6 - Selected indicators of construction activity classified by type of work and sector, 1994 - 1995

Type of construction work	Total no. of activities	Labour cost (Rs. '000)	Value of work done (Rs. '000)	Cost of materials (Rs. '000)	Value added (Rs. '000)
1994					
All sectors					
Buildings	795	320,099	1,753,541	775,367	829,281
Highway	115	37,902	188,947	93,772	60,841
Bridge	15	3,438	31,675	3,157	24,037
Water supply and drainage	40	17,405	124,085	53,525	59,674
Irrigation and land drainage	39	20,153	129,495	40,984	54,681
Dredging and reclamation	5	235	753	458	271
Total	1,009	399,231	2,228,495	967,264	1,028,785
Public					
Buildings	614	192,206	1,110,576	466,246	573,069
Highway	92	26,782	148,013	76,701	46,866
Bridge	14	2,486	26,802	2,700	20,199
Water supply and drainage	35	17,144	120,960	52,864	57,249
Irrigation and land drainage	39	20,153	129,495	40,984	54,681
Dredging and reclamation	3	95	353	258	95
Total	797	258,866	1,536,199	639,753	752,159
Private					
Buildings	181	127,892	642,965	309,121	256,212
Highway	23	11,120	40,934	17,071	13,975
Bridge	1	952	4,872	457	3,838
Water supply and drainage	5	260	3,125	662	2,425
Dredging and reclamation	2	140	400	200	176
Total	212	140,365	692,296	327,510	276,626

Table 8.6 (Contd.) - Selected indicators of construction activity classified by type of work and sector, 1994 - 1995

Type of construction work	Total no. of activities	Labour cost (Rs. '000)	Value of work done (Rs. '000)	Cost of materials (Rs. '000)	Value added (Rs. '000)
1995					
All sectors					
Buildings	678	281,823	1,884,427	934,982	662,225
Highway	176	748,186	2,144,455	883,722	1,142,300
Bridge	38	54,102	189,269	79,782	91,028
Water supply and drainage	45	16,477	81,230	33,906	35,476
Irrigation and land drainage	108	20,512	76,651	30,274	33,925
Dredging and reclamation	6	635	2,040	581	1,283
Other	34	7,256	43,429	23,997	15,797
Total	1,085	1,128,992	4,421,503	1,987,244	1,982,034
Public					
Buildings	581	161,834	864,586	435,130	363,521
Highway	155	740,210	2,112,522	869,384	1,130,340
Bridge	31	53,573	187,047	78,937	90,227
Water supply and drainage	35	10,649	54,637	18,049	27,329
Irrigation and land drainage	100	20,152	74,851	29,374	33,189
Dredging and reclamation	4	240	619	289	290
Other	25	4,899	31,728	16,966	13,060
Total	931	991,557	3,325,989	1,448,128	1,657,956
Private					
Buildings	97	119,989	1,019,842	499,852	298,704
Highway	21	7,975	31,934	14,338	11,960
Bridge	7	529	2,222	845	801
Water supply and drainage	10	5,828	26,593	15,858	8,147
Irrigation and land drainage	8	360	1,800	900	736
Dredging and reclamation	2	396	1,421	292	993
Other	9	2,357	11,702	7,031	2,737
Total	154	137,435	1,095,513	539,115	324,079

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note - Above survey covered construction activities done by the contractors registered with the ICTAD, local authorities and plans approved by the local authorities during the year.
Total may not tally because of rounding of figures.

Table 8.6a - Selected indicators of construction activity classified by province and district, 1994 - 1995

Type of construction work	Labour cost (Rs.)	Value of work done (Rs.)	Cost of Materials (Rs.)	Value added (Rs.)
1994				
Western Province				
Colombo	175,985,155	1,085,143,806	377,184,669	609,374,905
Gampaha	24,059,867	127,599,132	70,471,202	41,638,531
Kalutara	6,909,583	31,835,473	20,210,782	10,534,488
Central Province				
Kandy	44,906,027	200,994,419	114,306,277	71,456,785
Matale	3,584,294	13,784,102	6,969,257	6,405,215
Nuwara Eliya	7,420,196	35,869,482	20,199,630	14,467,820
Southern Province				
Galle	14,304,798	77,786,736	38,751,495	34,222,841
Matara	2,747,247	27,617,503	20,994,066	3,940,261
Hambantota	1,815,136	7,174,137	4,241,522	2,813,115
Northern Province				
Manar	2,627,093	14,488,097	8,424,143	5,398,719
Eastern Province				
Batticaloa	2,417,600	14,466,760	9,169,187	4,667,651
Ampara	9,759,480	68,016,676	35,403,460	14,670,380
North-western Province				
Kurunegala	9,401,486	39,013,167	26,480,796	11,449,338
Puttalam	3,154,388	18,071,636	11,392,161	5,505,524
North central Province				
Anuradhapura	19,947,203	75,554,800	40,067,067	27,965,155
Polonnaruwa	20,138,087	118,351,501	50,347,169	38,367,559
Uva Province				
Badulla	18,562,564	107,862,098	34,519,725	45,417,225
Moneragala	8,259,405	33,110,200	18,239,225	12,224,792
Sabaraagamuwa Province				
Ratnapura	17,527,536	105,947,424	44,769,943	53,960,764
Kegalle	5,703,902	25,807,737	15,121,956	9,303,693
Total	399,231,047	2,228,494,886	967,263,784	1,028,784,661

Table 8.6a (Contd.) - Selected indicators of construction activity classified by province and district, 1994 - 1995

Type of construction work	Total no. of activities	Labour cost (Rs.)	Value of work done (Rs.)	Cost of Materials (Rs.)	Value added (Rs.)
1995					
Western Province					
Colombo	131	238,219,478	1,304,604,238	606,124,700	544,104,080
Gampaha	72	56,002,781	262,100,083	140,003,563	110,219,064
Kalutara	34	48,898,500	230,938,813	10,090,533	83,019,895
Central Province					
Kandy	59	110,841,997	354,244,635	165,383,356	178,790,146
Matale	26	14,891,110	53,459,243	20,026,490	26,188,541
Nuwara Eliya	37	45,860,405	157,968,327	78,131,898	65,689,870
Southern Province					
Galle	60	49,316,113	284,549,563	126,713,087	87,656,225
Matara	29	34,788,002	128,126,588	54,428,834	58,778,709
Hambantota	18	20,505,183	84,328,367	32,449,265	41,724,402
Northern Province					
Vavuniya	2	526,326	2,338,905	1,388,012	620,326
Mullaitivu	12	795,680	3,306,000	1,376,440	1,668,480
Eastern Province					
Batticaloa	1	13,228,609	23,111,904	6,648,375	16,342,102
Ampara	3	10,848,476	34,452,480	17,676,462	15,113,463
Trincomalee	3	20,489,889	41,281,913	14,652,023	23,780,099
North-western Province					
Kurunegala	35	50,726,024	153,523,653	68,477,758	79,300,610
Puttalam	14	63,266,662	151,157,393	59,182,585	78,414,181
North central Province					
Anuradhapura	179	71,029,927	224,642,658	82,541,848	108,808,653
Polonnaruwa	60	83,165,505	216,712,898	81,165,923	120,272,307
Uva Province					
Badulla	24	58,380,077	198,855,637	93,502,148	90,101,888
Moneragala	23	26,036,401	83,114,603	35,560,068	40,549,230
Sabaraagamuwa Province					
Ratnapura	150	78,434,260	257,412,644	109,713,775	127,200,175
Kegalle	113	34,640,292	161,451,360	69,532,077	85,220,397
Total	1,085	1,130,884,697	4,421,771,925	1,964,771,220	1,983,562,843

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note - Above survey covered construction activities done by the contractors registered with the ICTAD, local authorities and plans approved by the local authorities during the year.

CHAPTER IX - BUILDINGS

Table 9.1 - New buildings constructed, additions and alteration within municipalities - 1997

Municipality	Residential		Non - residential		Additions and alterations	
	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)
Total	1,097	2,115,506	147	496,421	211	320,573
Kotte	219	535,723	8	92,560	28	65,230
Dehiwala - Mt. Lavinia	292	626,240	29	95,344	16	33,600
Moratuwa	151	225,687	24	128,878	36	45,372
Negombo	45	99,213	11	20,599	6	10,222
Kandy	169	302,320	28	49,711	106	138,381
Matale	45	63,618	4	13,081	4	6,312
Nuwara - Eliya	5	19,906	-	-	-	-
Galle	78	101,061	7	23,602	-	-
Jaffna	1	3,286	1	7,944	3	1,244
Batticaloa	51	59,282	23	30,676	-	-
Kurunegala	30	63,250	8	28,276	5	9,848
Ratnapura	11	15,920	4	5,750	7	10,364

Note - Data from Colombo and Badulla MCC area are not Reported.

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 9.2 - New buildings constructed, additions and alteration within urban councils by district - 1997

District	Residential		Non - residential		Additions and alteration	
	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)
Total	478	628,844,787	77	192,852	36	51,312
Colombo	22	37,787	2	2,435	2	19,434
Gampaha	123	151,457	15	73,896	10	8,835
Kalutara	91	131,000	16	47,373	-	-
Kandy	54	66,958	9	20,314	11	8,576
Nuwara - Eliya	16	17,072	2	1,612	8	9,079
Galle	3	3,548	3	3,413	2	3,721
Matara	40	65,084	8	5,481	-	-
Hambantota	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	29	54,007	2	2,518	-	-
Trincomalee	7	7,216	-	-	-	-
Puttalam	28	33,224	9	5,924	-	-
Kurunegala	7	11,061	4	22,417	2	559
Ratnapura	10	17,591	3	4,099	1	1,108
Kegalle	48	70,589	4	3,370	-	-

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 9.3 - New buildings constructed, additions and alteration within town councils (pradeshiya sabha) by district - 1997

District	Residential		Non - residential		Additions and alteration	
	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)	No. of build-ings	Floor space (Sq.Ft.)
Total	1,003	1,437,893	100	409,725	43	41,622
Colombo	427	724,072	46	193,626	20	23,020
Gampaha	414	532,937	35	200,256	18	14,378
Kalutara	46	60,486	8	6,499	2	2,640
Kandy	9	11,804	-	-	-	-
Nuwara - Eliya	7	5,627	-	-	-	-
Galle	15	17,282	1	840	-	515
Hambantota	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurunegala	57	51,979	4	2,852	1	1,069
Kegalle	28	33,706	6	5,652	-	-

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

CHAPTER X - POWER

Table 10.1 - Production, use of electricity and gas ,1993 - 1998

Item	Unit	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Installed capacity and production							
(a) Installed capacity	M.W.	1,409	1,409	1,387	1,432	1,696	1,646
C.E.B.		1,409	1,409	1,387	1,387	1,542	1,542
Private & Hired		-	-	-	45	154	104
(b) Energy production	GWh.	3,979	4,365	4,783	4,377	4,911	5,566*
Domestic users:							
(a) No. of consumers(1)	Number	1,100,288	1,233,359	1,333,888	1,479,344	1,624,257	1,797,333*
(b) Energy consumed	GWh.	826	928	1,034	1,046	1,213	1,368*
Commercial users							
(a) No. of consumers(1)	Number	147,820	160,482	172,120	189,360	203,431	219,266*
(b) Energy consumed	GWh.	641	582	631	592	689	757*
Industrial users							
(a) No. of consumers(1)	Number	17,970	19,551	20,763	21,862	23,008	24,226*
(b) Energy consumed	GWh.	1,223	1,406	1,527	1,361	1,430	1,612*
Gas Production							
(a) Air mixed gas	Cu.Mtrs.'000	1,845	1,727	1,933	..	..	..
(b) L.P. gas	MT.	16,660	15,215	11,576	18,326	13,881	..

Source - Ceylon Electricity Board

Ceylon Gas and Water Company Ltd.

* Estimated

(1) These are the number of consumers retailed by the C.E.B. number of consumers in Local Authorities and LECO are not available.

Notes:-

- (a) 1990-1993 There was a separate hotel tariff which have been included to the commercial sector for 1994. Hotel consumers who are registered with Tourist Board have been included in the industrial sector. Others have been included in the commercial sector.
- (b) The installed capacity of the Chunnakam power station (14MW) and Kankasanturai (cement) Gas Turbine (8.2MW) which were not in operation since 1991 have been excluded from 1995.

Address and location	No. of	Capacity	Year	Capacity	Year	Capacity	Year
(No. of	Units)	(MW)	(1993)	(MW)	(1994)	(MW)	(1995)
Chunnakam	1	14.0	1991	-	-	-	-
Kankasanturai	1	8.2	1991	-	-	-	-
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CHAPTER XI - TRANSPORT

ROAD TRANSPORT

Table 11.1 - Length of public roads, 1991- 1998

Division	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Sri Lanka	25,749	25,749	26,004	11,078*	11,131*	11,147*	11,147*	11,171*
Western	3,441	3,441	3,447	1,491	1,498	1,498	1,498	1,516
Central	3,914	3,914	3,988	1,658	1,677	1,678	1,678	1,678
Southern	2,942	2,942	2,944	1,212	1,213	1,213	1,213	1,219
Northern	-	-	-	1,259	1,259	1,259	1,259	1,259
Eastern	4,900	2,638	4,913	1,069	1,079	1,079	1,079	1,079
Noth-western	3,316	3,316	3,317	1,263	1,268	1,268	1,268	1,268
North-central	2,631	2,631	2,773	1,038	1,056	1,056	1,056	1,056
Uva	2,422	2,422	2,439	1,033	1,025	1,040	1,025	1,040
Sabaragamuwa	2,184	2,184	2,183	1,055	1,056	1,056	1,056	1,056

Source - Ministry of Transport and Highways

* A and B roads only

Table 11.2 - Number of motor vehicles on registers as at 31st December of each year, 1991 - 1998

Item	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
All vehicles	904,373	1,003,047	1,086,821	1,162,313	1,244,653	1,324,156	1,407,532	1,511,207
Total cars etc.	630,507	705,682	767,436	816,937	869,995	919,695	971,490	1,036,268
Cars and Cabs & three wheelars	180,135	189,477	197,300	210,013	228,869	246,528	261,570	284,259
Motor cycles	450,372	516,205	570,136	606,924	641,126	673,167	709,920	752,009
Vehicles for public conveyance - buses	43,259	46,162	47,692	51,512	53,181	54,656	56,713	60,064
Goods vehicles, lorries, vans etc.	108,530	112,674	117,536	122,716	129,998	135,687	141,245	149,859
Total agricultural tractors and engines	93,068	98,555	105,202	112,362	121,486	129,821	137,478	145,893
Tractors	70,076	75,010	80,729	86,705	94,122	101,149	107,821	115,165
Trailors	22,992	23,545	24,473	25,657	27,364	28,672	29,657	30,728
Ambulances and hearses	931	1,065	1,073	1,106	1,136	1,183	1,199	1,261
Dual purpose vehicles	28,078	38,909	47,882	57,680	68,857	83,114	99,407	117,862

Source - Department of Motor Traffic

Table 11.3 - Road vehicles registered by class of vehicles and fuel used, 1993- 1998

Item	Number					
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Cars						
Private cars (1)						
Petrol driven	5,444	4,855	4,400	3,938	3,082	5,180
Diesel oil driven	2,385	2,890	1,806	804	1,561	962
Three wheeler						
Petrol	..	4,967	12,661	12,922	9,648	14,971
Diesel	..	7	-	-	754	1,576
Buses						
S.L.T.B						
Diesel oil driven	-	-	-	310	459	552
Private coaches						
Petrol driven	7	-	2	-	-	-
Diesel oil driven	2,123	3,823	1,699	1,169	1,600	2,796
Lorries and vans						
Lorries proper-						
Petrol driven	43	33	173	175	124	96
Diesel oil driven	4,610	4,938	6,806	5,252	5,184	8,274
Other lorries (tractors etc.)						
petrol diesel, kerosene	201	95	94	103	59	76
Lorry tractors						
Diesel oil driven	-	20	102	70	111	152
Trailers (non-fuel)	94	109	118	91	83	104
Ambulances						
Petrol driven	2	1	1	4	-	-
Diesel driven	2	32	27	34	10	61
Hearses						
Petrol driven	4	-	2	9	6	1
Motor cycles						
Petrol driven	53,934	36,791	34,207	31,955	36,755	42,089
Land vehicles-tractors						
Diesel oil driven	1,563	1,807	2,328	1,819	1,476	1,694
Land vehicles trailers (non-fuel)	928	1,184	1,707	1,303	980	1,071
Other land vehicles						
Diesel oil driven	4,156	4,169	5,089	5,208	5,196	5,650
All vehicles						
Petrol driven	59,470	46,672	51,482	48,536	50,376	62,438
Diesel oil driven	23,966	27,554	29,094	29,496	31,942	40,147
Non-fuel	1,022	1,294	1,825	1,394	1,063	1,175
Dual purpose (2)						
Petrol	36	25	36	33	6	101
Diesel	8,937	9,773	11,143	14,217	16,287	18,354

Source - Department of Motor Traffic

(1) Includes hiring cars.

(2) This class of vehicles have been introduced from September 1985.

Table 11.4 - Number of road accidents reported to police, 1988 - 1997

Item	Number									
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total number of road accidents	33,028	31,696	34,463	34,144	37,777	41,495	43,815	48,139	46,529	48,232
Number of casualties by degree of injury:										
Deaths	1,385	1,596	1,795	1,532	1,517	1,599	1,411	1,681	1,660	1,753
Injured	12,777	10,786	14,002	13,695	14,975	17,182	18,814	24,296	18,332	19,606

Source - Police Department

Table 11.5 - Road accidents reported to police in the city of Colombo by police area, 1988 - 1997

Police station area	Number									
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total	9,688	9,511	9,132	9,575	10,624	10,990	10,690	11,293	10,867	11,216
Modera	180	174	189	162	217	238	209	215	213	190
Grandpass	427	525	635	455	412	546	625	748	791	759
Kotahena	407	414	437	571	484	438	448	557	518	721
Dematagoda	340	257	237	257	364	460	451	333	303	239
Borella	744	713	895	893	887	954	902	898	1,089	1,088
Maradana	1,162	1,145	972	851	866	904	865	971	975	841
Fort	632	825	497	749	972	909	858	867	721	539
Pettah	515	571	510	557	566	559	519	550	368	539
Slave Island	456	491	526	602	783	777	708	685	895	852
Colpetty	1,127	775	733	796	1,081	1,223	1,202	1,328	850	1,006
Cinnamon Gardens	1,090	1,008	1,133	1,211	1,162	1,160	1,205	1,383	1,302	1,215
Bambalapitiya	1,105	1,080	1,103	1,064	1,144	1,051	1,080	996	1,006	1,067
Wellawatta	502	562	406	444	801	839	708	688	696	867
Narahenpita	380	309	249	275	273	300	322	403	325	393
Foreshore Ports	91	115	77	162	74	118	107	97	69	133
Kirulapone	251	262	163	248	247	216	212	275	436	294
Harbour	54	36	67	69	60	75	68	67	35	54
Malligawatte	138	143	185	114	132	139	106	149	149	193
Keseliwatta	87	106	113	95	99	84	95	83	126	226

Source - Police Department

Table 11.6 - Number of persons killed in road accidents, 1988 - 1997

Persons killed	Number									
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total	1,385	1,596	1,795	1,532	1,517	1,599	1,411	1,681	1,660	1,753
Drivers of vehicles	71	77	96	85	84	65	177	177	300	319
Passengers	258	417	417	529	485	304	438	365	331	347
Pedestrians	627	648	686	542	528	603	586	636	582	580
Pedal cyclists	226	224	265	195	231	222	3	246	213	251
Riders of motor cycles, scooters or cycles fitted with motors	199	226	324	181	189	208	-	244	229	244
Others	4	4	7	-	-	197	207	13	5	12

Source - Police Department

Table 11.7 - Number of persons injured in road accidents in the city of Colombo, 1988 - 1997

Persons Injured	Number									
	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total	1,713	1,635	2,032	2,149	2,441	2,510	2,112	1,865	1,357	1,336
Drivers of vehicles	92	66	112	403	151	149	390	241	244	220
Passengers	206	247	288	453	383	404	546	260	178	161
Pedestrians	945	877	1,052	1,098	1,151	1,168	1,001	944	624	664
Pedal cyclist	458	130	165	8	175	196	9	96	76	87
Riders of motor cycles, scooters or pedal cycles fitted with motors	-	306	404	32	541	547	19	296	200	154
Others	12	9	11	155	40	46	147	28	35	50

Source - Police Department

Table 11.8 - Omnibus services , 1991 - 1998

Item	Unit	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Number of routes (1)	Number	1,420	1,420	1,420	1,420	1,460	1,460	1,460	1,481
Route kilometres covered (2)	Km.	60,420	60,420	60,420	60,420	96,100	96,100	96,100	96,310
Number of bus kilometres operated	Km Mn	247	268	277.7	306.7	357.7	349	332.4	379.71
Buses licensed	Number	5,862	6,145	6,700	7,914	8,672	8,123	8,009	8,204
Average no. of buses operated per day	Number	3,359	3,550	3,750	4,207	4,650	4,710	4,490	4,505
Number of passengers carried	Mn	769.4	868	909	976.7	1,054	1,177	1,074	1,014
Average passenger journey	Km.	14.9	14.9	14.8	15.9	15.9(2)	16.3	17.6	17.40
Total revenue	Rupees Mn.	2,760.7	2,760.7	3,388(3)	3,947.5(3)	4,633.5	5,181	4,575	5,236
Revenue per bus kilometre	Rupees	11.17	11.17	12.20	12.87	13.13	14.85	13.76	13.79

Source - Sri Lanka Central Transport Board

(1) Short services not included.

(2) Estimated.

(3) Including reimbursement.

RAIL TRANSPORT

Table 11.9 - Length of railway track open for traffic ,1990 - 1998

Item	Kilometres									
	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	
Total (all gauges)	1,453	1,462	1,462	1,491	1,501	1,463	1,447	1,447	1,447	
Total (broad gauge)	1,394	1,403	1,403	1,432	1,442	1,404	1,447	1,447	1,447	
Single line	1,293	1,302	1,302	1,331	1,341	1,303	1,346	1,346	1,346	
Double line	101	101	101	101	101	101	101	101	101	
Total (Duel gauge) *	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	
Single line	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	

Source - Railway Department

* Duel gauge ; Narrow and broad gauge in the same line

Table 11.10 - Locomotives and rolling stock ,1991 - 1998

Item	Number							
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total	4,469	4,237	4,324	4,326	3,971	4,111	4,110	4,050
Broad gauge total	4,392	4,160	4,247	4,249	3,907	4,049	4,047	4,006
Locomotives, steam	7	9	9	9	3	3	2	5
Locomotives, diesel	168	168	168	188	75	70	72	119
Diesel rail cars	4	4	4	4	4	2	2	1
Diesel hydraulic power coaches	66	66	66	66	30	30	41	51
Motor inspection trolleys	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	10
Coaching bogie stock	1,289	1,254	1,342	1,475	1,204	1,324	1,324	1,167
Coaching 4 wheel stock	4	4	3	4	5	4	4	6
Goods bogie stock	1,006	865	865	855	914	955	955	1,022
Goods 6 wheel stock	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Goods 4 wheel stock	1,409	1,325	1,325	1,217	1,206	1,217	1,217	1,182
Service bogie stock	67	113	113	67	115	81	67	103
Service 6 wheel stock	21	18	18	21	18	21	21	18
Service 4 wheel stock	339	323	323	331	322	331	331	322
Narrow gauge total (k.V. and U.P.R.)	77	77	77	77	64	62	63	44
Locomotives, steam	8	8	8	8	2	2	2	2
Locomotives, diesel	10	10	10	10	3	2	2	2
Coaching bogie stock	45	45	45	45	45	44	45	26
Service bogie stock	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14

Source - Sri Lanka Government Railway

Table 11.11 - Passenger and goods traffic , 1991 - 1998

Item	Number							
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997*	1998*
Passenger Traffic								
Passengers Conveyed (Number)								
1st Class	136,913	129,158	163,888	166,661	212,303	195,449	207,176	197,301
2nd Class	1,011,065	1,049,692	1,094,458	1,682,170	1,456,209	1,126,233	1,193,807	1,184,296
3rd Class	32,049,536	33,482,205	36,390,497	41,135,948	43,542,477	39,130,775	41,478,622	41,810,399
Season Ticket Holders (Number)								
1st Class	208	209	212	200	227	227	227	243
2nd Class	779	849	1,237	2,132	2,933	3,079	3,233	2,975
3rd Class	805,510	835,291	869,981	913,358	896,298	869,216	895,292	896,017
Goods Traffic (1)								
Goods Conveyed (Metric Tons)	1,436,757	1,601,618	1,466,483	1,387,335	1,249,308	1,074,872	1,141,064	1,338,882

Source - Sri Lanka Government Railway

* Estimated

SEA TRANSPORT**Table 11.12 - Ship traffic by port ,1993- 1998**

port	Item	Number					
		1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Colombo	No. of ships arrived (1)	3,323	3,251	3,277	3,467	3,627	3,879
	Total gross tonnage ('000)	50,611	53,278	55,992	65,238	71,427	77,764
	Total net tonnage ('000)	24,549	25,120	25,368	29,882	33,188	36,011
	No. of sailing craft arrived	430	416	244	378	314	323
	Total gross tonnage ('000)	111	100	64	97	86	98
Trincomalee	Total net tonnage ('000)	93	89	54	86	75	78
	No. of ships arrived (1)	246	243	266	306	404	250
	Total gross tonnage('000)	1,416	1,435	1,665	1,779	1,480	1,485
Galle	Total net tonnage('000)	874	881	971	901	825	821
	No. of ships arrived (1)	62	74	69	84	56	104
	Total gross Tonnage ('000)	203	265	185	196	173	541
	Total net tonnage ('000)	113	159	108	109	86	263

Source - Sri Lanka Ports Authority

(1) Exclusive of , Naval Vessels, Fishing Trawlers, Yachts and Dredgers etc.

Table 11.13 - Cargo throughput ports of Colombo, Trincomalee & Galle, 1990 - 1998

	(Thousands Tonnes)									
	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	
Discharged										
Domestic	6,036.8	6,102.3	6,648.6	7,483.7	7,977.1	8,731.1	9,100.4	9,548.4	10,317.4	
Transshipment	2,524.1	2,612.4	2,560.2	3,423.4	3,941.7	4,148.3	5,632.5	7,272.8	6,840.9	
Re-stowing	47.9	42.0	51.3	58.7	67.4	81.2	96.7	155.1	164.6	
Transfer	40.0*	213.3*	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.0*	
Total discharged	8,648.8	8,970.0	9,260.1	11,055.6	11,986.2	12,960.6	14,829.6	16,976.3	17,377.9	
Loaded										
Domestic	1,789.2	1,866.0	1,690.2	1,924.8	2,155.5	2,357.6	2,227.4	2,450.5	2,421.4	
Transshipment	2,527.5	2,600.8	2,531.1	3,367.9	3,893.3	4,117.9	5,566.6	7,250.0	6,831.5	
Re-stowing	46.9	41.2	49.8	60.1	62.2	80.9	98.3	154.1	161.5	
Transfer	40.0*	213.3*	-	89.8*	-	-	-	-	55.0	
Total loaded	4,403.6	4,721.3	4,271.1	5,442.6	6,111.0	6,556.4	7,892.3	9,855.2	9,469.4	
Total handled	13,052.4	13,691.3	13,531.2	16,498.2	18,097.2	19,517.0	22,721.9	26,831.5	26,847.3	

* Unusual operation of transferring bulk cement from ship to ship

Source - Sri Lanka Ports Authority

Table 11.14 - Total tonnage of cargo handled, 1991 - 1998

		(Thousand Metric Tons)								
Port	Item	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	
Colombo	Dry cargo discharged	6,079	6,077	7,509	8,188	8,885	10,484	12,602	12,632	
	Dry cargo loaded	4,078	3,709	4,752	5,388	5,791	7,273	9,270	8,968	
	Liquid cargo discharged	1,903	2,054	2,223	2,309	2,505	2,916	3,043	3,024	
	Liquid cargo loaded	197	117	226	221	233	212	202	169	
	Total cargo handled	12,257	11,957	14,710	16,106	17,414	20,885	25,117	24,793	
Trincomalee	Dry and Liquid cargo discharged	768	893	1,068	1,156	1,335	1,196	1,150	1,319	
	Dry cargo loaded	421	445	463	495	530	406	383	333	
	Total cargo handled	1,189	1,338	1,531	1,651	1,865	1,602	1,533	1,652	
Galle	Dry and Liquid cargo discharged	219	236	255	294	236	234	181	402	
	Dry cargo loaded	-	-	-	7	2	2	1	-	
	Total cargo handled	219	236	255	301	238	236	182	402	

Source - Sri Lanka Ports Authority

Table 11.15 - Average waiting time, service and turn round time per ship and average tons per ship hour at berth and in port for non container ships and container ships, 1991 - 1998

Port	Item	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Colombo	Average waiting time per								
	(1) Non - container ships	20.5	24.4	36.4	20.1	31.4	24.9	28.5	24.5
	(2) Container ships	6.0	7.0	17.6	24.2	10.1	9.3	14.0	9.9
	Average service time per-								
	(1) Non - container ships	120.2	117.5	104.2	120.5	127.8	114.1	120.1	108.6
	(2) Container ships	20.0	18.4	22.5	27.9	24.9	21.1	30.1	24.8
	Average turn round time (in port) per-								
	(1) Non - container ships	140.7	141.9	144.2	143.6	164.1	144.2	153.0	137.7
	(2) Container ships	26.0	25.4	41.8	53.7	36.9	32.0	46.4	36.7
	Average tons per ship/hour at berth-								
	(1) Non - container ships	32.9	27.5	37.2	36.5	32.5	36.8	42.2	45.9
	(2) Container ships	206.1	208.6	193.0	186.9	206.2	189.7	238.2	224.4
Average tons per ship/hour in port (arrival to completion)									
(1) Non - container ships	28.1	22.7	26.9	30.6	26.2	30.5	34.3	37.7	
(2) Container ships	158.8	151.0	103.8	97.2	150.1	134.5	166.2	164.0	

Source - Sri Lanka Ports Authority

160 Note - Time in hours and tonnage in metric tons.

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Table 11.16 - Passengers carried by airlines ,1996 - 1998

Airline	1996		1997		1998*	
	To	From	To	From	To	From
	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka
Air Lanka	595,247	595,519	591,223	596,421	590,693	585,859
Aeroflot	8,864	9,695	9,069	9,643	6,947	8,505
Air maldives	-	-	3,376	3,733	1,004	1,277
AOM French Airlines	-	-	11,431	10,042	2,772	4,014
Balken bulgarian airlines	1,321	1,783	4,842	4,999	9,457	9,603
British Ariways	-	-	18,718	19,118	..	..
Cathay pacific Airways	14,095	15,128	18,097	17,972	21,388	21,023
Condor	-	-	16,284	11,967	23,411	22,220
Emirates	57,776	61,132	83,273	86,612	58,743	63,479
Gulf Ari	38,640	42,022	30,263	33,826	43,896	43,599
Indian Airlines	80,169	89,240	57,956	57,904	31,692	41,456
Kuwait Airways	28,786	30,444	35,184	32,636	36,257	30,004
Lauda Ari	-	-	111	410	-	-
LTU International Airlines	-	-	30,267	28,427	36,649	35,871
Middle East Airlines	-	-	10,963	12,803	6,269	9,888
Oman Ari	997	1,980	2,943	4,047	..	..
Pakistan International Airlines	16,644	9,971	14,412	8,692	2,152	1,153
Qatar Airways	-	-	17,704	18,207	13,259	11,833
Royal Jordanian Airlines	12,117	14,697	15,321	18,452	14,269	16,318
Saudi Arabian Ariways	4,361	47,629	89,157	49,512	..	32,831
Singapore Airlines	46,729	47,638	46,864	50,594	43,088	49,682
Thai Ariways International	21,692	25,222	20,478	23,458	6,932	7,483
KLM Royal Dutch Airlines	15,932	19,091	-	-	-	-
Total	943,370	1,011,189	536,713	503,054	948,878	996,098

Source - Department of Civil Aviation

* Provisional

Table 11.17 - Mails carried by airlines, 1996 - 1998

Airline	1996		1997		1998*	
	To	From	To	From	To	From
	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka
Air Lanka	187,013	346,711	203,487	318,995	245,713	302,542
Aeroflot	14	1,372	410	530	281	402
Air maldives	-	-	-	-	-	-
AOM French Airlines	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balken bulgarian airlines	-	-	-	-	-	154
British Ariways	-	-	-	7,497	..	..
Cathay pacific Airways	8,479	1,605	13,948	-	-	-
Condor	-	-	-	6,365	4,502	3,597
Emirates	114,187	4,375	147,033	490	73,229	768
Gulf Ari	6,362	3,930	13,227	5,542	4,964	6,077
Indian Airlines	79,494	3,990	28,542	3,752	16,414	-
Kuwait Airways	6,596	26,635	30,342	9,669	28,761	9,596
LTU International Airlines	-	-	-	-	-	-
Middle East Airlines	-	-	14,090	3,871	4,920	1,894
Oman Ari	792	461	208	390	214	120
Pakistan International Airlines	32,612	1,054	147	3,681	1,765	-
Qatar Airways	-	-	2,461	2,613	1,499	963
Royal Jordanian Airlines	120,783	47,081	39,133	1,458	14,269	-
Saudi Arabian Ariways	5,293	14,034	15,376	7,645	2,190	1,607
Singapore Airlines	156,720	16,158	193,392	23,892	208,785	15,023
Thai Ariways International	132,127	4,116	87,656	3,722	37,082	970
KLM Royal Dutch Airlines	28,144	4,114	-	-	-	-
Total	878,616	475,635	789,452	400,112	644,588	343,713

Source - Department of Civil Aviation

* Provisional

Table 11.18 - Freight and excess baggage carried by airlines, 1996- 1998

Airline	1996		1997		1998*	
	To	From	To	From	To	From
	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka
Air Lanka	14,368,095	17,060,035	16,782,196	19,306,509	12,847,333	16,732,282
Aeroflot	38,969	477,703	44,020	403,696	71,965	295,965
Air maldives	-	-	-	-	1,004	1,277
AOM French Airlines	-	-	132,027	483,608	-	-
Balken bulgarian airlines	-	-	12,019	6,480	117,474	326,359
British Airways	-	-	-	1,048,055	-	-
Cathay pacific Airways	1,000,087	444,649	679,506	1,371,429	-	1,505,875
Condor	-	-	386,075	191,774	298,567	385,065
Emirates	2,698,104	3,730,578	3,511,172	4,932,975	2,376,934	3,230,941
Gulf Air	332,397	2,111,522	133,717	957,872	349,828	2,253,801
Indian Airlines	1,369,680	83,053	1,633,533	42,198	1,111,845	40,808
Kuwait Airways	1,257,313	581,352	435,417	1,752,948	619,370	1,410,080
Lauda Air	-	-	-	-	-	-
LTU International Airlines	-	-	470,782	561,091	659,088	,065,563
Middle East Airlines	-	-	94,817	332,914	25,009	364,810
Oman Air	10,397	38,613	6,897	93,633	5,266	68,402
Pakistan International Airlines	214,932	658,329	284,108	1,145,313	49,777	171,278
Qatar Airways	-	-	72,248	1,121,616	199,453	585,250
Royal Jordanian Airlines	331,314	586,290	450,632	1,835,582	421,375	550,990
Saudi Arabian Airways	107,067	-	715,600	1,487,678	87,305	648,824
Singapore Airlines	2,586,533	2,043,619	2,109,701	2,242,361	2,088,115	1,784,571
Thai Airways International	2,032,848	983,034	1,828,095	970,517	410,138	259,412
KLM Royal Dutch Airlines	583,770	1,298,353	-	-	-	-
Total	26,931,506	30,097,130	29,782,562	40,288,249	21,739,846	31,681,553

* Provisional

Source - Department of Civil Aviation

CHAPTER XII - COMMUNICATION

Table 12.1 - Postal and broadcasting services, 1988 - 1998

Item	Unit	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
POSTAL SERVICE												
No. of post offices	Number	508	511	515	527	534	544	557	562	573	575	582
Post offices	Number	3,321	3,330	3,349	3,357	3,357	3,351	3,375	3,404	3,452	3,453	3,454
Sub post offices	Number	40	67	81	98	127	147	173	182	196	212	250
Agency post offices	Number	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62	76
Corporate Thrift society post offices	Sq.Km	17.0	16.8	16.6	16.5	16.3	16.2	16.0	15.8	15.5	15.3	15.0
Area served by a post office	Number	4,306	4,406	4,398	4,331	4,331	4,359	4,365	4,393	4,339	4,326	4,304
Population served by a post office	Number '000	535,018	411,191	446,353	446,185	394,532	414,475	449,737	452,850	470,640	446,055	431,692
Inland mail traffic letters and parcels	Number '000	..	40,147	38,612	58,600	35,503	37,185	33,960	35,346	34,833	33,994	33,726
Foreign mail traffic	Number '000	40,191	36,495	33,841	32,533	35,586	34,300	33,628	35,006	33,347	33,900	31,460
Inward	Number	1,182,138	1,164,668	1,095,595	1,169,813	917,000	857,000	1,231,584	1,130,213	1,224,666	1,219,201**	1,187,620
Outward	Number	434,280	448,820	508,005	525,045	493,635	489,112	802,321	872,000	821,000	815,400	836,842
BROADCASTING SERVICE												
Radio licensed	Number											
Television licensed	Number											

Source - Department of Posts and Telecommunication

Annual Financial Report - Sri Lanka Rupavahini Corporation

CHAPTER XIII - PRICES

COLOMBO CONSUMERS' PRICE INDEX

The Colombo Consumers' Price Index measures changes in the cost of a fixed basket of consumer commodities and services entering into the pattern of working class household consumption in Colombo. The formula used in the computation of the index (including group and sub group indices) is Laspeyre's Price Index Formula. The year 1952 has been taken as the base year and the weights have been obtained from the results of a Family Budget Survey carried out among Colombo urban working class families in 1949 - 1950 by revaluing the items at average 1952 prices.

The items included in the index are classified into 5 main groups, viz. Food, Fuel and Light, House Rent, Clothing and Miscellaneous for each of which, a group index is calculated.

Prices of the various articles of consumption entering into the budget of an average working class household are collected weekly, fortnightly or monthly by investigators in the open market as well as in the co-operative stores. In the case of most of the food items such as vegetables and condiment items, actual Test Purchases are made in the principal markets. Prices of textiles are also collected from C.W.E. as well as from private retailers.

The average of the 4 weeks prices is taken as the applicable monthly price.

Table 13.1 - Annual averages of the Colombo Consumers' Price Index by major groups and annual rate of change, 1953-1998 (Base : 1952=100) (Family size = 5.79)

Base value (Rs. Cts.) Weight	202.24 100%	125.17 62%	19.05 9%	8.67 4%	11.52 6%	37.83 19%	Annual rate of change (%)
Year	All Items	Food	Clothing	Fuel and light	Rent	Miscella- neous	
1953	101.6	106.0	82.8	99.8	101.3	97.2	1.6
1954	101.1	106.1	79.9	103.3	101.5	94.4	-0.5
1955	100.5	105.1	80.5	102.3	101.5	94.6	-0.6
1956	100.2	103.3	81.8	101.3	101.5	98.6	-0.3
1957	102.8	104.9	84.4	97.3	101.5	106.9	2.6
1958	105.0	105.8	87.5	101.0	101.5	113.1	2.1
1959	105.2	104.7	92.1	102.3	101.5	115.3	0.2
1960	103.5	100.8	95.1	102.6	101.5	117.5	-1.6
1961	104.8	99.7	103.9	104.4	101.5	122.8	1.3
1962	106.3	100.9	108.2	105.6	101.5	125.0	1.4
1963	108.8	103.0	118.2	103.0	101.5	126.6	2.4
1964	112.2	106.4	127.2	103.2	101.5	129.3	3.1
1965	112.5	107.3	126.7	100.7	101.5	128.3	0.3
1966	112.3	109.1	117.3	95.9	101.5	127.3	-0.2
1967	114.8	112.7	116.7	96.4	101.5	128.9	2.2
1968	121.5	121.2	120.1	103.2	101.5	133.6	5.8
1969	130.5	127.9	130.8	124.9	108.4	147.1	7.4
1970	138.2	136.6	137.3	136.1	109.8	153.2	5.9
1971	141.9	139.1	145.0	140.8	109.8	159.5	2.7
1972	150.9	147.5	163.5	145.9	109.8	169.5	6.3
1973	165.4	166.2	186.1	164.4	109.8	169.8	9.6
1974	185.8	189.7	204.6	221.0	109.8	178.3	12.3
1975	198.3	204.3	208.1	237.1	109.8	191.9	6.7
1976	200.7	202.1	211.7	265.2	109.8	203.8	1.2
1977	203.2	203.3	223.8	257.5	109.8	208.4	1.2
1978	227.8	237.5	226.2	262.1	109.8	224.8	12.1
1979	252.3	263.3	231.2	328.5	109.8	252.4	10.8
1980	318.2	339.7	239.9	563.9	109.8	293.8	26.1
1981	375.4	399.6	257.8	767.9	109.8	345.7	18.0
1982	416.1	450.4	273.8	816.4	109.8	377.1	10.8
1983	474.2	506.3	291.1	1,087.6	109.8	433.7	14.0
1984	553.1	598.0	307.5	1,282.7	109.8	496.9	16.6
1985	561.2	598.4	324.2	1,332.1	109.8	524.4	1.5
1986	606.0	641.4	374.5	1,347.6	109.8	599.7	8.0
1987	652.8	697.0	400.9	1,358.7	109.8	650.7	7.7
1988	744.1	802.0	419.8	1,535.1	109.8	742.6	14.0
1989	830.2	884.6	490.0	1,718.9	109.8	860.1	11.6
1990	1,008.6	1,090.9	610.2	1,934.2	109.8	1,021.0	21.5
1991	1,131.5	1,220.3	678.4	2,252.2	109.8	1,146.0	12.2
1992	1,260.4	1,366.0	723.6	2,334.3	109.8	1,318.7	11.4
1993	1,408.4	1,519.4	782.7	2,730.0	109.8	1,490.4	11.7
1994	1,527.4	1,654.1	795.7	3,131.6	109.8	1,578.7	8.4
1995	1,644.6	1,768.1	803.9	3,322.4	109.8	1,800.6	7.7
1996	1,906.7	2,107.6	821.8	3,591.6	109.8	1,994.7	15.9
1997	2,089.1	2,336.9	844.0	3,739.8	109.8	2,157.8	9.6
1998	2,284.9	2,592.1	852.3	3,872.8	109.8	2,319.9	9.4

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 13.1a - Annual averages of the Greater Colombo Consumers' Price Index by major groups, 1990 - 1998
 (Base : January to June 1989 = 100)
 (Family Size = 4.6)

Base value (Rs. Cts.) Weight	2,347.71 100.0%	1,628.01 69.3%	88.90 3.8%	208.35 8.9%	127.27 5.4%	66.06 2.8%	115.71 4.9%	65.07 2.8%	48.34 2.1%
Year	All items	Food and drinks	Liquor, tobacco and betel and arecanuts	Housing	Fuel and light	Clothing and footwear	Personal care and health services, Household goods and services	Transport and communication	Miscellaneous
1990	124.6	129.2	123.8	100.4	115.3	140.9	111.7	116.6	118.5
1991	138.9	144.4	137.9	100.3	129.9	168.2	127.1	145.3	128.1
1992	152.0	158.4	158.9	109.1	135.0	175.8	143.0	161.7	130.6
1993	164.8	172.2	180.1	109.3	157.9	190.3	154.9	163.5	134.3
1994	172.6	179.0	194.9	109.5	184.8	197.8	165.3	164.3	149.9
1995	179.3	183.2	228.7	109.7	200.5	210.5	182.7	167.6	162.9
1996	205.5	216.1	250.7	109.8	215.9	218.3	202.8	181.8	173.8
1997	220.1	232.2	273.4	109.9	227.1	227.1	227.0	195.0	179.2
1998	235.2	250.1	295.8	110.0	241.6	231.4	242.7	196.0	183.5

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 13.2 - Retail prices of commodities Colombo town , 1992 - 1998

Rs.Cts

Item	Unit	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Food -								
Rice								
Parboiled, Local	1 Kg. (B)	16.65	17.13	17.29	17.57	22.44	24.31	23.86
Raw, Local	1 Kg. (B)	17.31	17.38	17.29	17.66	22.93	24.73	24.41
Samba, Local	1 Kg. (B)	20.22	22.22	21.75	21.84	26.12	27.97	28.53
Flour	1 Kg. (B)	12.21	13.00	11.60	8.50	14.53	18.63	20.00
Bread	450 gm.(B)	4.50	4.86	4.77	3.79	5.99	7.87	8.50
Pulses								
Dhall, Mysore	1 Kg. (A)	56.46	54.72	32.73	36.03	44.16	45.80	49.34
	1 Kg. (B)	57.01	55.55	35.09	42.32	49.57	50.00	50.19
Gram, Green	1 Kg. (A)	34.57	32.72	33.63	48.17	43.50	44.81	53.16
	1 Kg. (B)	33.11	33.82	40.00	52.92	48.29	58.30	58.16
Yams								
Manioc	1 Kg. (B)	8.57	9.37	9.88	12.42	14.54	14.32	14.53
Potatoes, Sweet	1 Kg. (B)	14.53	14.39	16.81	18.92	18.89	19.93	23.78
Vegetables								
Plantains, Ash	1 Kg. (B)	27.27	30.26	31.02	31.80	34.31	39.27	46.39
Pumpkins, Ash	1 Kg. (B)	11.10	10.05	13.09	14.50	16.27	17.61	20.38
Bandakka	1 Kg. (B)	21.28	23.56	26.90	27.47	27.65	30.93	34.30
Brinjal	1 Kg. (B)	20.19	22.64	25.83	27.57	27.35	31.53	35.70
Bitter Gourd	1 Kg. (B)	21.17	24.01	30.40	31.54	32.00	37.81	42.18
Cucumber	1 Kg. (B)	13.15	14.77	15.90	18.99	19.87	22.27	26.50
Red Pumpkin	1 Kg. (B)	13.38	12.27	15.15	16.18	19.23	21.23	26.62
Snake Gourd	1 Kg. (B)	14.52	16.65	20.57	21.85	23.02	27.23	29.89
Beans, Butter	1 Kg. (B)	23.45	24.68	30.80	32.70	34.58	40.57	49.69
Beans, Green	1 Kg. (B)	23.34	24.61	30.70	32.37	33.96	39.62	48.89
Beans, Long	1 Kg. (B)	17.66	18.95	22.73	25.16	27.01	31.96	38.09
Beef Root	1 Kg. (B)	23.07	27.29	34.05	39.24	34.75	39.82	51.76
Cabbage Seed	1 Kg. (B)	16.65	18.36	23.31	27.50	26.40	30.12	39.75
Carrots	1 Kg. (B)	24.12	24.84	31.54	35.75	35.70	41.54	49.44
Drumstick	1 Kg. (B)	21.78	27.04	36.00	43.25	46.79	62.36	61.02
Knol Khol	1 Kg. (B)	17.90	19.76	24.59	29.98	29.62	34.69	38.88
Radish	1 Kg. (B)	12.28	12.97	15.00	18.25	19.20	21.42	25.38
Tomatoes No 1	1 Kg. (B)	32.54	39.03	44.03	46.73	42.03	62.26	50.78
Tomatoes No 2	1 Kg. (B)	27.51	33.08	37.18	39.56	34.87	51.99	42.32
Tomatoes (Curry)	1 Kg. (B)	24.95	28.79	32.13	35.44	31.60	45.78	37.15
Vetakolu	1 Kg. (B)	19.02	20.90	25.27	28.44	30.01	35.49	38.41
Currystuffs								
Dried Chillies - (Gr. 1 & 2)	1 Kg. (A)	129.10	121.39	103.81	115.70	130.37	90.70	118.98
	1 Kg. (B)	127.00	116.86	108.26	124.04	136.42	94.05	128.70
Coriander	1 Kg. (A)	62.03	57.79	46.21	55.19	71.26	104.10	89.76
	1 Kg. (B)	52.55	55.84	52.03	62.60	82.84	117.05	107.60

Table 13.2 (Contd.) - Retail prices of commodities Colombo town, 1992 - 1998

Item	Unit	Rs.Cts.						
		1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Food (Continued)								
Currystuffs (Continued)								
Salt	1 kg (A)	2.76	3.02	3.07	8.53	7.99	7.81	9.59
	1 kg (B)	3.19	3.51	4.33	9.06	9.96	10.00	10.00
Saffron	1 Kg. (A)	74.23	84.13	85.42	76.23	95.42	120.04	115.21
	1 Kg. (B)	82.92	93.98	94.50	97.70	102.51	110.72	127.79
Tamarind	1 Kg. (A)	22.31	22.18	27.47	33.30	34.64	28.37	40.73
	1 Kg. (B)	20.84	22.74	26.33	38.91	40.40	34.02	38.44
Garlic	1 Kg. (A)	67.64	68.06	54.43	68.09	78.70	72.81	81.80
	1 Kg. (B)	70.14	68.94	59.93	81.78	94.95	89.17	85.37
Vinegar	750 ml. (B)	16.33	17.50	20.00(1)	22.19(1)	24.00(1)	25.91(1)	28.00(1)
Coffee Seed (Local)	1 Kg. (B)	46.88	54.05	115.52	163.73	138.70	118.56	128.00
Spices								
Mathe Seed	1 Kg. (A)	41.38	38.17	47.29	47.07	42.00	46.54	57.04
	1 Kg. (B)	47.48	49.00	55.37	63.75	67.58	71.13	75.64
Suduru	1 Kg. (A)	132.30	161.92	135.27	114.45	128.96	157.07	159.89
	1 Kg. (B)	140.46	163.47	152.36	151.85	157.76	177.08	171.58
Maduru	1 Kg. (A)	59.94	62.19	66.28	61.48	74.18	117.76	103.69
	1 Kg. (B)	71.48	80.56	83.53	89.44	108.94	145.97	134.06
Mustard	1 Kg. (A)	89.27	77.56	72.54	70.81	61.67	75.64	95.01
	1 Kg. (B)	89.19	90.09	96.02	102.59	102.86	106.89	116.87
Lime (Medium and Small)	Each (B)	1.59	1.03	1.91	1.91	1.82	1.30	2.66
Onion, red	1 Kg. (A)	25.26	30.61	43.00	34.65	45.07	44.62	52.40
	1 Kg. (B)	27.99	35.97	51.15	41.63	50.56	49.58	68.18
Onion, Bombay	1 Kg. (A)	29.52	31.58	35.10	29.36	29.40	27.59	43.83
	1 Kg. (B)	27.78	34.13	33.56	29.44	28.69	26.81	44.93
Coconut (Medium and small)	Each (B)	6.26	7.26	5.86	5.79	8.86	9.58	10.33
Coconut Oil	750 ml.(B)	31.59	34.02	30.23	28.02	44.16	42.96	50.63
Potatoes	1 Kg. (A)	41.75	44.70	48.56	47.44	40.94	29.02	34.01
	1 Kg. (B)	39.87	41.53	50.13	46.25	40.49	33.89	46.79
Meat								
Beef	1 Kg. (B)	76.22	79.25	80.78	91.68	102.72	116.64	121.64
Mutton	1 Kg. (B)	134.33	135.93	140.08	162.58	194.27	217.17	241.30
Corned beef (Local)	1 Kg. (B)	246.11	313.33	318.33	400.00	429.45	464.45	497.78
Ham (Danish - smoked)	1 Kg. (B)	181.25	250.00	250.00	426.67(6)	456.66(6)	501.11(6)	606.67(6)
Bacon (Back) (Local)	1 Kg. (B)	218.33	310.00	315.83	405.00	431.46	461.25	546.67
Bacon (Streaky) (Local)	1 Kg. (B)	185.69	193.33	206.39	367.50	386.25	412.50	491.67
Pork (Fresh)	1 Kg. (B)	59.65	76.88	80.00	88.11	80.95	116.36	148.54

Table 13.2(Contd.) - Retail prices of commodities Colombo town , 1992 - 1998

								Rs.Cts.
Item	Unit	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Food (Continued)								
Fish, Fresh -								
Seer	1 Kg. (B)	175.58	190.92	238.85	269.82	279.48	297.10	300.58
Paraw	1 Kg. (B)	122.41	136.76	159.69	187.89	203.22	215.36	223.52
Galmalu	1 Kg. (B)	90.65	101.23	125.75	151.87	168.74	180.40	185.55
Fish, Dried								
Seer	1 Kg. (A)	193.33	207.50	..	255.00	285.00	307.87	305.00
	1 Kg. (B)	173.31	189.35	205.60	244.35	277.15	291.42	299.19
Paraw	1 Kg. (A)	145.00	145.00	157.50	..	..	275.00	..
	1 Kg. (B)	126.44	131.56	157.59	168.04	175.31	178.86	204.88
Koduwa	1 Kg. (B)	89.17	103.01	119.38	141.83	180.66	186.92	199.53
Sprats	1 Kg. (A)	79.86	89.88	108.17	123.79	121.84	129.06	125.30
	1 Kg. (B)	77.56	86.12	107.81	116.47	125.55	129.56	128.15
Katta	1 Kg. (A)	172.54	183.79	218.19	247.15	272.08	280.56	295.33
	1 Kg. (B)	159.44	172.27	202.15	233.13	251.67	262.07	284.24
Maldive Fish	1 Kg. (A)	211.53	212.99	236.02	283.33	272.77	307.18	305.88
	1 Kg. (B)	199.46	202.64	217.61	282.83	256.82	314.52	314.48
Fish, preserved -								
Seimon (Canadian)	425gm. (B)	34.79(1)	37.98(1)	44.64(1)	38.00(1)	41.36(1)	48.16(1)	46.81(1)
Groceries -								
Cheese Kraft	340 gm. Tin(B)	143.00	135.00(2)	135.00(2)	138.99(2)	156.18(2)	164.23(2)	175.00(2)
Fresh Butter (Imported)	1 Kg (B)	185.79	200.00	204.00	210.41	255.24	260.00	263.98
Jam (Local - Pineapple & Papaw-M.D)	450 gm. (B)	46.02	50.37	51.30	52.47	55.68	58.15	65.48(8)
Biscuits (Maliban, Cream Crackers)	225 gm.Pkt.(B)	20.98	22.01	22.96	24.92	28.93(2)	31.16(2)	34.00(9)
Tea Dust	1 Kg. (A)	88.46	110.00	117.88	120.00	125.20	163.14	207.51
	1 Kg. (B)	100.05	105.03	110.11	114.74	131.24	158.07	203.64
Sugar White	1 Kg. (A)	24.97	26.69	28.69	31.05	32.21	30.90	30.39
	1 Kg. (B)	24.80	26.40	29.07	31.34	32.67	30.96	29.95
Milk Foods and Eggs								
Condensed Milk (Parakum)	393 gm. (B)	30.26	34.75(3)	37.50(3)	39.68(3)	46.03(3)	47.95(3)	45.71(3)
Fresh Milk	750 ml. (B)	10.00	12.00	13.88(4)	14.25(4)	18.56(4)	18.75(4)	18.75(4)
Powdered Milk								
Lactogen	450 gm. (B)	71.04	70.54(5)	75.50(5)	81.07(5)	93.53(5)	97.13(5)	99.33(5)
Lakspray	500 gm. (B)	60.47	57.18(5)	57.56(5)	60.64(5)	79.14(5)	80.00(5)	80.01(5)
Eggs (average of medium and small)	Each (B)	2.30	2.34	2.76	2.89	3.13	4.17	3.59
Fuel And Light -								
Kerosene Oil	Litre	8.80	10.46	11.23	9.50	9.73	10.40	10.40
Firewood	50 Kg. (B)	62.14	73.08	89.54	112.87	119.91	121.70	122.59
Safety Matches	Each (B)	1.00	1.15	1.25	1.25	1.49	1.50	1.50

Table 13.3 (Contd.) - All Island retail prices of selected items , 1989 - 1998

												Rs. Cts.
No.	Item	Unit	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Spices:												
44	Cummin seed	Kg.	64.14	68.25	85.70	126.03	145.11	142.24	134.40	144.81	163.03	157.46
45	Fannel seed	Kg.	40.23	45.89	55.05	64.01	71.37	69.73	70.66	82.93	129.28	119.93
46	Mustard	Kg.	72.50	86.92	89.00	89.42	90.66	85.63	89.35	94.27	93.27	101.22
47	Red onions (medium)	Kg.	15.29	36.47	44.82	45.14	37.90	49.61	40.34	49.81	49.54	67.40
48	Limas	Kg.	25.58	35.74	42.29	49.11	31.59	42.28	59.33	57.28	40.97	76.52
49	Coconut - medlum	No.	3.45	3.45	4.18	6.25	7.29	6.04	5.45	8.82	9.83	10.85
50	Coconut - Large	No.	4.50	3.97	4.99	6.63	8.38	6.94	6.13	9.63	10.60	11.67
51	Coconut oil	750ml.	18.78	16.37	24.46	32.63	36.50	31.78	29.14	45.21	45.43	52.70
Meat:												
52	Beef	Kg.	30.67	50.85	63.23	69.61	74.56	80.15	82.70	89.05	103.55	116.03
53	Mutton	Kg.	72.00	85.42	97.29	111.73	117.71	127.84	135.46	156.71	189.16	217.24
54	Pork	Kg.	46.32	62.84	63.84	67.61	71.40	72.81	75.55	81.23	101.82	133.46
55	Chicken-fresh	Kg.	61.25	72.09	79.47	88.38	88.45	90.73	99.24	107.97	130.68	137.77
Sea - fish:												
56	Paraw (Trevally)	Kg.	69.61	77.77	100.11	115.83	120.12	133.78	150.49	157.85	170.20	182.77
57	Gamalu (Mullet)	Kg.	41.73	52.71	61.89	77.89	75.66	86.66	92.87	101.77	117.76	125.71
58	Halmessa (Sprats)	Kg.	30.01	51.06	56.29	68.85	76.02	81.97	92.65	94.87	114.80	109.30
59	Salaya (Sardine)	Kg.	30.19	29.94	39.66	50.64	48.55	50.00	53.59	60.61	68.92	70.77
Dried fish:												
60	Thora (Seer)	Kg.	85.10	104.98	140.02	156.10	152.89	169.16	192.80	213.85	248.46	257.93
61	Paraw (Trevally)	Kg.	72.25	89.41	114.18	125.10	128.08	135.99	164.35	168.82	179.95	177.59
62	Koduwa (Perah)	Kg.	67.00	69.62	92.45	102.09	119.80	126.05	146.76	147.56	168.69	160.35
63	Keeraanin (Dried small sardin)	Kg.	64.00	70.77	83.05	97.73	108.57	106.73	132.13	129.21	162.18	166.00
64	Halmessa (Sprats)	Kg.	59.74	64.53	70.66	80.16	88.65	100.52	106.36	117.51	126.81	117.97
Fruits:												
65	Pineapple - Murishi	No.	9.17	12.14	13.66	16.69	17.83	18.81	20.83	24.94	26.21	29.09
66	Banana - Ambul	No.	0.79	0.98	1.19	1.60	1.81	1.91	1.86	2.08	2.31	2.48
67	Banana - Kolkuttu	No.	2.08	2.34	2.80	3.45	3.70	3.82	3.99	4.45	4.88	5.14
68	Banana - Aanamalu	No.	2.13	1.90	2.24	2.80	3.13	3.20	3.51	3.81	4.30	4.48
Groceries:												
69	Tea dust (loose)	Kg.	70.63	85.89	93.36	99.32	100.82	103.89	110.14	125.73	147.98	192.34
70	Coffee seed	Kg.	73.58	61.71	52.19	58.32	60.03	85.44	141.73	140.65	131.39	127.44
71	Sugar-white	Kg.	24.94	29.35	24.59	25.28	26.70	29.35	31.45	32.63	30.82	30.60
72	Papadam (loose)	Kg.	34.15	42.17	55.89	64.38	82.50	68.75	75.19	92.32	131.31	137.50
73	Juggery - kitu	Kg.	41.34	59.57	60.33	66.33	69.72	75.20	81.95	100.33	109.73	120.85
74	Vensger	750ml.	11.92	20.02	18.60	18.62	22.00	24.38	31.37	35.74	36.59	41.16
Miscellaneous:												
75	Betel (medium)	1000	118.00	123.30	128.80	206.70	231.30	226.50	310.30	363.70	365.50	522.20
76	Areanuts - Raw	100	19.15	22.20	36.80	49.80	79.40	84.80	59.40	59.80	60.00	85.60
77	Chew of Betel	No.	1.26	1.42	1.65	2.06	2.64	2.87	3.16	3.40	3.43	4.29
78	Tobacco - grade 1	No.	9.20	10.19	14.53	21.22	18.84	20.13	21.76	29.40	26.93	28.42
79	Tobacco - grade 11	No.	8.00	7.80	10.89	16.34	15.06	15.97	17.33	21.51	21.44	21.87
80	Firewood - rubber	50Kg.	42.23	46.84	51.00	57.77	63.23	88.44	105.36	120.90	124.21	127.27

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note :

The above table represents the annual average prices of food and miscellaneous items, and are based on the weekly and monthly price collections conducted in the principal urban areas of each districts by the statistical field staff of the department attached to each district kachcheri.

Table 13.4 - Farm-gate prices of paddy, 1992 - 1998

		Rupees						
District	Unit	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Western Province								
Colombo	Per Mt.Ton	8,330	8,264	8,240	8,240	10,250	10,100	9,610
Kafutara	"	7,810	7,960	7,960	7,460	10,000	10,020	9,270
Gampaha	"	7,820	7,791	8,110	7,370	10,210	10,000	9,490
Central Province								
Kandy	"	7,670	8,080	7,940	7,220	9,170	10,130	8,810
Matale	"	7,720	7,750	7,960	6,790	9,730	9,660	9,320
Nuwara Eliya	"	7,950	7,950	7,870	7,450	10,460	10,450	9,970
Southern Province								
Galle	"	8,360	8,440	8,340	7,720	10,810	11,080	10,280
Matara	"	8,280	8,420	7,910	7,870	10,300	10,970	11,340
Hambantota	"	9,010	8,913	8,340	8,370	11,140	11,350	11,500
Nothern Province								
Jaffna	"	-	-	-	18,590	-	21,400	16,820
Mannar	"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	"	-	8,040	8,490	8,730	10,920	10,280	9,960
Mullaitivu	"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province								
Batticaloa	"	7,710	7,800	7,870	7,080	10,400	12,360	10,620
Trincomalee	"	8,510	9,090	8,550	7,880	9,311	10,530	11,570
Amparai	"	8,250	8,420	7,930	7,540	10,180	12,120	10,570
North - Western Province								
Kurunegala	"	8,210	8,226	7,610	6,980	10,070	10,280	9,510
Puttalam / Chillaw	"	8,300	-	7,710	7,270	10,000	10,760	9,970
North - Central Province								
Anuradhapura	"	7,670	8,024	7,540	6,910	9,420	10,490	10,310
Polonnaruwa	"	7,590	7,660	7,550	6,970	9,530	10,240	9,460
Uva Province								
Badulla	"	7,580	7,830	7,930	7,340	9,619	9,450	9,680
Monaragala	"	7,820	7,920	7,600	6,890	10,217	10,220	9,940
Sabaragamuwa Province								
Ratnapura	"	8,790	8,775	8,280	8,340	10,580	12,230	11,080
Kegalle	"	8,210	8,376	7,870	6,740	8,828	9,360	9,620

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 13.5 - Monthly wholesale prices of fresh fish at Pettah market, 1998

Month	(Rs/kg)								
	Salaya	Hurulla	Balaya	Kelawalla	Thora	Paraw	Mora	Kumbala	Thalapath
January	51.03	66.08	77.71	115.87	281.86	130.80	83.88	143.33	157.78
February	55.78	72.06	57.46	91.98	250.28	115.04	73.02	134.58	131.80
March	51.83	71.93	62.28	86.38	194.54	112.31	74.24	138.33	117.84
April	55.50	76.00	70.75	107.75	193.75	119.25	79.00	112.00	132.25
May	52.75	75.75	75.75	105.75	196.00	121.00	82.50	118.50	151.25
June	45.50	72.75	56.50	97.00	204.75	134.50	90.25	120.00	142.25
July	54.75	76.25	92.75	139.75	239.50	192.50	100.00	115.00	163.75
August	39.75	57.75	60.75	90.25	162.25	124.00	80.75	110.00	122.00
September	39.75	61.50	60.50	80.50	189.50	126.00	80.50	115.00	132.25
October	34.00	49.50	56.50	83.00	165.25	123.50	79.25	100.00	143.50
November	38.50	59.25	60.50	94.50	164.00	130.00	81.75	95.00	154.25
December	35.50	51.50	57.75	95.00	164.75	117.50	79.75	100.00	133.00
Annual	46.22	65.86	65.77	98.98	200.54	128.87	82.07	116.81	140.16

Source - Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development.

Table 13.6 - Monthly retail prices of fresh fish at Pettah market, 1998

Month	(Rs/kg)								
	Salaya	Hurulla	Balaya	Kelawalla	Thora	Paraw	Mora	Kumbala	Thalapath
January	77.58	99.59	136.96	202.84	363.36	221.22	123.01	160.75	206.21
February	77.19	103.42	105.15	159.34	335.99	203.73	113.05	151.25	202.37
March	82.45	93.11	113.34	162.00	271.90	185.62	117.41	145.00	174.00
April	64.50	85.28	125.00	160.50	305.75	207.50	106.00	126.00	158.00
May	62.00	86.00	122.25	169.50	255.00	210.50	113.25	128.50	178.50
June	54.50	82.75	112.50	162.50	285.25	219.50	119.00	134.50	173.75
July	70.50	87.00	113.50	165.50	279.00	230.50	116.25	135.00	195.75
August	57.25	79.00	104.50	151.75	262.00	218.25	117.75	128.00	181.75
September	63.00	86.25	107.00	144.50	261.00	214.25	122.25	130.00	189.50
October	54.00	74.25	103.25	147.00	249.00	203.75	122.50	132.00	200.50
November	58.50	78.50	110.75	155.50	258.75	217.00	123.75	125.00	209.75
December	51.50	78.25	103.25	154.75	259.50	196.75	120.50	125.00	197.50
Annual	64.41	86.11	113.12	161.31	282.21	210.71	117.89	135.08	189.01

Source - Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development.

Table 13.7 - Wholesale prices of local dried fish, 1998

Month	(Rs/kg)							
	Sprats	Kattawa	Thora	Mora	Balaya	Anguluwa	Maduwa	Salaya
January	90.00	220.00	-	100.00	90.00	135.00	90.00	63.33
February	106.67	250.00	-	100.00	72.50	-	80.00	-
March	142.50	-	-	92.50	64.00	-	50.00	47.50
April	87.50	220.00	-	90.00	77.78	-	-	63.33
May	90.00	210.00	-	120.00	-	95.00	90.00	55.00
June	90.00	210.00	-	100.00	84.17	-	-	48.33
July	-	190.00	-	-	79.17	-	-	48.33
August	-	191.25	-	127.92	106.88	-	-	43.06
September	156.67	155.00	186.31	136.25	104.52	-	50.00	51.38
October	140.00	200.00	-	136.25	80.62	-	81.66	32.20
November	160.00	179.16	180.00	113.61	75.42	-	73.33	43.85
December	130.00	161.33	-	126.46	75.52	60.00	62.71	46.25
Annual Average	119.33	198.79	183.16	113.00	82.78	96.67	72.21	49.32

Source - Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development.

Table 13.8 - Wholesale prices of imported dried fish, 1998

Month	(Rs/kg)							
	Sprats	Kattawa	Thora	Mora	Balaya	Anguluwa	Maduwa	Salaya
January	70.01	201.98	-	97.19	75.81	87.10	32.50	39.44
February	74.38	237.81	-	96.25	196.26	95.94	32.50	38.89
March	77.19	222.31	-	96.25	44.67	110.00	32.50	37.34
April	77.81	217.19	-	95.00	42.76	110.00	32.50	37.50
May	78.75	231.00	-	100.31	67.38	90.78	32.50	33.33
June	78.91	179.69	-	101.88	72.31	72.19	32.50	38.67
July	94.38	175.94	-	102.50	70.47	72.22	32.50	35.00
August	87.60	175.00	195.00	105.38	75.16	87.34	32.50	37.76
September	79.08	162.88	195.00	109.38	90.47	103.28	33.82	38.49
October	84.33	164.50	176.72	124.13	60.12	93.01	38.68	37.40
November	83.66	152.19	145.80	125.31	56.94	92.81	38.57	37.40
December	77.19	167.92	141.94	121.75	67.24	87.19	38.57	37.75
Annual Average	80.27	190.70	170.89	106.28	76.63	91.82	34.14	37.41

Source - Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development.

Table 13.9 - All Island producer prices of selected items , 1989 - 1998

Item	Unit	Rupees									
		1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Cereals:											
1 paddy	1kg	5.66	7.33	7.23	8.06	8.20	7.98	7.77	10.05	10.83	10.35
2 Kurakkan	1kg	6.55	9.09	7.66	8.83	10.68	10.78	14.15	16.25	18.71	21.82
3 Gingelly (seed)	1kg	13.05	16.56	16.76	18.36	18.07	18.24	21.55	36.68	37.55	32.40
4 Maize	1kg	4.28	5.81	5.60	7.35	7.13	7.28	9.31	10.52	13.74	14.09
5 Menari	1kg	17.54	13.27	10.11	9.03	15.11	15.72	16.74	16.97	21.16	25.23
6 Sorghum	1kg	15.98	15.64	12.54	14.40	15.01	15.20	17.19	19.12	22.89	31.31
7 Cowpea	1kg	16.23	15.47	13.66	15.70	16.72	16.82	20.11	25.39	25.74	24.05
8 Soya Bean	1kg	10.91	14.98	12.84	14.79	15.68	16.05	18.83	21.71	23.34	28.73
9 Ground Nuts	1kg	15.21	15.47	15.96	18.36	21.22	21.32	22.02	29.60	30.47	32.06
10 Black gram	1kg	17.72	12.66	14.05	18.77	18.71	18.56	23.15	39.27	39.55	36.52
11 Green gram	1kg	21.82	21.46	20.65	22.59	23.59	23.51	28.28	33.49	36.25	36.26
Up - country vegetables:											
12 Beans-Butter	1kg	8.03	12.98	12.65	12.76	13.46	17.46	16.89	17.09	19.56	25.61
13 Beans-Green	1kg	7.39	11.48	12.57	12.51	14.80	17.42	17.20	16.80	19.77	25.89
14 Cabbage-Seed	1kg	4.76	7.61	7.19	7.77	8.36	10.77	12.37	11.27	13.28	16.26
15 Carrot	1kg	8.77	12.63	12.97	13.02	12.02	16.76	17.95	17.59	19.87	24.05
16 Beet-Root	1kg	7.02	10.19	10.27	12.52	12.43	16.47	18.13	18.66	19.54	21.34
17 Leeks	1kg	7.87	13.10	13.10	12.63	14.46	17.53	20.28	17.60	20.37	22.47
18 Raddish	1kg	3.33	4.45	4.87	4.96	5.53	6.97	6.92	6.72	7.79	9.83
19 Knol-khol	1kg	3.94	5.54	5.67	6.25	5.09	9.69	8.90	8.92	10.53	14.51
20 Tomato-Salad	1kg	7.58	10.58	11.34	12.42	15.18	19.69	19.34	19.98	28.15	29.66
21 Tomato-Curry	1kg	7.42	10.08	11.98	11.77	14.12	17.78	20.60	18.70	25.94	28.35
Low-country vegetables:											
22 Ash Plantain	1kg	5.90	7.65	9.54	10.99	12.88	14.45	13.89	15.41	16.20	18.10
23 Ash Pumpkin	1kg	3.20	4.81	6.07	6.25	6.26	8.15	8.24	7.92	8.40	9.64
24 Red Pumpkin	1kg	4.40	5.41	6.08	6.44	6.70	7.78	8.39	9.18	9.99	11.59
25 Bandakka	1kg	6.25	8.34	9.17	9.63	10.24	12.23	12.62	12.91	13.53	14.46
26 Long - beans	1kg	5.68	7.52	8.22	8.63	9.20	11.32	11.95	12.06	13.71	15.12
27 Bitter gourd	1kg	6.40	8.69	9.51	9.76	11.18	13.87	15.25	15.79	17.82	19.32
28 Snake gourd	1kg	4.30	5.91	6.25	6.71	8.80	9.34	9.65	10.09	11.47	12.63
29 Vetakolu	1kg	5.34	7.18	7.89	8.11	8.66	10.43	11.16	11.97	13.38	15.82
30 Drumsticks	1kg	5.39	6.73	6.85	6.26	7.77	8.16	10.71	13.46	15.11	17.07
31 Kohila-Yams	1kg	5.24	6.89	7.73	8.63	8.59	9.68	10.53	11.39	11.73	13.76
32 Kakiri	1kg	3.02	4.50	4.93	5.15	5.92	6.17	6.57	7.14	8.23	9.24
33 Cucumber	1kg	3.59	4.99	5.06	5.55	5.77	6.96	7.64	7.41	8.04	9.62
34 Bringals	1kg	5.65	7.56	8.21	9.02	9.28	12.01	12.10	12.50	13.83	15.71
Yams:											
35 Potatoes	1kg	16.30	21.77	37.30	35.01	30.94	36.62	35.01	30.61	31.34	37.38
36 Manioc	1kg	3.46	4.29	4.83	5.29	6.77	6.89	7.56	9.18	9.77	9.26
37 Smaat Potatoes	1kg	5.04	6.29	6.92	7.90	8.80	9.28	9.62	10.47	11.12	11.38

Table 13.9 (Contd.) - All Island producer prices of selected items , 1989 - 1998

											Rupees
Item	Unit	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Fruits:											
38 Mangoes	Each	0.82	0.90	0.80	1.07	1.22	1.37	1.46	1.76	2.38	3.22
39 Pineapple-Kew	Each	5.85	6.95	6.40	7.78	10.29	10.83	11.10	12.11	14.82	17.09
40 Pineapple-Murishi	Each	5.61	5.96	6.87	8.70	10.00	9.67	11.33	12.76	14.79	16.71
41 Plantain-Ambul	Each	0.44	0.56	0.68	0.86	1.04	1.07	1.12	1.30	1.40	1.46
42 Plantain-Kolikuttu	Each	1.04	1.25	1.49	1.83	2.29	2.33	2.41	2.82	3.02	3.11
43 Plantain-Anamalu	Each	0.91	1.13	1.26	1.53	1.79	1.73	2.00	2.37	2.74	2.75
44 Papaw	Each	3.32	4.04	4.73	5.77	7.22	8.93	9.83	11.24	12.21	12.69
Condiments:											
45 Dried Chillies	1kg	61.61	65.56	97.67	101.86	91.93	91.57	97.29	104.79	77.39	96.25
46 Pepper	1kg	88.57	70.11	62.83	45.43	42.24	59.00	99.26	100.42	152.75	239.12
47 Tamarind	1kg	4.84	5.93	5.83	7.87	7.33	8.90	16.55	15.54	12.73	12.88
48 Turmeric	1kg	24.75	34.58	35.43	34.39	38.50	38.82	43.56	43.88	45.00	45.00
49 Mustard	1kg	51.17	45.18	48.86	48.65	48.68	53.00	54.56	54.17	52.39	66.40
50 Ginger-Raw	1kg	15.78	21.24	31.57	53.41	43.55	49.47	34.39	58.88	75.71	70.21
51 Red onions	1kg	9.11	21.38	31.66	22.49	23.72	28.60	25.12	30.46	29.88	38.41
Livestock-fullgrown:											
52 Buffaloes (full grown)	Each	1,892.00	2,404.97	2,974.52	3,417.82	3,637.87	4,138.38	4,637.10	5,437.19	6,067.19	6,605.65
53 Milk Cow (full grown)	Each	1,864.24	2,342.31	2,902.42	3,153.20	3,600.32	3,881.56	4,335.65	5,217.15	5,782.08	6,152.82
54 Goats (full grown)	Each	668.85	755.04	909.08	1,042.17	1,082.26	1,192.59	1,336.37	1,547.24	1,862.62	2,161.01
55 Pigs (full grown)	Each	979.41	1,014.73	1,243.69	1,424.32	1,446.63	1,468.12	1,374.99	1,872.33	2,817.19	3,067.24
56 Poultry (full grown)	Each	65.41	78.40	87.26	93.53	98.62	106.14	113.30	124.56	135.90	147.96
57 Poultry (3-5 Months)	Each	37.02	45.78	51.45	56.28	56.59	60.79	68.56	72.03	76.75	88.47
Miscellaneous:											
58 Coconut-Medium	100	269.84	259.41	343.02	471.00	582.89	465.86	409.75	624.53	718.17	825.54
59 Betel-Medium	1000	60.97	66.15	76.88	104.52	80.63	87.33	164.97	165.49	171.77	241.30
60 Aracanuts Raw	100	12.70	14.12	18.45	29.10	55.47	36.47	32.30	28.86	30.57	35.69
61 Tobacco Cigars	1kg	118.37	N.A.	22.36	44.30	35.00	40.00	74.11	77.50	123.13	155.38
62 Tobacco cigarettes	1kg	33.92	42.38	54.87	63.06	77.14	78.78	91.54	75.47	88.65	90.34
63 Coffee Seed	1kg	43.60	34.09	32.43	32.58	29.76	48.54	92.54	82.95	60.96	67.09
64 Sugar cane	1kg	0.51	1.48	1.14	1.16	0.74	0.72	0.69	0.73	0.84	0.87
65 Cashew - raw	100	16.98	20.72	23.85	23.89	25.41	34.96	40.33	42.43	40.31	42.75
66 Limes	1kg	16.98	14.86	52.87	73.19	54.87	62.32	32.11	28.75	25.73	44.25
67 Green Chillies	1kg	14.55	18.86	23.46	25.50	24.76	29.22	31.21	32.73	32.19	40.74
Milk & Eggs:											
68 Cow milk	750ml.	4.36	5.27	6.12	7.02	7.59	8.12	8.96	10.24	11.67	12.32
69 Buffalo-milk	750ml.	4.11	5.74	6.90	7.92	9.00	10.12	10.61	11.52	12.62	14.56
70 Eggs-hen	Each	1.82	2.21	2.25	2.34	2.32	2.51	2.73	3.06	4.04	3.80

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Note:
The above table shows the producer prices received by farmers for their agricultural and livestock produce. The annual average of producer prices for the specified years have been compiled from the regular monthly price collections done at three selected producing centres in each D.S.Division of the district, by the statistical field staff attached to each such division.

**Table 13.10 - Producer prices for selected items of highland crops
by province and district , 1994 - 1998**

Province/District	Kurakkan	Maize	Cowpea	Green gram	Soya bean	Black gram	Manioc	Sweet potatoes	Potatoes	Red onions	Coffee seed	Coconut (medium) 100	Rs/Kg.
													Green chillies
1994													
Western Province	9.02	8.66	-	-	-	-	6.96	8.83	-	-	44.17	409.53	27.45
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.03	8.18	-	-	40.00	455.58	23.89
Gampaha	9.83	7.32	-	-	-	-	6.56	9.24	-	-	48.33	386.41	25.29
Kalutara	8.20	10.00	-	-	-	-	7.30	9.06	-	-	-	386.61	33.17
Central Province	4.96	6.76	-	21.49	16.09	16.00	7.02	8.79	22.08	28.36	49.15	416.47	27.84
Kandy	-	6.78	-	21.49	-	-	7.07	8.87	20.00	24.29	40.70	402.85	26.92
Matala	4.57	6.74	-	-	-	16.00	5.42	7.13	22.00	-	43.91	430.09	25.65
Nuwara Eliya	5.35	-	-	-	16.09	-	8.58	10.37	24.23	32.43	62.84	-	30.96
Southern Province	10.48	6.57	16.97	21.69	-	-	6.87	9.51	-	30.25	52.65	461.25	28.18
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.75	11.22	-	-	-	478.31	30.75
Matara	9.03	6.83	-	-	-	-	5.87	8.91	-	28.42	52.65	434.36	24.84
Hambantota	11.93	6.32	16.97	21.69	-	-	5.99	8.39	-	32.08	-	471.10	28.95
Northern Province	9.19	-	16.59	28.50	-	17.66	7.64	10.63	-	24.67	-	-	31.08
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	9.19	-	16.59	28.50	-	17.66	7.64	10.63	-	24.67	-	-	31.08
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province	15.42	10.72	18.44	27.12	16.52	20.27	9.77	10.92	-	30.65	-	618.94	30.92
Batticaloa	16.82	12.32	18.57	27.55	-	22.85	8.74	12.11	-	36.15	-	546.14	35.34
Amparal	15.69	6.93	17.99	23.40	16.52	19.50	7.91	9.19	-	27.94	-	615.61	30.56
Trincomalee	13.74	12.91	18.75	30.40	-	18.46	11.17	11.47	-	27.85	-	695.08	26.87
North Western Province	10.12	6.84	15.29	20.76	16.49	-	5.52	9.08	-	26.16	18.72	357.28	31.81
Kurunagala	10.12	7.09	17.15	21.21	16.49	-	6.15	9.04	-	24.23	-	355.62	33.52
Puttalam	-	6.59	13.43	20.32	-	-	4.90	9.13	-	28.09	37.43	358.93	30.10
North Central Province	10.32	6.71	15.46	22.60	15.98	13.54	7.32	10.67	-	21.58	-	430.13	30.03
Anuradhapura	11.40	7.67	15.42	21.59	15.98	14.64	7.07	9.19	-	23.06	-	433.94	26.95
Polonnaruwa	9.24	5.74	15.49	23.60	-	12.44	7.56	12.15	-	20.10	-	426.32	33.10
Uva Province	8.70	6.82	14.37	23.17	15.16	13.75	4.60	7.12	28.50	30.10	47.15	487.07	28.84
Badulla	9.27	7.45	13.67	20.40	15.16	-	5.38	7.11	29.00	29.66	42.82	-	27.80
Monaragala	8.12	6.19	15.06	25.94	-	13.75	3.81	7.12	28.00	30.54	51.47	487.07	29.87
Sabaragamuwa Province	9.99	5.89	16.55	21.39	-	-	5.85	7.62	-	36.01	61.78	430.55	30.65
Ratnapura	9.99	5.89	18.47	21.39	-	-	5.95	7.02	-	36.01	67.03	486.39	37.67
Kegalle	-	-	14.62	-	-	-	5.74	8.22	-	-	56.53	374.70	23.62

Table 13.10 (Contd.) - Producer prices for selected items of highland crops by province and district , 1994 - 1998

Province/District	Kurakkan	Maize	Cowpea	Green gram	Soya bean	Black gram	Manioc	Sweet potatoes	Potatoes	Red onions	Coffee seed	Coconut (medium) 100 nuts	Rs/Kg.
													Green chillies
1995													
Western Province	13.02	8.25	-	-	20.14	-	7.36	9.26	-	-	85.78	415.78	95.00
Colombo	-	-	-	-	20.14	-	6.79	8.76	-	-	90.00	460.68	-
Gampaha	11.03	8.25	-	-	-	-	7.19	9.41	-	-	102.35	377.71	-
Kalutara	15.00	-	-	-	-	-	8.11	9.61	-	-	65.00	408.95	95.00
Central Province	13.92	7.47	15.00	25.58	16.14	-	7.45	8.80	35.34	27.20	91.63	376.67	100.39
Kandy	22.00	7.49	-	25.58	16.38	-	7.40	8.62	-	25.00	95.00	392.81	107.01
Matale	9.27	7.44	15.00	-	15.89	-	6.44	7.84	-	-	85.13	341.38	104.15
Nuwara Eliya	10.50	-	-	-	-	-	8.52	9.94	35.34	29.40	94.76	395.83	90.00
Southern Province	11.76	7.13	19.42	31.74	19.35	-	6.88	9.11	-	34.77	83.47	366.64	104.81
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.43	10.99	-	-	101.25	389.83	96.25
Matara	11.45	7.30	-	-	-	-	6.51	8.35	-	-	69.17	347.18	128.75
Hambantota	12.07	6.96	19.42	31.74	19.35	-	5.70	8.00	-	34.77	80.00	362.92	89.42
Northern Province	17.89	11.09	17.81	29.70	24.38	-	7.95	8.89	27.98	18.92	-	1,030.74	101.31
Jaffna	24.50	-	-	-	-	-	6.21	7.26	27.98	12.90	-	1,236.47	106.03
Killinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	11.28	11.09	17.81	29.70	24.38	-	9.68	10.52	-	24.93	-	825.00	96.58
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province	17.68	13.70	19.11	33.67	18.15	-	11.25	13.17	-	26.11	-	561.85	99.30
Batticaloa	18.52	15.30	21.46	39.22	-	-	11.49	13.19	-	28.13	-	601.68	100.00
Amparai	16.65	7.73	15.88	24.47	18.15	-	8.31	9.65	-	24.13	-	510.00	92.00
Trincomalee	17.88	18.06	20.00	37.33	-	-	13.96	16.67	-	26.07	-	573.88	105.90
North Western Province	12.07	8.44	22.71	30.58	17.54	-	5.90	9.11	-	22.69	85.06	323.90	97.24
Kurunegala	11.17	7.55	22.66	33.79	17.54	-	6.39	9.62	-	22.22	80.00	308.49	97.75
Puttalam	12.96	9.32	22.76	27.37	-	-	5.40	8.59	-	23.16	90.12	339.31	96.72
North Central Province	15.09	8.73	18.14	23.26	17.00	-	7.79	10.04	-	23.85	-	382.91	94.38
Anuradhapura	19.40	9.19	18.34	22.27	17.00	-	6.68	9.72	-	22.79	-	382.34	92.72
Polonnaruwa	10.77	8.26	17.94	24.24	-	-	8.90	10.35	-	24.91	-	383.48	96.04
Uva Province	11.48	7.50	19.84	28.51	15.13	-	5.22	7.61	33.87	21.16	100.12	328.89	101.01
Badulla	11.42	8.14	17.28	26.15	15.13	-	5.66	7.84	33.87	22.27	105.23	445.76	90.34
Monaragala	11.54	6.85	22.40	30.86	-	-	4.78	7.38	-	20.04	95.00	372.45	111.67
Sabaragamuwa Province	11.21	9.22	20.40	23.76	-	-	6.69	8.48	-	26.07	91.21	385.05	89.99
Ratnapura	11.54	7.32	21.16	26.77	-	-	6.70	7.51	-	26.07	76.99	420.44	89.02
Kegalle	10.87	11.11	19.64	20.75	-	-	6.67	9.45	-	-	105.42	349.65	90.96

Table 13.10 (Contd.) - Producer prices for selected items of highland crops by province and district , 1994 - 1998

Province/District	Kurakkan	Maize	Cowpea	Green gram	Soya bean	Black gram	Manioc	Sweet potatoes	Potatoes	Red onions	Coffee seed	Coconut (medium) 100 nuts	Green chillies
Rs/Kg.													
1996													
Western Province	18.43	9.19	-	-	-	-	9.24	10.93	-	-	70.88	645.44	98.09
Colombo	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.51	9.31	-	-	70.63	709.82	96.75
Gampaha	18.43	9.19	-	-	-	-	9.31	12.46	-	-	84.50	629.83	101.02
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.90	11.03	-	-	57.50	596.68	96.50
Central Province	18.75	9.03	-	25.25	-	-	8.25	9.78	26.84	32.23	67.29	576.97	107.66
Kandy	-	7.55	-	25.25	-	-	8.93	9.63	23.17	-	66.71	548.25	111.79
Matale	18.75	9.90	-	-	-	-	7.31	9.63	-	-	57.50	574.08	106.70
Nuwara Eliya	-	9.64	-	-	-	-	8.52	10.09	30.51	32.23	77.66	608.57	104.50
Southern Province	11.45	9.43	27.88	32.67	21.22	-	7.99	10.04	-	31.84	63.55	575.05	90.33
Galle	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.47	11.77	-	-	63.55	572.47	96.50
Matara	-	9.67	-	-	-	-	8.01	9.82	-	-	-	581.03	95.00
Hambantota	11.45	9.18	27.88	32.67	21.22	-	6.48	8.53	-	31.84	-	571.65	79.50
Northern Province	-	-	31.12	32.79	-	44.45	20.25	17.30	-	20.95	-	553.55	113.68
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.61	-	-	10.81	-	387.59	120.00
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	-	-	31.12	32.79	-	44.45	13.89	17.30	-	31.08	-	719.50	107.36
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province	19.50	15.36	26.28	37.56	21.85	40.07	12.88	13.07	-	38.39	-	791.85	109.58
Batticaloa	19.50	15.11	30.35	37.27	-	40.07	12.56	11.53	-	40.26	-	846.04	-
Amparai	-	11.43	21.50	32.51	21.85	-	9.93	9.85	-	39.71	-	747.98	100.71
Trincomalee	-	19.55	27.00	42.90	-	-	16.15	17.82	-	35.21	-	781.52	118.44
North Western Province	16.94	11.22	24.99	33.60	26.48	39.73	8.37	10.17	-	27.31	-	576.04	107.36
Kurunegala	16.74	10.59	27.42	35.16	26.48	-	7.87	9.89	-	24.54	-	562.30	104.58
Puttalam	17.13	11.85	22.56	32.04	-	39.73	8.87	10.45	-	30.08	-	589.77	110.14
North Central Province	16.71	9.15	23.82	32.41	18.85	37.84	8.77	10.22	-	32.21	-	606.46	100.81
Anuradhapura	18.71	9.59	23.57	31.63	18.85	40.35	7.59	9.17	-	29.84	-	658.26	98.23
Polonnaruwa	14.70	8.71	24.07	33.18	-	35.33	9.95	11.27	-	34.57	-	554.65	103.38
Uva Province	15.95	9.74	23.35	31.49	-	25.00	6.07	7.41	30.89	25.44	76.25	637.71	101.36
Badulla	15.48	9.99	23.11	30.45	-	-	7.00	8.04	30.89	26.00	76.25	696.88	100.39
Monaragala	16.42	9.48	23.58	32.52	-	25.00	5.14	6.78	-	24.88	-	578.54	102.32
Sabaragamuwa Province	17.40	10.30	24.34	30.91	26.50	33.26	8.16	9.76	-	28.86	70.71	612.35	108.04
Ratnapura	17.13	10.02	23.18	30.37	26.50	33.26	7.32	8.38	-	28.04	80.28	651.39	112.50
Kegalle	17.67	10.58	25.50	31.44	-	-	9.00	11.14	-	29.67	61.14	573.31	103.57

Table 13.10 (Contd.) - Producer prices for selected items of highland crops by province and district , 1994 - 1998

Province/District	Kurakkan	Malze	Cowpea	Green gram	Soya bean	Black gram	Manloc	Sweet potatoes	Potatoes	Red onions	Coffee seed	Coconut (medium) 100 nuts	Rs/Kg.
													Green chillies
1997													
Western Province	16.67						9.70	11.32			59.44	691.69	
Colombo	16.75						8.58	9.52				737.71	
Gampaha	15.50						9.33	12.71			59.71	626.06	
Kalutara	17.75						11.19	11.74			59.17	711.30	
Central Province	18.18	15.03		36.23	27.43		8.74	10.34	27.81	28.24	57.25	622.56	59.84
Kandy	16.75				22.41		9.94	10.39			52.80	615.33	47.50
Matale	14.30	12.44		36.23	32.44		7.81	9.80				651.10	71.11
Nuwara Eliya	23.50	17.62					8.47	10.82	27.81	28.24	61.69	601.25	60.91
Southern Province	18.29	16.83	27.64	37.64	22.43		8.72	10.66			60.63	684.58	92.50
Galle	18.63	19.17					10.50	12.70			60.63	693.86	
Matara	17.22	15.75			22.43		8.41	10.15				686.46	
Hambantota	19.01	15.56	27.64	37.64			7.24	9.12				673.41	92.50
Northern Province	17.38	12.11	25.26	34.17	26.71	37.42	14.56	15.76	42.60	27.32		751.77	85.56
Jaffna							16.37		42.60	25.89		618.26	93.53
Kilinochchi													
Mannar													
Vavuniya	17.38	12.11	25.26	34.17	26.71	37.42	12.74	15.76		28.74		885.27	77.58
Mullaitivu													
Eastern Province	20.42	16.36	27.61	39.32	13.00	40.47	11.95	13.06		34.44		976.02	84.28
Batticaloa	20.20	20.83	28.90	41.12		40.47	12.26	12.74		32.63		1,084.80	
Ampara	19.07	11.33	25.29	31.15	13.00		9.74	10.98		34.34		885.57	77.78
Trincomalee	22.00	16.91	28.63	45.70			13.86	15.45		36.34		957.70	90.77
North Western Province	19.19	15.24	26.45	35.71	25.88	39.42	9.29	11.04	27.25	29.81		699.24	78.65
Kurunegala	19.86	16.03	28.85	38.67	27.50		9.10	11.07		28.82		777.30	79.79
Puttalam	18.51	14.44	24.05	32.74	24.25	39.42	9.47	11.00	27.25	30.80		621.17	77.51
North Central Province	18.82	10.35	23.92	33.52	23.00	36.98	9.58	10.59		31.58		662.22	74.92
Anuradhapura	19.76	10.58	22.62	30.46	23.00	36.98	8.98	9.27		33.27		670.47	68.34
Polonnaruwa	17.87	10.12	25.22	36.58			10.17	11.90		29.88		653.97	81.50
Uva Province	17.89	9.45	24.69	35.32			6.54	9.31	27.88	28.86	60.09	705.43	79.77
Badulla	16.29	9.60	25.06	37.52			7.67	10.47	27.88	30.83	60.09	746.70	80.41
Monaragala	19.48	9.29	24.32	33.11			5.41	8.14		26.88		664.15	79.13
Sabaragamuwa Province	19.27	14.34	25.68	37.72	26.25	39.90	8.83	9.62		26.04	67.65	690.51	69.11
Ratnapura	21.24	16.42	24.45	33.53			7.84	8.88		26.57	68.34	730.38	69.50
Kegalle	17.30	12.25	26.90	41.91	26.25	39.90	9.81	10.35		25.50	66.95	650.63	68.71

Table 13.10 (Contd.) - Producer prices for selected items of highland crops by province and district , 1994 - 1998

Province/District	Kurakkan	Maize	Cowpea	Green gram	Soya bean	Black gram	Manioc	Sweet potatoes	Potatoes	Red onions	Coffee seed	Coconut (medium) 100 nuts	Green chillies
													Rs/Kg.
1998													
Western Province	19.33	18.00	-	38.50	24.00	35.00	9.21	11.24	-	-	69.25	764.50	42.78
Colombo	20.00	-	-	39.00	-	-	9.15	10.96	-	-	-	846.12	43.44
Gampaha	18.00	-	-	-	-	-	8.24	10.81	-	-	67.00	690.44	41.56
Kalutara	20.00	18.00	25.00	38.00	24.00	35.00	10.25	11.96	-	-	71.50	756.93	43.33
Central Province	17.51	15.06	28.00	38.19	28.82	28.00	9.00	10.58	36.66	43.36	64.34	715.43	30.79
Kandy	18.00	-	-	-	24.00	28.00	10.73	11.00	-	-	66.67	728.08	29.17
Matale	16.29	-	28.00	38.19	33.63	-	7.46	9.27	-	-	-	721.80	24.55
Nuwara Eliya	18.25	15.06	-	-	-	-	8.81	11.48	36.66	43.36	62.00	696.42	38.65
Southern Province	23.54	21.24	28.93	37.60	24.68	28.00	9.33	11.62	30.00	45.52	72.23	783.03	47.96
Galle	22.00	20.46	-	-	-	-	11.52	14.20	-	-	75.71	766.69	67.42
Matara	25.00	21.00	-	-	24.68	28.00	9.07	11.12	-	-	-	809.83	40.42
Hambantota	23.63	22.25	28.93	37.60	-	-	7.40	9.53	30.00	45.52	69.75	772.56	36.04
Northern Province	30.25	18.00	24.47	35.00	29.81	33.55	6.64	7.34	35.73	24.61	-	1,306.92	34.76
Jaffna	40.00	-	-	-	-	-	7.27	7.67	35.73	19.22	-	1,563.83	34.76
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	20.50	18.00	24.47	35.00	29.81	33.55	6.00	7.00	-	30.00	-	1,050.00	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province	21.03	16.83	28.79	42.04	22.00	42.87	11.84	13.34	28.00	35.66	45.00	1,238.12	44.84
Batticaloa	20.28	23.14	31.38	44.92	-	42.87	11.14	13.33	-	25.00	-	1,230.81	48.06
Ampara	21.74	10.18	26.20	32.20	22.00	-	9.15	10.71	-	37.53	45.00	1,445.39	41.36
Trincomalee	21.08	17.17	-	49.00	-	-	15.23	15.98	28.00	44.44	-	1,038.16	45.10
North Western Province	23.92	18.56	25.55	35.18	31.95	33.87	9.12	11.24	-	44.29	86.75	663.76	38.56
Kurunegala	27.13	19.37	24.94	32.64	33.78	31.78	9.17	11.67	-	43.98	86.75	650.70	42.06
Puttalam	20.71	17.74	26.16	37.71	30.12	35.95	9.06	10.81	-	44.60	-	676.82	33.05
North Central Province	20.14	12.35	23.80	34.52	30.63	34.77	10.74	14.23	-	35.67	-	723.06	38.92
Anuradhapura	21.29	11.81	22.94	30.54	30.63	34.77	10.26	13.90	-	32.33	-	701.54	31.15
Polonnaruwa	19.00	12.88	24.66	38.50	-	-	11.21	14.56	-	39.00	-	744.57	46.69
Uva Province	19.43	10.19	20.13	35.11	30.00	-	6.61	9.28	36.76	36.92	63.82	822.32	35.54
Badulla	20.00	9.14	17.35	38.03	-	-	7.55	10.55	36.76	36.58	63.64	885.71	35.91
Monaragala	18.86	11.24	22.91	32.19	30.00	30.00	5.66	8.01	-	37.25	64.00	758.93	35.17
Sabaragamuwa Province	20.10	16.16	24.86	40.09	30.43	40.75	9.18	11.08	-	-	64.65	782.76	45.78
Ratnapura	22.20	13.15	23.72	38.00	-	-	7.67	9.54	-	42.50	62.42	766.45	49.55
Kegalle	18.00	19.16	26.00	42.17	30.43	40.75	10.69	12.61	-	45.00	66.88	799.07	42.00

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

**Table 13.11 - Producer prices for selected items of livestock
by province and district , 1994 - 1998**

Province/District	Rs.Cts.							
	Goats Each	Pigs Each	Poultry (full grown) Each	Poultry (3 - 4 months) Each	Buffaloas Each	Milk cow Each	Eggs Each	Fresh milk 750 ml
1994								
Western Province	1,308.56	1,600.00	116.73	52.27	4,505.07	3,995.12	2.48	8.46
Colombo	1,525.00	1,700.00	107.31	49.50	5,010.00	4,014.17	2.30	6.16
Gampaha	1,491.92	1,500.00	130.38	57.31	5,810.76	5,265.63	2.57	9.09
Kalutara	908.75	-	112.49	50.00	2,694.44	2,705.55	2.56	10.14
Central Province	598.00	-	100.51	60.11	5,245.27	5,283.11	2.59	7.48
Kandy	1,260.33	1,300.00	94.76	57.76	6,414.15	6,940.78	2.44	7.30
Matale	1,357.50	-	100.11	60.49	5,377.92	4,487.50	2.49	7.13
Nuwara Eliya	1,176.17	-	106.67	62.08	3,943.75	4,421.06	2.83	8.02
Southern Province	901.78	1,350.00	103.70	59.55	3,334.96	3,026.38	2.42	9.80
Galle	940.71	1,200.00	117.57	72.04	3,407.63	3,475.12	2.42	10.16
Matara	535.67	-	87.65	57.37	2,723.67	2,518.48	2.35	9.63
Hambantota	1,228.95	1,500.00	105.89	49.25	3,873.57	3,085.54	2.50	9.62
Northern Province	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jaffna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	1,447.88	-	103.73	79.43	4,603.71	4,024.00	2.82	5.56
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province	1,297.76	-	117.59	67.33	3,899.20	3,680.62	2.41	8.11
Batticaloa	1,010.10	-	123.50	75.26	4,658.17	3,279.60	2.24	7.23
Amparal	1,301.93	1,137.50	106.67	62.90	2,987.50	4,300.36	2.48	7.97
Trincomalee	1,581.25	-	122.61	63.84	4,051.92	3,461.90	2.51	9.12
North Western Province	1,136.18	1,645.16	107.42	52.42	4,120.40	4,137.80	2.36	7.95
Kurunegala	1,089.02	1,790.31	106.95	38.44	4,051.92	3,747.68	2.39	8.10
Puttalam	1,183.33	1,500.00	107.88	66.40	4,188.87	4,527.92	2.32	7.79
North Central Province	1,073.96	1,875.00	100.74	59.96	4,363.17	3,531.25	2.54	8.50
Anuradhapura	1,210.42	1,875.00	97.66	56.75	4,882.48	4,030.82	2.54	7.82
Polonnaruwa	937.50	-	103.82	63.16	3,843.85	3,031.68	2.54	9.17
Uva Province	1,305.63	-	101.00	59.11	3,370.17	3,303.00	2.69	7.12
Badulla	1,048.76	-	94.74	58.52	3,217.41	3,181.83	2.70	6.76
Monaragala	1,562.50	1,293.75	107.25	59.69	3,522.92	3,424.17	2.67	7.47
Sabaragamuwa Province	1,123.37	1,410.42	95.74	53.25	3,927.43	3,674.36	2.56	8.17
Ratnapura	1,138.72	1,600.00	90.84	52.19	2,669.13	2,304.28	2.58	9.42
Kegalle	1,108.01	1,220.83	100.64	54.30	5,185.73	5,044.43	2.54	6.92

**Table 13.11(Contd.) - Producer prices for selected items of livestock
by province and district , 1994 - 1998**

Province/District	Goats Each	Pigs Each	Poultry (full grown) Each	Poultry (3 - 4 months) Each	Buffaloas Each	Milk cow Each	Eggs Each	Rs.Cts.
								Fresh milk 750 ml
1995								
Western Province	1,442.13	1,385.14	122.67	72.29	5,148.66	4,619.58	2.63	10.57
Colombo	1,678.61	1,735.42	107.05	73.35	6,047.02	5,147.22	2.55	10.02
Gampaha	1,621.53	1,238.75	139.79	74.80	6,222.32	5,886.51	2.69	10.21
Kalutara	1,026.25	1,181.25	121.17	68.73	3,176.63	2,825.00	2.66	11.48
Central Province	1,451.12	1,416.25	114.09	61.80	5,551.36	5,755.96	2.69	8.04
Kandy	1,618.52	1,307.50	106.18	62.16	6,929.13	7,270.58	2.68	7.49
Matale	1,340.29	1,525.00	112.03	53.55	6,037.58	4,898.56	2.68	7.25
Nuwara Eliya	1,394.54	-	124.07	69.68	3,687.38	5,098.73	2.72	9.39
Southern Province	1,141.59	-	111.77	61.80	3,739.08	3,226.74	2.78	10.40
Galle	1,219.71	-	123.31	69.48	3,727.12	3,512.28	2.75	10.99
Matara	897.50	-	100.16	58.23	2,935.11	2,776.06	2.69	10.15
Hambantota	1,307.55	-	111.84	57.69	4,555.02	3,391.89	2.89	10.06
Northern Province	1,398.29	-	146.65	95.92	4,200.00	3,538.75	4.35	11.05
Jaffna	1,441.70	-	165.79	105.79	-	2,790.00	5.60	14.74
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	1,354.88	-	127.50	86.04	4,200.00	4,287.50	3.10	7.35
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province	1,535.56	1,132.50	122.53	79.03	4,529.08	4,168.92	2.90	6.01
Batticaloa	1,474.35	995.00	123.51	78.65	5,174.94	3,860.36	3.46	8.34
Amparai	1,447.41	1,200.00	108.21	72.61	4,673.12	4,595.78	2.59	8.28
Trincomalee	1,684.92	1,202.50	135.86	85.84	3,739.17	4,050.63	2.65	9.69
North Western Province	1,215.97	1,398.75	111.40	62.76	5,374.02	5,034.07	2.72	8.57
Kurunegala	1,265.04	1,630.00	109.29	61.39	5,484.84	5,487.97	2.77	8.74
Puttalam	1,166.89	1,167.50	113.51	64.13	5,263.20	4,580.16	2.67	8.39
North Central Province	1,234.91	1,578.13	108.48	66.44	4,949.30	4,039.36	2.64	8.78
Anuradhapura	1,369.81	1,856.25	107.57	66.38	5,687.17	4,515.52	2.65	8.51
Polonnaruwa	1,100.00	1,300.00	109.39	66.49	4,211.42	3,563.20	2.62	9.04
Uva Province	1,294.82	1,072.50	103.10	66.70	3,623.67	3,974.28	2.68	7.46
Badulla	1,077.13	1,150.00	98.93	65.21	3,441.09	3,574.70	2.66	6.98
Monaragala	1,512.50	995.00	107.26	68.18	3,806.25	4,373.86	2.70	7.93
Sabaragamuwa Province	1,206.23	1,461.88	100.89	59.65	4,189.36	4,071.18	2.66	8.98
Ratnapura	1,194.78	1,737.50	96.12	60.22	2,934.03	2,822.97	2.70	10.24
Kegalle	1,217.67	1,186.25	105.65	59.07	5,444.69	5,319.38	2.61	7.72

**Table 13.11 (Contd.) - Producer prices for selected items of livestock
by province and district , 1994 - 1998**

Province/District	Goats Each	Pigs Each	Poultry (full grown) Each	Poultry (3 - 4 months) Each	Buffaloas Each	Milk cow Each	Eggs Each	Rs.Cts.
								Fresh milk 750 ml
1996								
Western Province	1,912.73	2,304.40	128.22	79.78	6,753.76	6,943.00	2.93	11.86
Colombo	2,049.42	2,779.23	128.74	80.37	7,530.36	8,128.31	2.89	11.12
Gampaha	1,988.77	2,508.98	128.42	88.98	7,980.91	7,825.68	2.88	12.03
Kalutara	1,700.00	1,625.00	127.50	70.00	4,750.00	4,875.00	3.01	12.44
Central Province	1,620.74	1,400.00	120.43	67.17	6,435.08	6,773.56	3.00	9.18
Kandy	1,907.21	1,400.00	109.43	66.09	7,284.53	7,793.72	2.94	9.15
Matale	1,465.10	-	113.79	64.29	7,745.71	6,514.03	2.98	8.82
Nuwara Eliya	1,489.92	-	138.08	71.13	4,275.00	6,012.93	3.08	9.57
Southern Province	1,492.11	-	120.25	63.14	4,332.76	4,037.23	2.93	11.37
Galle	1,339.29	-	125.76	67.25	4,563.38	4,419.80	2.97	11.91
Matara	1,252.75	-	105.89	63.71	3,077.97	3,764.29	2.91	10.76
Hambantota	1,884.29	-	129.10	58.45	5,356.93	3,927.59	2.92	11.44
Northern Province	1,743.67	-	145.91	91.00	3,801.90	3,720.67	3.23	11.16
Jaffna	2,312.50	-	-	-	3,347.22	3,078.87	-	14.58
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	1,174.83	-	145.91	91.00	4,256.58	4,362.48	3.23	7.74
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province	1,627.97	1,600.00	146.32	85.46	5,921.47	5,277.45	3.34	10.01
Batticaloa	1,303.04	-	136.12	82.59	6,005.03	4,424.72	3.50	9.14
Amparai	1,720.86	1,600.00	136.08	83.87	7,184.37	5,994.12	3.25	9.81
Trincomalee	1,860.02	-	166.75	89.93	4,575.00	5,413.52	3.26	11.09
North Western Province	1,284.02	2,055.91	119.02	63.73	5,814.28	5,392.92	2.84	10.17
Kurunegala	1,570.80	2,253.82	115.95	61.39	5,733.27	5,327.19	2.93	9.59
Puttalam	997.24	1,857.99	122.09	66.07	5,895.29	5,458.64	2.75	10.74
North Central Province	1,481.95	1,970.14	119.72	66.44	5,119.96	4,187.01	2.97	10.00
Anuradhapura	1,651.40	2,190.28	122.37	66.38	5,442.11	4,333.50	2.96	9.93
Polonnaruwa	1,312.50	1,750.00	117.06	66.49	4,797.81	4,040.51	2.97	10.06
Uva Province	1,596.28	1,512.50	112.16	69.42	3,972.28	4,223.32	3.15	8.93
Badulla	1,575.89	1,750.00	104.62	70.30	3,809.55	3,614.22	3.08	8.71
Monaragala	1,616.67	1,275.00	119.69	68.54	4,135.00	4,832.41	3.22	9.15
Sabaragamuwa Province	1,244.65	1,700.00	110.49	59.95	3,648.88	4,752.14	3.00	10.49
Ratnapura	1,059.66	2,000.00	102.18	60.83	3,031.61	3,865.74	3.02	11.78
Kegalle	1,429.64	1,400.00	118.79	59.07	4,266.14	5,638.54	2.97	9.20

Table 13.11 (Contd.) - Producer prices for selected items of livestock by province and district , 1994 - 1998

Province/District	Goats Each	Pigs Each	Poultry (full grown) Each	Poultry (3 - 4 months) Each	Buffaloas Each	Milk cow Each	Eggs Each	Rs.Cts.
								Fresh milk 750 ml
1997								
Western Province	3,376.72	3,554.28	143.86	87.81	7,427.06	9,801.04	3.89	13.53
Colombo	3,620.37	3,635.42	151.87	86.81	8,218.06	12,262.50	3.86	11.67
Gampaha	3,509.79	3,473.13	168.03	93.28	9,063.13	10,140.63	3.93	13.50
Kalutara	3,000.00		111.67	83.33	5,000.00	7,000.00	3.89	15.41
Central Province	1,685.85		129.03	70.76	6,765.87	6,715.56	3.87	9.87
Kandy	1,758.20		116.98	70.42	7,510.90	7,619.82	3.80	9.90
Matale	1,368.86		123.71	64.36	8,196.58	6,717.32	3.78	9.34
Nuwara Eliya	1,930.49		146.39	77.50	4,590.13	5,809.54	4.04	10.37
Southern Province	1,556.67	2,125.00	132.82	70.96	4,566.14	3,599.68	3.85	12.73
Galle	1,501.25		143.85	73.33	4,696.09	3,706.18	3.76	13.72
Matara	1,450.00		116.37	74.67	3,241.84	3,072.72	3.95	11.80
Hambantota	1,718.75	2,125.00	138.23	64.88	5,760.49	4,020.15	3.85	12.66
Northern Province	1,684.49		200.43	113.13	4,175.63	4,230.42	5.79	12.62
Jaffna	2,192.59		259.11	128.67	4,000.00	3,930.46	7.20	15.15
Kilinochchi								
Mannar								
Vavuniya	1,176.38		141.75	97.58	4,351.25	4,530.38	4.38	10.08
Mullaitivu								
Eastern Province	1,829.57	3,750.00	147.86	85.21	7,246.52	6,232.98	4.01	11.48
Batticaloa	1,305.79		140.05	90.84	7,245.40	5,483.31	4.29	9.58
Amparai	2,245.12	3,750.00	146.18	80.22	8,127.54	7,199.99	3.91	11.61
Trincomalee	1,937.79		157.35	84.56	6,366.61	6,015.63	3.82	13.25
North Western Province	1,496.17	2,154.32	147.03	72.88	6,178.03	5,523.37	3.84	11.46
Kurunegala	1,745.14	2,603.00	150.40	75.36	6,281.11	5,695.87	3.84	10.86
Puttalam	1,247.20	1,705.63	143.66	70.40	6,074.95	5,320.86	3.83	12.05
North Central Province	1,471.97	3,025.00	128.64	69.07	6,415.37	4,980.95	3.89	11.26
Anuradhapura	1,943.93	3,025.00	125.11	65.30	6,319.24	4,959.03	3.80	11.87
Polonnaruwa	1,000.00		132.17	72.84	6,511.49	5,002.86	3.98	10.64
Uva Province	2,233.95		126.20	71.79	4,529.56	4,343.58	3.96	10.01
Badulla	1,874.89		116.26	74.20	4,496.61	4,215.14	4.07	9.14
Monaragala	2,593.00		136.14	69.38	4,562.50	4,472.02	3.85	10.88
Sabaragamuwa Province	1,486.78	1,500.90	131.11	71.53	5,234.06	5,374.73	3.87	11.97
Ratnapura	1,232.22		121.02	66.10	3,633.62	4,643.41	3.95	13.62
Kegalle	1,741.33	1,500.90	141.20	76.95	6,834.49	6,106.04	3.79	10.31

**Table 13.11 (Contd.) - Producer prices for selected items of livestock
by province and district , 1994 - 1998**

Province/District	Goats Each	Pigs Each	Poultry (full grown) Each	Poultry (3 - 4 months) Each	Buffaloas Each	Milk cow Each	Eggs Each	Rs. Cts.
								Fresh milk 750 ml
1998								
Western Province	3,433.33	3,333.33	151.15	95.43	7,900.00	9,966.67	3.39	14.22
Colombo	3,600.00	4,000.00	154.52	100.92	8,500.00	11,400.00	3.37	12.00
Gampaha	3,500.00	4,000.00	153.94	90.38	9,200.00	11,000.00	3.37	14.00
Kalutara	3,200.00	2,000.00	145.00	95.00	6,000.00	7,500.00	3.43	16.66
Central Province	2,200.00	1,950.00	136.83	85.27	7,533.33	7,333.33	3.62	10.25
Kandy	2,600.00	2,000.00	127.38	85.94	8,000.00	8,000.00	3.55	10.25
Matale	1,600.00	1,900.00	135.57	72.79	8,600.00	7,000.00	3.52	9.70
Nuwara Eliya	2,400.00	-	147.55	97.07	6,000.00	7,000.00	3.78	10.81
Southern Province	2,033.33	3,000.00	146.01	80.59	5,333.33	5,166.67	3.63	13.88
Galle	2,500.00	-	162.30	97.91	5,000.00	6,000.00	3.71	15.72
Matara	1,800.00	-	125.36	74.34	5,000.00	4,000.00	3.52	12.86
Hambantota	1,800.00	3,000.00	150.37	69.52	6,000.00	5,500.00	3.66	13.06
Northern Province	2,150.00	-	184.30	126.51	5,000.00	4,500.00	5.65	12.85
Jaffna	2,300.00	-	219.84	153.51	5,000.00	4,000.00	5.65	15.69
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	2,000.00	-	148.75	99.50	5,000.00	5,000.00	-	10.00
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Province	1,883.33	4,150.00	163.26	110.27	8,208.33	6,700.00	4.33	12.00
Batticaloa	1,450.00	-	148.69	99.09	7,875.00	6,600.00	4.75	10.99
Amparai	2,100.00	4,150.00	145.49	122.63	8,500.00	7,500.00	4.09	12.04
Trincomalee	2,100.00	-	195.59	109.10	8,250.00	6,000.00	4.15	12.98
North Western Province	1,850.00	2,175.00	159.07	86.23	6,750.00	6,000.00	3.48	11.73
Kurunegala	2,000.00	2,500.00	151.74	93.09	6,500.00	6,000.00	3.46	11.45
Puttalam	1,700.00	1,850.00	166.40	79.36	7,000.00	6,000.00	3.50	12.00
North Central Province	1,750.00	2,600.00	136.21	87.94	6,612.50	5,750.00	3.75	11.97
Anuradhapura	2,000.00	3,200.00	134.46	90.33	6,625.00	6,000.00	3.84	12.00
Polonnaruwa	1,500.00	2,000.00	137.50	85.54	6,600.00	5,500.00	3.65	11.93
Uva Province	2,500.00	2,200.00	131.49	82.25	4,700.00	5,375.00	3.98	9.87
Badulla	2,000.00	1,900.00	127.47	86.16	4,800.00	5,750.00	3.95	9.38
Monaragala	3,000.00	2,500.00	135.50	78.33	4,600.00	5,000.00	4.00	10.36
Sabaragamuwa Province	1,600.00	1,825.00	140.87	84.14	6,062.50	7,250.00	3.41	12.80
Ratnapura	1,300.00	2,100.00	124.20	68.99	4,625.00	7,500.00	3.47	14.30
Kegalle	1,900.00	1,550.00	157.53	99.28	7,500.00	7,000.00	3.34	11.30

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

CHAPTER XIV - TRADE

Table 14.1 - Summary of trade statistics - imports , 1994 - 1998

Item	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
01. Live animals; Animal products	12,457,834	28,955,978	51,539,678	80,598,526	64,910,477
02. Meat and Edible meat offal	88,965,559	131,707,096	104,785,598	213,653,709	183,651,082
03. Fish and Crustaceans, Molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	2,140,641,465	2,216,726,208	2,582,389,510	2,799,033,354	2,747,074,801
04. Dairy produce; Eggs, Honey, edible products of animal	4,207,299,429	5,539,369,980	5,885,105,899	5,613,767,149	7,405,682,551
05. Products of animal origin not elsewhere specified	115,222,641	104,057,489	99,448,678	166,030,199	192,221,149
06. Live trees and Other plants: Bulbs, Roots and Other	38,694,423	39,978,821	32,378,886	34,623,803	45,538,484
07. Edible vegetables and certain Roots and Tubers	3,460,033,111	4,646,635,272	4,361,796,111	6,392,017,008	7,206,713,818
08. Edible fruit and nuts; Peel of citrus or melons	350,754,349	369,771,208	404,866,288	490,149,547	681,032,664
09. Coffee, Tea Mate and Spices	792,635,594	1,075,631,886	1,525,495,232	1,717,125,237	2,374,959,418
10. Cereals	7,215,034,510	1,008,594,095	8,719,113,353		
11. Products of milling industry: Malt; Starches; Insulin; Wheat	211,445,507	148,791,861	224,705,879	14,030,551,447	11,410,671,654
12. Oil seeds and Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds	410,222,631	195,211,276	240,497,768	466,568,523	1,160,620,119
13. Lac; Gums, Resins and Other vegetable saps and extracts	58,926,189	67,951,095	70,207,628	248,590,283	336,440,250
14. Vegetable planting materials	250,878,055	223,204,682	275,952,718	73,614,078	78,214,668
15. Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their products	1,493,579,703	1,680,416,029	3,145,711,954	270,177,909	271,744,971
16. Preparation of meat or fish	828,584,472	1,255,473,471	1,116,669,586	3,205,236,875	4,492,058,655
17. Sugar and Sugar confectionery	9,049,608,866	8,921,581,056	8,267,189,983	1,542,203,660	1,353,021,424
18. Cocoa and Cocoa preparations	84,113,666	105,401,309	148,753,258	11,075,417,612	8,823,332,000
19. Preparations of Cereals, Flour starch or Milk	352,071,281	564,712,196	864,240,463	160,224,983	225,022,778
20. Preparations of vegetables, fruits, nuts or other parts	114,693,157	157,447,240	218,059,277	984,791,790	1,157,920,106
21. Miscellaneous edible preparations	826,158,067	821,409,763	916,281,622	138,284,631	209,544,005
22. Beverages, Spirits and Vinegar	877,933,758	1,024,798,107	981,565,632	860,303,519	1,010,551,040
23. Residues and waste from the food industries; prep. animal fodder	1,236,143,362	1,515,065,551	1,932,500,791	1,170,710,766	1,411,369,637
24. Tobacco and manufactured Tobacco substitutes	1,837,183,323	1,992,602,755	1,864,457,143	1,803,598,296	2,709,354,518
25. Salt; Sulphur; Earths and Stones; Plastering materials, Lime	3,808,174,105	5,273,310,178	5,391,162,014	2,915,245,404	3,205,587,522
				5,365,742,100	6,054,181,821

Table 14.1 (Contd.) - Summary of trade statistics - imports , 1994 - 1998

Item	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
26. Ores, Slag and Ash	36,138,192	80,220,780	56,946,321	62,912,696	59,139,590
27. Mineral fuels; Mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substance;	13,774,107,331	18,991,327,377	23,994,129,173	30,544,230,902	22,698,027,794
28. Inorganic chemicals; Organic or Inorganic compounds of precious metals;	1,464,501,972	1,691,246,558	2,058,296,066	2,190,014,091	2,456,284,356
29. Organic chemicals	1,733,507,464	2,244,276,597	1,976,520,443	2,215,941,313	2,440,175,886
30. Pharmaceutical products	2,806,121,637	3,620,313,873	3,310,354,061	3,574,682,208	4,612,053,606
31. Fertilisers	3,208,901,945	4,830,158,912	5,221,023,301	3,880,109,224	3,952,763,427
32. Tanning or dyeing extracts	1,633,027,902	1,816,333,001	1,834,781,705	2,237,789,869	2,524,100,039
33. Essential oils and resinoids; perfumery, toilet preparations	641,277,247	696,653,992	586,094,315	790,999,586	1,088,161,870
34. Soap, organic surface active agents, washing preparations	357,859,353	498,163,705	464,521,297	576,521,570	768,956,553
35. Albuminoidal substances; modified starches; glues;	224,968,682	298,687,871	333,233,505	379,189,886	471,441,089
36. Explosives; pyrotechnic products matches; alloys;	43,503,687	51,436,935	53,214,416	27,835,236	32,567,688
37. Photographic or cinematographic goods	580,443,853	620,415,613	663,953,838	685,474,340	777,510,501
38. Miscellaneous chemical products	2,002,211,474	2,236,157,073	2,357,134,562	2,564,532,598	3,441,206,632
39. Plastic and articles thereof	6,571,873,413	7,886,210,469	8,776,583,282	10,994,636,727	11,632,969,538
40. Rubber and articles thereof	1,576,282,635	2,158,905,660	2,731,326,152	3,246,993,531	3,550,596,048
41. Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather	755,609,204	920,305,824	1,037,787,353	1,118,571,534	1,377,257,672
42. Articles of leather, saddlery and harness; travel goods handbags and similar containers	291,281,138	291,294,583	214,723,523	256,414,247	193,224,505
43. Furskins and artificial fur; manufactures thereof	21,936,617	35,095,407	34,637,801	13,477,111	7,272,053
44. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	1,158,651,559	1,291,073,176	1,521,610,198	1,298,955,994	1,574,714,544
45. Cork and articles of cork	5,683,965	6,014,879	5,091,458	1,785,522	4,336,884
46. Manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware	15,432,698	24,260,485	27,522,384	29,476,865	47,634,352
47. Pulp of wood or other fibrous cellulosic materials;	154,400,271	402,873,137	401,280,942	189,807,173	234,155,882
48. Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp;	5,731,467,244	7,908,279,257	8,406,550,455	9,913,236,253	10,271,324,793
49. Printed books; News Papers, Pictures	8,666,523,401	718,717,445	824,658,428	908,392,042	987,600,207
50. Silk	207,275,508	103,236,004	142,267,848	64,456,867	72,113,482

Table 14.1 (Contd.) - Summary of trade statistics - imports , 1994 - 1998

Item	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
51. Wool, fine or coarse animal hair; horsehair	408,388,984	366,516,882	418,939,879	447,662,709	489,448,079
52. Cotton	15,667,650,887	18,153,131,672	18,898,552,777	22,324,987,972	26,760,128,867
53. Other vegetable textile fibres; paper yarn and woven fibres of	613,420,725	682,640,376	397,734,119	564,355,273	1,133,495,523
54. Man-Made filaments	4,306,131,688	4,460,681,733	4,854,066,326	5,779,910,157	6,283,552,740
55. Man-Made staple fibres	15,435,212,494	16,945,822,672	16,706,719,157	20,555,432,115	21,689,705,565
56. Wadding, felt and non-woven special yarns; twine, cordage ropes and cables	1,492,799,767	1,514,093,479	1,442,457,435	1,991,207,902	2,006,709,587
57. Carpets and other floor coverings	74,945,453	64,569,264	58,578,270	77,834,298	137,258,599
58. Special woven fabrics: Tufted textile fabrics; Lace; Tapestries; Trimmings;	3,143,397,848	4,167,621,842	5,415,140,938	7,464,151,325	7,388,420,629
59. Impregnated, coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics	1,186,120,501	3,805,904,812	5,225,822,908	7,464,425,115	9,510,572,228
60. Knitted or crocheted fabrics	9,677,341,078	10,981,580,831	12,213,044,990	16,101,014,666	16,980,098,127
61. Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	593,462,234	690,615,983	813,416,959	1,216,478,930	1,375,213,849
62. Articles of apparel and clothing accessories not knitted or crocheted	749,029,597	1,086,839,620	736,592,088	881,933,219	1,397,014,014
63. Other made-up textile articles sets: warm clothing and worn	249,581,384	380,566,781	114,032,545	167,828,597	221,840,232
64. Footwear, gaiters and the like parts of such articles	167,429,510	135,890,576	175,552,892	233,250,997	357,872,804
65. Headgear and parts thereof	70,525,149	52,820,815	56,074,878	51,647,893	102,490,409
66. Umbrellas, Sun Umbrellas, Walking-Sticks, Seat-Sticks	80,386,345	91,189,318	72,532,291	83,582,089	109,784,556
67. Prepared feathers and down and articles made of feathers	55,016,273	95,565,918	47,077,699	29,701,751	48,510,413
68. Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or	435,361,859	582,915,153	445,295,627	506,970,472	717,779,318
69. Ceramic products	384,297,166	511,926,962	606,797,100	609,046,726	941,177,145
70. Glass and glassware	1,091,116,713	1,244,205,614	1,259,385,682	1,231,601,423	1,341,678,055
71. Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious	8,492,936,559	9,614,667,626	9,578,647,005	10,005,060,221	11,399,319,935
72. Iron and steel	5,045,323,211	5,748,988,980	6,198,818,641	7,021,768,754	7,955,953,347
73. Articles of iron or steel	3,564,286,278	3,886,015,758	4,389,593,507	4,600,862,496	5,852,193,160
74. Copper and articles thereof	716,223,567	1,181,217,122	996,969,338	1,126,615,140	1,092,296,412
75. Nickel and articles thereof	7,387,794	8,895,704	8,079,454	26,552,220	18,057,847

Table 14.1 (Contd.) - Summary of trade statistics - imports , 1994 - 1998

Item	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
76. Aluminium and Articles thereof	1,254,756,747	1,547,716,157	1,702,726,993	1,658,652,776	2,367,126,898
78. Lead and Articles thereof	65,685,301	83,147,570	124,864,622	87,879,265	107,873,936
79. Zinc and Articles thereof	127,149,713	158,364,794	181,077,024	256,312,923	187,144,253
80. Tin and Articles thereof	10,948,259	10,360,598	21,681,820	21,421,579	15,928,268
81. Other Base metals; Cermet	26,706,906	23,947,863	23,393,321	35,955,789	25,169,981
82. Tools, Implements, Cutlery, Spoon and Forks of base Metal	677,199,835	785,841,431	845,914,894	867,629,609	997,955,861
83. Miscellaneous Articles of	827,514,489	998,749,441	1,149,615,281	1,383,863,305	1,685,453,073
84. Nuclear Reactors, Boilers Machinery and Mechanical apparatus	19,535,229,647	18,783,501,822	24,590,826,692	31,655,041,314	34,343,020,706
85. Electrical Machinery and Equipment Sound Recorders and Televisions	14,205,699,389	13,402,929,344	17,751,991,833	20,340,803,877	27,233,995,483
86. Railway or tramway locomotives rolling stock and parts	78,745,617	170,836,589	326,247,568	276,439,978	426,929,329
87. Vehicles other than railway rolling-stock and parts thereof	17,654,009,166	16,515,225,138	15,319,949,496	17,177,867,928	25,176,827,064
88. Aircraft, spacecraft and parts	76,615,641	116,129,579	91,296,985	96,741,622	304,850,019
89. Ships, boats and floating structures	57,884,927	24,193,601	451,822,933	38,090,068	202,170,758
90. Optical, photographic, cinema to graphic and surgical Instruments	2,738,655,123	2,611,127,207	2,824,196,249	2,432,661,064	3,519,264,550
91. Clocks and watches and parts thereof	158,947,986	138,828,666	133,827,949	136,585,587	168,209,296
92. Musical Instruments; parts and accessories of such articles	165,786,220	103,958,029	135,078,273	136,955,442	152,467,636
93. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories	9,870,163	1,995,026	12,913,262	4,085,998	18,153,497
94. Furniture, Bedding, Mattresses, Mattress Supports, Cushions	493,333,937	696,835,059	944,029,296	1,125,836,653	1,439,575,494
95. Toys, games and sports requisites parts and Accessories thereof	283,518,062	322,608,415	337,448,454	328,382,535	330,104,988
96. Miscellaneous Manufactured articles	2,674,026,096	2,886,680,065	3,288,056,542	4,383,828,093	4,666,674,768
97. Works of art, collectors, pieces and antiques	709,652	388,918	399,273	1,360,343	16,777,990
99. Others	38,105,250	85,388,188	44,728,044	134,729,556	230,982,683
Grand Total	221,657,615,141	244,564,122,208	277,897,127,085	332,729,705,557	369,012,836,574

Source - Department of Sri Lanka Customs

Table 14.2 - Summary of trade statistics - exports , 1994 - 1998

Item	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
01. Live animals; Animal products	540,444	60,293	1,103,643	127,610	75,877
02. Meat and Edible meat offal	46,163,807	32,935,390	80,363,455	96,947,547	60,637,022
03. Fish and Crustaceans, Molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	3,122,311,803	3,647,882,572	4,086,152,282	4,380,811,331	6,652,253,227
04. Dairy produce; Eggs, Honey, edible products of animal	86,172,402	85,371,520	68,434,921	71,254,677	69,625,478
05. Products of animal origin not elsewhere specified	80,754,916	78,599,538	71,766,199	112,655,739	102,776,238
06. Live trees and other plants: Bulbs, Roots and other	406,787,662	430,638,587	454,318,709	484,787,024	490,824,570
07. Edible vegetables and certain Roots and Tubers	733,499,573	465,997,757	403,724,982	459,592,034	554,739,974
08. Edible fruit and nuts; Peel of citrus or melons	2,566,916,511	3,523,323,302	4,810,986,162	5,100,185,214	3,839,845,023
09. Coffees, Tea Mate and Spices	23,069,964,770	26,731,592,617	36,360,163,348	46,132,630,327	55,368,655,680
10. Cereals	382,168,121	617,420,408	45,708,102	57,922,510	62,094,059
11. Products of milling industry: Malt; Starches; Insulin; Wheat	286,803,770	265,892,496	419,645,695	394,605,360	480,037,876
12. Oil seeds and Oleaginous fruits miscellaneous grains, seeds	267,965,139	402,502,967	512,648,337	619,532,602	725,881,365
13. Lac, Gums, Resins and Other vegetable saps and extracts	22,072,601	16,825,299	30,864,436	53,656,183	183,817,427
14. Vegetable Planting Materials	186,908,628	182,725,636	291,084,796	175,232,905	142,159,220
15. Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their products	276,925,960	583,122,775	162,022,711	246,408,155	355,268,946
16. Preparation of meat, of fish	24,469,486	94,778,631	27,018,625	19,993,659	28,563,640
17. Sugar and Sugar confectionery	107,593,273	103,017,412	84,410,232	27,104,491	31,052,649
18. Cocoa and Cocoa preparations	14,270,717	7,509,644	15,759,611	14,302,745	14,381,236
19. Preparations of Cereals, Flour starch or Milk	58,659,490	37,648,597	69,338,573	56,188,991	89,601,368
20. Preparations of vegetables, fruits, nuts or other parts	169,226,900	229,288,678	294,463,282	282,046,522	324,814,669
21. Miscellaneous edible preparations	432,319,749	358,976,303	386,758,524	442,434,542	486,946,829
22. Beverages, Spirits and Vinegar	29,659,222	43,354,440	48,120,200	53,555,300	64,353,649
23. Residues and waste from the food industries; prep. animal fodder	29,074,512	21,453,243	44,674,584	43,679,565	57,640,828
24. Tobacco and manufactured Tobacco substitutes	1,920,545,828	2,478,357,967	2,640,379,610	2,379,298,620	2,840,095,931
25. Salt; Sulphur; Earths and Stones; Plastering materials, Lime	194,176,684	256,692,666	311,574,104	335,344,664	361,390,249

Table 14.2 (Contd.) - Summary of trade statistics - exports , 1994 - 1998

Item	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
26. Ores, Slag and Ash	194,435,764	270,028,596	273,178,918	108,972,960	3,598,566
27. Mineral fuels; Mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substance;	1,106,923,225	1,304,994,887	1,363,623,183	1,480,012,235	782,516,280
28. Inorganic chemicals; Organic or Inorganic compounds of precious metals;	4,142,216	7,429,961	6,881,114	7,514,803	2,869,957
29. Organic chemicals	4,467,687	21,226,534	170,659,697	92,826,717	18,840,032
30. Pharmaceutical products	86,996,195	99,287,675	76,557,543	65,912,802	71,915,429
31. Fertilisers	7,756,198	6,439,321	4,020,945	3,333,949	59,130,533
32. Tanning or dyeing extracts	44,706,468	63,166,736	84,500,515	62,442,367	70,872,482
33. Essential oils and resinoides; perfumery, toilet preparatoinis	245,028,553	317,266,243	218,019,285	261,666,849	366,007,241
34. Soap, organic surpace active agents, washing preparations	111,113,167	136,022,990	91,619,797	60,697,770	220,555,894
35. Albuminoidal substances; modified starches; glues;	10,921,271	4,045,001	12,447,052	24,135,535	306,667,823
36. Explosives; pyrotechnic products matches; alloys;	359,557	538,840	491,188	19,751	25,759
37. Photographic or cinematographic goods	19,241,489	37,727,890	15,651,315	8,875,770	10,399,263
38. Miscellenous chemical products	749,676,413	923,165,494	973,929,408	1,172,688,810	1,252,362,700
39. Plastic and articles thereof	896,209,772	1,184,247,897	1,462,586,693	2,003,905,424	1,952,336,907
40. Rubber and articles thereof	8,614,035,385	13,564,260,414	15,108,693,246	15,153,208,403	14,335,767,887
41. Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather	47,929,186	64,095,544	80,188,030	73,000,267	66,914,966
42. Articles of leather, saddlery and harness; travel goods handbags and similar containers	2,488,421,211	3,722,267,343	4,810,090,641	6,600,071,965	9,565,854,059
43. Furskins and artificial fur; manufactures thereof	444,817	25,120,029	3,487,460	1,056,353	-
44. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	1,183,477,998	1,293,019,296	898,451,253	784,141,138	657,369,671
45. Cork and articles of cork	2,110,745	3,012,628	4,276,198	111,251	365,770
46. Manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware	5,979,295	4,380,240	6,471,641	7,652,184	7,253,268
47. Pulp of wood or other fibrous cellulosic materials;	24,340,360	75,694,452	53,678,877	132,454,375	119,650,465
48. Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp;	421,131,604	312,020,765	404,291,372	862,772,145	844,488,789
49. Printed books; News Papers, Pictures	390,642,322	317,177,077	336,221,927	330,316,196	459,456,033
50. Silk	22,826,192	30,134,920	20,410,128	14,898,848	6,500,428

Table 14.2 (Contd.) - Summary of trade statistics - exports , 1994 - 1998

Item	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
51. Wool Fine or Coarse Animal Hair, Horse Hair, Yarn & Woven Fabrics	856,783	345,288	2,608,760	17,820,665	2,297,389
52. Cotton	955,773,656	978,827,882	1,017,573,523	3,204,842,440	3,714,655,200
53. Other vegetable Textile fibres,	1,014,685,187	1,437,835,384	1,310,670,004	1,682,886,416	1,987,702,827
54. Man Made Filaments	454,578,207	617,498,484	857,290,947	1,126,438,539	793,202,942
55. Man Made Staple Fibres	2,373,270,051	2,863,786,822	3,203,188,850	2,035,198,028	1,970,870,162
56. Wadding, Felt Nonvovens, Twine, Cordage, Ropes & Cables	207,328,258	229,704,322	269,273,940	306,145,383	300,390,211
57. Carpets & Other Floor Coverings	123,671,651	245,653,385	264,108,785	357,158,791	461,070,664
58. Special Woven Fabrics Tufted Textile Fabrics Lace Tapestries	57,861,742	84,061,190	122,961,157	253,853,110	472,938,598
59. Impregnated, Coated, Covered or Laminated Textile fabrics Textile Articles	7,203,030	38,605,063	55,554,113	68,624,438	203,282,916
60. Knitted or Crocheted Fabrics	146,356,995	379,116,055	402,368,369	586,803,905	1,112,064,350
61. Articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories, Knitted or Crocheted	19,836,069,522	24,208,883,606	28,659,312,204	37,256,792,208	43,991,683,140
62. Articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories Not Knitted or Crocheted	49,108,732,193	60,597,140,997	65,154,266,698	83,826,007,111	98,340,294,551
63. Other Made up Textile Articles	2,211,432,391	3,334,287,278	3,954,700,682	4,030,262,564	6,587,829,520
64. Footwear, Gaiters and the like Pairs of such articles	1,924,574,222	2,275,636,595	2,797,566,364	4,139,061,608	4,201,294,607
65. Headgear and parts thereof	1,201,138,238	1,327,610,728	1,327,847,612	1,522,818,357	1,572,491,949
66. Umbrellas, Sunshades, Walking-Sticks, Seat - Sticks	6,749,084	1,012,483	301,076	9,068,768	566,183
67. Prepared Feathers and Down and Articles Made of Feathers	468,006,710	563,939,434	5,710,393,576	556,492,203	525,594,777
68. Articles of Stone, Of Plaster, Of Cement, Of Asbestos, Of Mica	12,457,783	17,704,279	17,239,765	19,317,925	9,091,696
69. Ceramic Products	1,920,121,420	2,370,607,454	2,677,377,442	3,246,368,064	3,477,760,704
70. Glass and Glassware	14,203,463	23,866,872	7,663,227	47,250,478	109,681,422
71. Natural or Cultured Pearls, Precious or Semi- Precious	12,518,701,412	14,125,417,626	15,518,712,007	13,428,265,278	8,063,936,726
72. Iron and Steel	461,327,104	405,536,232	447,395,408	483,339,213	278,228,106
73. Iron, Steel and Articles thereof	109,536,474	171,889,044	197,061,631	407,182,794	418,996,049
74. Copper and Articles thereof	224,169,603	253,335,785	228,647,066	283,792,060	153,035,524
75. Nickel Articles thereof	111,960	-	328,418	6,354	-
76. Aluminium and Articles thereof	89,782,564	109,180,125	95,743,758	144,958,970	137,775,134
78. Lead and Articles thereof	3,020,978	4,036,116	2,798,205	5,809,314	251,096
79. Zinc and Articles thereof	36,926,023	63,193,868	29,328,445	57,796,023	26,441,277
80. Tin and Articles thereof	7,813	267,297	215,876	1,219	-
81. Other Base Metals Cermet Articles	1,999,111	633,108	402,126	12,674,920	871,097
82. Tools, Implements, Cutlery, Spoon and Forks of Base Metal	49,157,898	98,053,526	57,495,056	66,497,574	23,784,131
83. Miscellaneous Articles	99,523,172	53,603,492	101,673,043	131,309,592	115,550,832
84. Boilers, Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Parts thereof	1,355,920,525	2,513,707,673	4,462,321,078	6,777,473,702	6,316,104,018
85. Electrical Machines and equipment Sound Recorders and Televisions	2,128,648,457	2,668,310,572	2,687,876,730	3,741,960,111	4,138,629,052

Table 14.2 (Contd.) - Summary of trade statistics - exports , 1994 - 1998

Item	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
86. Railway or tramway locomotives rolling stock and parts thereof railway or tramway Track Fixture	20,616,003	1,738,841	1,702,903	451,348	76,670
87. Vehicles other than railway rolling-stock and parts	62,543,442	197,285,258	322,869,745	456,050,517	433,488,535
88. Aircraft, spacecraft and parts	10,188,823	4,992,441	22,213,553	127,432,040	217,014,356
89. Ships, boats and floating structures	19,621,493	48,640,551	369,961,088	36,452,180	41,518,311
90. Optical, photographic, cinema to graphic and surgical instruments	47,327,980	41,231,110	39,832,577	27,351,230	27,958,129
91. Clocks and watches and parts thereof	35,673,799	21,560,650	12,931,689	7,637,494	13,203,146
92. Musical instruments; parts and accessories of such articles	71,647,846	99,131,930	181,342,907	146,358,107	114,407,658
93. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories	7,404,574	1,578,008	1,837,000	69,729	-
94. Furniture and parts thereof Mattress, cushions and supports	638,642,203	329,724,147	407,404,146	440,754,505	550,387,833
95. Articles and Manufactures of Carving or Moulding Material	2,368,496,502	2,637,982,219	3,664,847,353	3,246,017,914	3,184,158,153
96. Brooms, Brushes, Feather Ousters, Sieves	1,121,899,782	1,061,757,080	1,074,952,926	1,220,723,495	1,374,587,794
97. Toys, games and sports requisites parts and thereof	731,925	799,255	327,137	148,003	120,214
98. Works of art, collectors, pieces and antiques	2,961,191,102	3,287,103,696	4,919,042,114	4,258,877,586	3,405,677,131
Grand Total	157,790,556,720	194,279,532,762	225,663,743,628	271,155,589,457	303,165,777,867

Source - Department of Sri Lanka Customs

Table 14.3 - Value of imports by country of origin , 1994 - 1998

Country of origin	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Afghanistan	14,342,024	7,457,828	13,231,032	50,069,675	49,232,217
Albania	1,671,821	1,950	-	54,036	-
Algeria	33,838	-	1,686,548	6,050	-
Angola	-	-	-	-	528,977
Antigua	535,049	10,273,571	716,135	58,595	6,380,535
Argentina	83,645,308	444,577,130	523,428,774	1,578,369,807	2,131,868,131
Armenia	-	-	-	-	86,447
Australia	4,534,220,034	4,544,150,262	5,926,134,348	8,836,563,884	8,227,331,459
Austria	249,222,108	382,359,302	595,433,670	403,020,186	1,177,549,156
Azerbaijan	679,610	-	-	-	-
Bahamas	1,213,614	950,223	-	18,253,198	409,564
Bahrain Island	365,930,155	1,194,095,409	2,240,330,505	6,581,567,262	1,538,881,396
Bangladesh	412,047,086	286,900,660	98,328,408	119,098,956	69,463,559
Barbados	2,127,603	287,480	-	-	-
Belgium	6,279,668,691	7,683,709,455	7,900,847,657	8,100,413,287	8,627,420,748
Belize	-	-	-	-	711,248
Belrus	865,475	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	4,183,408	707,381	-	-	6,069,936
Bolivia	-	-	-	10,154,863	-
Bosnia	383	-	-	-	-
Botswana	-	-	-	613,191	-
Brazil	2,156,543,044	4,227,261,459	1,553,489,568	2,095,545,607	1,921,030,002
British Antarc. Ter.	2,083,719	-	-	-	-
British Guinea	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei	1,211,377	1,833,706	6,793	30,526,725	69,750
Bulgaria	385,145,794	187,036,319	329,841,409	80,289,789	157,365,799
Burma, Union of	50,659,778	24,580,460	641,733,987	-	-
Cambodia	18,677,150	2,529,968	325,630	7,865,318	24,189,381
Cameroun	43,367,926	129,341,159	-	-	-
Canada	677,070,150	765,037,619	1,302,010,688	3,240,053,865	2,684,681,281
Capoverde	-	-	-	-	389,933
Cayman Island	109,097	-	1,418,287	-	-
Gen. African Republic	26,585,636	27,985	-	-	20,960,951
Central America	17,769,337	-	-	-	296,310
Chad	401,674	989	-	9,535	-
Chile	617,288,576	1,047,096,827	947,958,808	1,306,819,286	1,065,921,232
China Peo. Rep. of	7,731,626,284	8,228,948,801	8,187,891,856	10,013,826,930	14,623,027,477
China, Taiwan	12,363,579,217	14,681,000,106	15,905,907,606	-	-
Colombia	700,161,353	38,559,643	162,800,191	1,462,949,271	545,329,152
Cook's Island	-	566,352	2,434,185	5,583,495	-
Costa Rica	7,114,302	17,303,163	20,857,365	30,881,463	126,811,427
Croszia	31,194,229	23,889,695	5,847,279	42,540	8,663,309
Cuba	215,140	1,738,678	423,505	20,814,593	1,333,076
Cyprus	289,965,357	262,916,577	205,461,941	279,308,035	481,187,723
Czechoslovakia	92,753,574	108,583,318	142,090,847	48,670,962	59,374,347
Dahomev	-	-	-	533,747	-
Danmark	957,807,183	1,048,650,879	1,074,027,853	1,637,668,183	1,348,150,064
Dominica	48,630,260	11,961,195	23,945,451	10,131,057	18,036,421
Dominican	-	-	-	-	66,645,799
E.E.C.	44,247	559,822	-	-	-
East Africa	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	-	-	-	-	387,099,054
El Salvador	683,825	10,434,188	11,372,432	-	-
Ecuador	10,345,391	33,509	778,008	9,009,068	3,486,791
Estonia	707,726	8,872,499	507,298	1,028,140	927,824
Ethiopia	-	229,165	-	199,211	2,685,169
Fiji Island	10,724,132	4,905,774	3,869,566	12,542,025	694,243
Finland	663,899,988	308,019,368	1,063,863,983	1,008,748,204	691,966,068
France	2,729,506,890	3,007,946,389	2,730,385,190	3,013,903,910	4,717,575,549
French Guiana	82,776	-	-	-	-
Gabon	-	-	-	91,664	-
Gambia	6,039,765	4,913,326	4,097,037	562,124	-
Georgia	133,102	82,885	-	-	-
Germany Fo. Republic	8,390,229,474	8,553,725,838	8,496,856,904	10,818,919,248	13,088,133,732
Germany De. Republic	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	168,810	367,196	786,437	-	18,161,285
Gibraltar	12,356,782	945,310	575,258	2,106,740	5,240

Table 14.3 (Contd.) - Value of imports by country of origin , 1994 - 1998

Country of origin	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Gilbet & Ellice Island	1,240,447	-	-	-	-
Greece	334,788,993	92,765,220	179,563,548	91,492,758	71,307,853
Grenada	-	-	-	-	165,327
Guadelope	216,655	2,132,293	1,690,994	999,989	5,002,919
Guinea	-	2,464,846	-	-	14,751,667
Guyana	3,615,444	374,540	-	-	-
Guatemala	816,606,630	803,527,232	1,972,692	1,517,013,423	1,627,694
Haiti	-	-	-	-	147,905
Heard & MC.D. Islands	-	-	-	-	1,451,864
Honduras	216,250	17,625	-	-	330,782
Hongkong	15,643,578,524	18,316,173,868	19,569,294,708	24,265,477,130	26,546,177,085
Hungary	201,303,521	70,216,654	133,329,388	68,889,226	78,023,087
Iceland	3,227,721	3,653,679	8,335,981	72,351,547	21,831,741
India, Republic of	19,984,927,069	24,045,357,077	31,055,630,563	33,023,487,196	34,837,122,015
Indonesia	4,174,334,327	4,982,502,773	6,038,575,249	7,866,775,983	11,787,183,036
Iran	4,492,786,364	4,396,149,564	8,414,900,939	5,821,908,314	7,540,073,830
Iraq	2,694,737	10,450	462,709	141,074	917,090
Ireland, Rep. of	373,546,213	275,559,243	348,002,342	404,663,579	454,822,509
Israel	693,131,198	783,028,944	495,763,294	707,929,135	1,764,424,353
Italy	2,363,973,588	3,259,734,186	4,768,935,462	4,842,514,559	5,370,194,225
Ivory Coast	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	154,808	660,166	1,591,445	154,327	1,204,818
Japan	26,021,390,516	25,556,220,712	27,487,875,417	28,270,636,417	35,902,779,947
Jordan	54,416,735	7,958,754	77,282,075	11,622,547	21,501,903
Kenya	285,296,515	165,907,739	201,234,559	103,504,230	173,246,073
Kirikistan	79,319	-	-	-	-
Korea North	12,704,184	15,082,626	38,278,776	-	11,347,313
Korea South	16,123,069,240	17,855,944,712	19,324,811,418	-	-
Kuwait	105,062,156	321,152,130	472,236,764	155,650,023	572,750,720
Laos	-	-	-	-	1,496,971
Lebanon	2,634,637	3,497,869	5,208,413	319,830	5,099,789
Lesotho	1,250	-	-	-	-
Liberia	17,620	-	-	-	-
Libya	343,863	128,205	-	176,078	2,473,038
Lituania	482,233	3,053,834	-	-	600,272
Luxemburg	2,508,529	769,120	1,782,865	4,514,967	50,651,137
Macao	-	-	-	-	22,623
Madagascar	166,389	8,103,502	423,231	3,639,057	3,297,303
Malaysia	8,952,316,112	10,889,948,557	10,105,382,611	9,816,174,839	12,419,590,966
Maldiv Islands	737,148,252	862,835,055	775,061,366	897,338,604	999,989,913
Mali	125,039,650	20,046,404	3,600,955	46,119,137	21,336,894
Malta	2,605,608	8,261,185	18,405,221	5,188,685	4,589,538
Martinique	-	-	-	-	20,646
Merultus	9,906,782	8,941,702	37,884,154	50,790,607	20,914,120
Maruitania	1,004,146	-	440,595	-	-
Mexico	67,268,577	80,482,250	699,738,073	2,773,108,155	2,264,256,695
Moldowa	890,146	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	311,243
Morocco	5,721,146	385,995	14,166,898	15,615,655	1,015,718
Mozambique	-	381,063	1,457,048	114,000,887	-
Myanmar	-	-	-	-	64,898,570
Nauru	-	-	-	-	52,485
Nepal	45,483,499	33,938,936	4,364,169	269,761,290	78,332,886
Netherlands (Holands)	3,500,799,204	4,371,804,336	4,570,557,374	4,719,487,684	6,192,573,477
Netherlands Antilles	4,173,655	588,171	-	85,961	1,220,987
New Caledonia	42,578	-	27,582	-	-
New Zealand	2,380,303,805	3,087,273,621	3,847,143,885	3,963,432,186	5,171,007,964
Niger	2,780,567	979,769	-	1,004,411	2,120,767
Nigeria	39,112	87,102,168	4,017,274	30,550,649	6,997,805
Nikaragua	1,647,531	-	725,346	-	3,905,961
North Borneo	594,904	-	3,414,051	-	-
Norway	385,334,339	320,733,876	277,111,905	574,487,641	742,808,631
O.F.C. In America	101,300	-	-	-	-
O.F.C. In Africa	-	-	-	-	7,743,840
Oman (Muscat)	137,315,636	337,747,559	64,269,728	138,960,376	81,385,573
Pakistan	2,999,545,447	2,685,752,927	3,814,786,679	5,067,749,110	5,854,218,916

Table 14.3 (Contd.) - Value of imports by country of origin , 1994 - 1998

Country of origin	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1987	1998
Panama	74,508	14,868,036	3,500	9,818,979	605,538
Papua - New Guinea	3,586,524	11,667,283	11,632,871	5,019,039	17,579,812
Paraguay	-	-	3,047,643	1,321,858	1,999,592
Peru	9,077,444	35,861,421	32,443,362	109,822,984	59,472,170
Phillippines Island	319,955,452	438,776,532	283,340,142	409,957,975	754,365,148
Poland	150,121,119	95,835,849	98,113,876	60,049,559	99,829,808
Portugal	111,842,580	48,334,254	69,092,883	58,084,320	52,607,828
Qatar	323,944,822	348,273,709	828,499,755	1,107,546,506	482,049,753
Reunion	-	-	-	-	-
Rumania	395,972,699	996,640,234	816,351,719	269,730,740	107,059,528
Russia	368,948,737	411,091,234	932,129,521	832,288,977	655,317,646
Sabah	1,520,797	21,780,537	-	4,717,198	1,006,903
Sarawak	738	7,134,588	-	548,621	506,041
Saudi Arabia	1,154,935,287	4,207,795,087	6,274,863,069	10,674,065,526	6,414,911,858
Senegal	3,474,071	8,440,332	1,651,747	4,782,185	2,453,140
Seychelles	570,551	-	-	37,611,248	2,449,246
Sierra Leone	20,431,639	2,164,686	1,819,637	2,708,182	-
Singapore	11,564,679,443	12,798,117,277	14,284,057,419	16,873,149,718	20,080,886,343
Solomon Island	-	-	20,060,085	12,135,171	-
Solvaic Republic	-	-	-	-	1,002,175
Solvanla	23,956,368	584,179	4,496,973	1,678,309	2,540,794
Somalia	-	98,551	-	-	-
South Africa	2,556,476,060	2,109,787,768	3,279,133,161	2,675,611,914	3,174,982,988
South Korea	-	-	-	-	29,412,544,920
Simbabwe	17,609,989	31,495,776	51,585,930	-	1,963,373
Southern Yemen	1,102,389	-	-	-	-
Spain	240,844,096	287,694,901	459,095,107	1,034,270,741	589,539,072
St. Helena	-	-	-	-	22,257,413
St. Lusia	1,489,884	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	101,918
Sudan	644,876	102,166,741	975,369	-	-
Surinam	3,011,183	-	-	-	-
Suwasiland	18,112,618	4,624,986	15,739,395	1,587,115	5,604,425
Sweden	1,202,803,938	1,904,043,933	3,141,893,972	4,253,977,303	2,748,533,477
Switzerland	2,993,087,207	4,519,308,257	5,190,402,477	4,329,674,807	5,320,399,843
Syria	199,275,263	1,016,863,095	224,674,649	519,269,851	71,877,831
Tadzhikistan	-	-	-	-	52,711
Taiwan	-	-	-	-	24,457,496,278
Tanganaka	75,825,934	1,366,206	42,496,076	15,572,718	1,989,044
Tanzania	-	-	-	-	61,318,399
Tazmania	486,953	18,953	527,226	37,737,158	1,179,795
Thailand	6,058,004,300	5,855,585,652	7,156,728,297	9,045,492,362	9,422,563,551
Togo	12,137,250	31,639,484	-	450,821	317,229
Trinidad and Tobago	71,810	879	-	-	1,157,878
Tunisia	784,626	160,834,811	6,173,961	66,505,494	24,843,810
Turkey	1,537,653,225	1,009,353,020	1,544,683,080	621,870,146	741,402,083
Turkmenistan	-	73,940	-	-	-
Turks & Caico Island	-	-	-	-	-
U.A.E.	3,592,741,279	3,762,395,896	2,862,994,611	4,264,648,640	5,161,061,670
U.K.	12,234,421,495	12,435,203,895	13,912,624,262	16,657,781,211	19,686,699,161
U.S.A.	14,069,679,628	8,851,963,735	10,957,742,827	11,009,334,230	14,824,572,016
U.S.S.R.	-	-	-	-	-
Uganda	-	-	-	18,974,285	-
Ukraine	21,810,650	58,915,385	98,233,280	60,951,797	490,774,675
United Arab Rep.	833,798,088	1,490,589,855	731,489,202	-	-
Uruguay	2,488	-	-	13,299,601	-
Venesula	8,589,197	715,285	18,147,390	23,486,731	13,989,562
Vietnam North	126,414,755	11,463,289	1,053,532,371	177,212,792	472,712,705
Vietnam South	-	-	-	-	-
Vergin Island	-	-	-	-	28,778
West Africa	123,575,639	13,795,196	-	5,916	80,440,699
West Indies	13,333,207	207,334	50,989	-	99,974
Western Samoa	-	-	-	-	2,367,831
Yemen	321,163	-	303,955,602	-	6,692,436
Yugoslavia	-	-	-	-	-
Zaire R.F.	35,441	747,027	-	-	14,018,160
Zambia	128,727	9,212,511	3,350,904	805,413	9,576,708

Source - Department of Sri Lanka Customs

Table 14.4 - Value of exports by country of destination , 1994 - 1998

County of origin	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Afghanistan	59,528,625	63,918,632	69,198,693	138,760,222	82,849,098
Albania	1,147,527	1,384,835	2,930,671	2,221,523	2,268,202
Algeria	1,418,116	12,053,405	3,182,047	-	13,342,977
American Samoa	-	-	-	-	1,679,002
Angola	256,233,511	168,457,408	40,642,259	3,425,346	-
Antigua	4,320,433	13,036,136	5,483,277	5,948,348	11,543,817
Argentina	170,378,231	212,440,132	258,690,723	331,682,328	337,548,741
Armenia	-	457,648	-	-	2,716,519
Aruba	-	-	-	-	2,635,726
Australia	1,379,513,229	1,796,139,551	2,352,009,564	2,888,172,558	3,092,775,339
Austria	482,539,906	463,682,728	388,966,232	354,114,963	491,254,838
Azerbaijan	1,473,569	5,420,625	13,831,139	7,447,360	8,135,879
Bahamas	2,313,815	6,406,062	2,234,576	2,611,391	3,021,381
Bahrain Island	68,572,816	70,066,868	78,491,708	162,420,967	180,096,973
Bangladesh	451,104,199	616,385,680	635,443,821	604,316,399	628,597,606
Barbados	3,428,067	10,515,987	4,244,251	4,760,379	7,072,036
Belgium	9,345,102,679	11,197,669,992	12,112,407,462	11,534,581,641	10,025,406,608
Belize	-	-	-	-	2,764,548
Belrus	5,408,215	2,337,004	-	4,878,959	-
Benin	-	-	-	-	2,512,153
Bermuda	755,844	1,681,806	5,672,931	2,095,300	3,898,673
Bolivia	16,451,077	31,238,467	24,453,635	29,261,089	51,500,707
Bosnia	352,359	-	-	76,583	97,085
Botswana	271,745	2,618,485	9,100	170,000	1,413,132
Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-	262,281
Brazil	132,244,768	252,551,597	373,412,765	524,357,635	252,777,263
British Guinea	-	-	-	-	1,645,699
Brunei	374,623	6,065,895	6,014,839	11,524,806	24,108,099
Bulgaria	35,950,258	87,331,243	35,125,095	33,935,569	112,351,041
Burkina	-	-	-	-	7,716
Burma Union of	855,172	1,925,055	11,927,243	-	-
Buthan	-	-	-	-	1,429,994
Cambodia	2,565,436	1,484,788	139,091	584,609	-
Cameroon	-	-	-	-	2,900,329
Canada	2,508,198,879	2,514,193,461	2,508,020,428	3,252,594,356	3,905,444,289
Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	142,962
Cayman Island	-	-	-	456,366	2,979,074
Cent.African Republic	-	268,426	-	-	-
Central America	1,091,487	-	446,847	211,218	-
Chad	635,641	-	-	-	289,383
Chile	464,263,033	529,501,695	737,513,198	893,735,756	1,014,685,167
China Peo.Rep. of	91,281,089	176,129,935	616,425,210	435,520,666	586,879,646
China Taiwan	510,565,360	457,983,398	409,609,109	-	-
Colombia	100,335,352	126,699,755	131,975,642	246,371,383	245,210,083
Congo	-	2,436,318	-	-	2,451,574
Cook Island	-	-	7,410,527	-	-
Costa Rica	7,332,928	3,826,294	4,792,222	4,860,287	12,498,284
Croszia	34,140,008	81,667,712	128,100,146	187,071,705	219,862,456
Cuba	-	3,739,474	-	5,000	6,626,709
Cyprus	56,692,642	113,040,952	391,019,484	330,353,853	179,586,920
Czechoslovakia	16,969,071	23,016,012	91,740,840	133,290,078	204,336,767
Dahamey	1,204,881	-	-	-	-
Denmark	478,927,460	671,068,596	608,315,198	717,008,960	797,808,411
Djibonts Rep. of	6,282,110	4,402,581	2,305,232	3,716,662	1,047,362
Djibouti	-	-	-	-	2,033,177
Dominica	2,212,791	4,647,547	4,274,051	5,949,984	21,050,402
Dominican Republic	449,000	4,904,173	-	8,471,009	35,024,862
Egypt	-	-	-	-	2,385,908,257
E.E.C.	-	-	-	-	-
East Africa	-	-	-	-	-
Elsalvador	7,454,569	17,914,779	20,546,485	48,973,002	23,738,344

Table 14.4 (Contd.) - Value of exports by country of destination , 1994 - 1998

Country of origin	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Equador	57,254,280	66,543,292	86,507,727	131,186,952	107,503,241
Estonia	1,592,245	1,024,053	1,459,955	1,660,767	3,395,668
Ethopia	61,772,052	256,911,870	135,158,812	131,438,562	69,568,249
Fiji Island	63,984,214	69,035,804	67,683,420	80,527,946	67,836,241
Finland	85,755,792	121,467,213	165,799,009	820,101,000	439,618,667
France	4,235,318,506	4,371,452,648	5,975,857,905	5,979,583,904	6,491,278,345
French Polynesia	-	-	-	-	334,850
Gabon	199,997	-	144,843	-	-
Gambia	6,229,290	5,598,135	4,691,355	8,808,715	17,614,008
Georegio	2,446,964	-	3,452,497	3,836,065	40,530,981
Germany Fe. Republic	10,980,717,379	12,986,821,165	13,173,807,735	13,521,511,061	14,825,190,848
Germany De. Republic	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	46,041,892	4,736,015	4,629,093	5,925,593	12,889,498
Gibraltar	5,776,719	-	4,417,683	3,092,085	6,823,453
Gilbert & El. Island	-	34,753	-	-	-
Graece	503,662,952	538,353,769	533,255,114	641,381,925	696,943,998
Greenada	235,875	2,451,815	2,095,145	606,207	2,996,093
Guadelope	1,215,522	16,009,758	13,646,268	199,624	471,187
Guam	-	-	-	-	3,720,792
Guinea	8,738,871	17,676,425	16,612,888	-	30,220,472
Guyana	1,896	934,555	502,503	-	27,597
Guatamala	61,974,465	71,997,819	75,327,598	81,152,419	121,717,176
Hawai Island	3,986,620	-	3,344,628	-	-
Honduras	3,345,932	3,529,017	9,546,674	5,793,352	11,078,977
Hongkong	1,728,158,657	2,871,223,682	3,430,435,360	3,023,365,125	3,095,463,879
Hungary	127,034,522	140,213,389	161,092,246	155,949,983	216,086,319
Iceland	112,220,255	23,980,352	34,265,312	22,104,832	15,824,093
India Rep. of	1,047,712,592	1,615,854,757	2,256,140,234	2,524,251,928	2,279,388,860
Indonesia	261,648,778	822,187,841	299,366,016	375,507,451	239,480,698
Iran	829,347,155	1,295,553,879	1,995,124,509	1,382,830,514	1,184,208,523
Iraq	2,263,963	9,063,029	6,053,510	368,705,415	1,046,935,378
Ireland Rep. of	145,476,463	279,675,582	557,748,779	648,631,537	768,682,792
Israel	808,484,670	1,138,870,576	858,868,334	974,103,421	1,229,396,477
Italy	2,772,942,643	3,692,644,914	3,212,457,658	4,372,844,414	4,287,098,048
Ivory Coast	15,698,215	2,105,955	7,725,183	5,204,054	9,508,106
Jamaica	2,855,292	4,345,895	4,258,566	6,002,223	9,707,693
Japan	9,159,757,793	10,237,676,656	14,069,060,680	13,668,458,249	12,568,072,931
Jordan	1,965,777,106	1,648,728,151	2,010,897,846	1,813,345,132	1,355,329,929
kazakhstan	-	-	-	2,517,251	23,751,757
Kenya	62,032,087	86,274,555	256,570,370	296,383,059	235,334,917
Kirikistan	-	-	-	-	4,115,055
Korea North	1,165,809	1,981,256	17,530,710	-	-
Korea South	1,916,716,813	1,789,476,672	1,878,092,688	-	-
Kuwait	272,303,634	399,718,529	419,895,688	581,172,158	694,315,500
Laos	-	-	-	-	3,268,042
Latvia	10,915,858	1,521,739	11,335,258	19,252,307	56,648,290
Lebanon	279,281,587	265,103,404	473,601,050	408,518,936	564,308,968
Liberia	1,224,573	2,183,473	1,844,023	4,438,225	54,744,005
Libya	632,271,323	1,248,908,977	1,062,242,278	1,514,386,886	2,493,614,977
Lithuania	1,785,882	1,790,040	13,904,970	17,584,855	15,124,705
Laxenburg	503,115	2,295,621	2,501,516	1,720,094	4,152,850
Macau	-	-	-	-	5,612,146
Madagascar	44,941,496	1,894,229	528,557	31,754,650	398,220
Malawi	1,826,347	1,438,985	10,486,445	2,231,676	2,993,785

Table 14.4 (Contd.) - Value of exports by country of destination , 1994 - 1998

Rupees

Country of origin	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Malaysia	276,351,856	1,119,731,124	1,465,792,438	1,286,045,445	698,652,988
Maldive Island	500,626,851	716,340,653	877,243,804	1,386,786,679	2,090,201,309
Mali	3,174,291	46,643,029	16,389,143	14,505,020	9,523,829
Malta	3,333,392	33,634,263	32,710,081	12,789,564	41,599,493
Martinique	-	-	-	-	20,204,521
Maruiss	242,906,707	36,685,416	67,750,721	-	-
Mauritania	1,942,477	3,595,137	2,647,926	2,925,761	9,561,960
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	61,309,066
Mexico	737,021,410	833,876,372	1,074,664,849	1,583,278,840	1,938,316,759
Moldova	-	-	-	-	1,320,810
Monaco	-	-	-	-	38,962
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	960,578
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	1,279,555
Morocco	38,928,426	31,993,894	39,724,307	34,911,943	14,036,499
Mozambique	-	-	105,874	-	-
Myanmar	-	-	-	-	34,385,654
Nauru Central Pacific	-	2,893,422	-	-	415,772
Nepal	10,370,741	22,899,199	33,758,707	92,829,343	71,120,853
Netherlands	5,540,539,168	7,094,506,433	6,808,039,413	-	6,696,109,586
Netherlands Antilles	867,533	1,353,687	38,312,883	6,114,264	445,406
New Caledonia	5,466,525	1,230,135	14,992,871	803,803	1,501,485
New Hebaides	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	215,212,334	262,625,441	381,342,186	388,632,989	416,354,606
Niger	2,348,591	15,246	10,013,501	2,366,544	6,206,464
Nigeria	8,997,067	17,936,353	8,146,270	5,229,122	13,565,832
Nicaragua	5,784,862	26,424,234	1,102,123	9,763,410	19,148,327
North Borneo	9,181	-	-	-	-
Norway	220,117,325	441,489,819	496,143,583	519,639,538	588,311,827
North Yemean	-	-	-	-	371,408,780
O.F.C.in Africa	505,234	62,225	-	-	-
Oman	154,411,775	190,944,703	224,720,092	198,529,618	178,411,866
Pakistan	2,138,444,598	2,214,049,974	2,036,538,691	2,195,429,726	1,739,510,236
Panama	84,589,527	154,811,547	97,809,110	145,502,350	168,722,190
Papua-New Guinea	32,833,537	40,126,921	65,794,302	60,928,760	57,290,186
Perguary	4,273,087	3,624,055	22,435,648	24,419,124	48,783,199
Pery	126,799,858	138,271,119	121,175,481	235,635,539	210,534,975
Philippines Island	365,376,906	484,831,903	85,297,347	688,910,381	891,426,170
Poland	780,312,705	960,962,484	1,465,244,058	1,533,056,575	1,537,667,972
Portugal	148,711,874	190,131,580	244,215,309	238,171,535	314,195,255
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	4,981,709
Qatar	33,659,160	42,758,895	38,094,569	58,228,870	65,911,766
Reunion	1,581,922	4,484,881	4,984,941	21,314,276	11,324,112
Rumania	25,233,263	28,200,199	49,536,683	40,493,678	84,775,831
Russia	1,772,093,142	4,457,523,890	6,312,869,293	9,115,651,244	8,257,533,328
Ruwanda	-	-	-	-	1,389,733
Sabah	12,000	-	12,109	-	37,984
Sao Tome & Principe	-	-	-	-	108,461
Sarawak	2,864,655	347,644	312,528	-	-
Saudi Arabia	1,957,828,681	1,055,188,944	1,785,679,564	2,023,478,893	2,898,082,755
Sanegal	545,708	6,570,843	20,042,180	7,939,969	9,951,807
Saychelles	5,965,401	7,378,535	6,737,260	4,430,507	9,060,481
Sierra Leone	10,041,770	7,030,324	6,812,014	1,219,623	9,039,817
Singapore	3,476,982,208	3,569,208,101	2,956,352,219	3,298,729,788	2,595,291,015
Solomon Island	31,490	753,367	-	-	30,893
Solvak Rep.	-	-	-	-	9,607,824
Solvania	31,647,983	25,333,772	37,393,950	40,349,295	22,165,774
Somalla	1,146,075	8,478,297	673,745	1,880,258	1,606,071

Table 14.4 (Contd.) - Value of exports by country of destination , 1994 - 1998

Country of origin	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
South Africa	676,728,497	981,922,790	849,980,435	932,292,575	821,140,127
Southern Rhodesia	11,732,652	9,287,571	18,949,697	-	-
Southern Yemen	14,662	-	626,469	-	-
Spain	782,590,554	995,616,438	13,563,447,303	1,383,954,401	1,667,369,539
St. Kitts & Nevis	-	-	-	-	124,235
St. Lucia	-	2,221,495	2,762,412	3,384,206	4,853,928
St. Vincent	-	209,035	258,977	411,102	460,195
Sudan	20,982,000	34,563,255	7,302,859	16,855,407	3,580,652
Surinam	13,919,675	4,316,048	9,049,469	6,891,210	7,116,282
Swaziland	928,800	1,124,129	1,866,366	2,891,226	1,352,119
Sweden	947,266,862	1,261,258,403	1,280,858,340	1,631,285,538	1,428,922,156
Switzerland	999,760,485	999,797,334	1,291,102,013	1,529,438,419	1,668,681,778
Syria	1,832,304,366	1,667,856,744	3,029,619,993	2,513,547,896	3,363,528,163
Tadzhikistan	-	1,599,680	-	-	-
Taiwan	-	-	-	-	889,077,849
Tanganika	62,500	2,778,564	9,621,009	22,027,507	-
Tanzania	-	-	-	-	13,234,189
Tasmania	3,467,819	582,708	-	370,866	-
Thailand	1,536,632,875	939,954,543	1,145,382,630	1,979,714,305	2,553,850,946
Togo	-	1,343,885	1,884,245	415,919	2,484,257
Tokelau	-	-	-	-	902,008
Trinidad and Tobago	889,935	13,064,150	2,488,431	11,165,227	6,826
Tunisia	326,409,933	274,618,398	353,510,820	576,296,452	38,872,123
Turkey	412,384,083	1,604,807,950	4,732,795,884	5,780,761,766	586,611,710
Turkmenistan	1,074,199	-	-	-	5,619,353,095
Turks & Caico Island	5,284	-	33,880	-	1,962,018
U.A.E.	3,080,259,122	2,799,431,836	3,076,477,802	4,827,054,479	9,171,613,353
U.K.	14,097,305,061	17,622,467,303	21,340,403,799	30,896,399,542	33,738,484,500
U.S.A.	55,088,689,524	69,281,146,122	77,072,086,232	98,237,165,708	121,997,986,013
U.S.S.R.	-	-	-	-	-
Uganda	17,751	2,348,973	6,005,823	3,259,968	1,717,920
Ukraine	47,627,128	197,546,632	643,992,261	925,382,700	1,065,243,794
United Arab Rep.	1,588,039,437	1,734,651,594	14,282,227,407	-	-
Uruguay	45,435,226	84,444,024	85,046,931	97,272,233	170,209,372
Uzbekistan	4,799,920	1,445,488	3,719,529	9,216,685	30,710,948
Venesula	12,782,272	7,780,604	9,056,865	30,195,786	90,455,940
Vietnam North	38,023,773	50,888,691	275,492,305	155,917,683	305,227,426
Virginisland	-	-	-	-	37,852
West Africa	948,814	-	4,163,980	7,315,491	33,969,591
West Indies	41,146,329	14,481,128	7,548,171	15,160,220	17,174,808
Western Samoa	-	-	-	-	1,360,149
Yemen	336,337,969	304,648,467	318,118,732	-	-
Yugoslavia	-	-	-	-	-
Zaire	-	-	-	-	2,006,836
Zaire R.F	642,014	2,257,135	-	-	-
Zambia	2,347,649	2,040,115	462,239	7,588,096	18,606,626
Zimbabwe	-	-	-	-	14,213,436

Source - Department of Sri Lanka Customs

Table 14.5 - Balance of trade, 1986 - 1998

Year	Rs. Thousand		
	Imports	Exports	Balance of trade
1986	51,287,508	33,092,317	-18,195,191
1987	59,749,717	39,259,740	-20,489,977
1988	70,320,427	46,547,405	-23,773,022
1989	75,352,750	54,685,557	-20,667,193
1990	105,559,159	75,866,202	-29,692,957
1991	127,830,821	81,375,541	-46,455,280
1992	149,780,179	107,373,810	-42,406,369
1993	181,381,167	137,285,760	-44,095,407
1994	221,527,274	157,789,502	-63,737,772
1995	244,323,651	194,279,533	-50,044,118
1996	277,897,127	225,130,511	-52,766,616
1997	332,729,706	271,155,589	-61,574,117
1998*	369,012,837	303,165,778	-65,847,059

Source - Department of Sri Lanka Customs

* Provisional

Table 14.6 - Composition of exports, 1994 - 1998

Item	Rs. Million				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998*
Tea	20,964	24,638	33,747	42,151	49,867
Rubber	3,582	5,713	5,745	4,638	2,808
Major coconut products	2,696	3,750	4,692	5,133	3,924
(a) Copra	199	292	321	401	458
(b) Coconut oil	188	369	143	193	199
(c) Desiccated coconut	2,088	2,859	3,999	4,270	2,975
(d) Fresh Nuts	221	230	223	269	292
Garments	71,156	88,140	97,768	125,113	148,920
Precious and semi-precious stones	11,270	12,345	15,519	13,428	7,345
Other Domestic exports	48,121	59,694	67,659	80,693	90,302
Total domestic exports	157,789	194,280	225,130	271,156	303,166
Re - Exports	870	979	1,294	3,023	2,684
Total Exports	158,659	195,259	226,425	274,178	305,850

Source - Department of Sri Lanka Customs

* Provisional

Table 14.7 - Composition of imports, 1994 - 1998

Item	Rs. Million				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998*
Food and beverages	36,053	33,836	44,034	56,453	58,759
Mineral products	17,618	24,344	29,442	35,973	28,811
Chemical and resins	22,855	28,647	30,367	33,365	37,747
Leather, Wood, Paper	9,001	11,597	12,474	13,730	14,697
Textiles	54,849	63,407	67,437	85,102	95,445
Precious stones	8,493	9,615	9,579	10,005	11,399
Base metals	12,333	14,543	15,643	17,088	20,304
Machinery and equipment	33,741	32,187	42,343	51,996	61,577
Transport equipment	17,868	16,826	16,194	17,589	26,111
Other	8,716	9,322	10,294	11,429	14,163
Total	221,527	244,324	277,807	332,730	369,013

Source - Department of Sri Lanka Customs

* Provisional

Table 14.8 - Summary of revenue - imports, 1994 - 1998

Chapter	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
01. Live animals; Animal products	272,235	19,453	103,987	6,311	106,368
02. Meat and Edible meat offal	23,491,020	29,134,585	24,685,934	56,583,627	47,684,734
03. Fish and Crustaceans, Molluscs and Other aquatic invertebrates	110,247,208	42,473,252	50,386,410	48,286,137	31,350,126
04. Dairy produce; Eggs, Honey, edible products of animal	615,486,849	636,861,209	677,491,701	660,028,157	848,311,623
05. Products of animal origin not elsewhere specified	1,638,936	3,268,503	2,555,345	1,848,287	2,324,000
06. Live trees and Other plants; Bulbs, Roots and Other	58,474	258,147	170,972	7,052	78,280
07. Edible vegetables and certain Roots and Tubers	1,761,193,743	752,129,452	748,677,274	1,059,571,679	1,445,367,551
08. Edible fruit and nuts; Peel of citrus or melons	108,667,710	107,497,039	106,570,877	121,627,908	186,487,774
09. Coffee, Tea Mate and Spices	952,121,798	254,902,767	433,507,020	269,144,411	454,739,225
10. Cereals	231,759,126	48,385,995	18,294,547	278,924,543	73,384,180
11. Products of milling industry; Malt; Starches; Inulin; Wheat	18,766,738	21,613,843	27,242,122	32,464,774	38,184,282
12. Oil seeds and Oleaginous fruits, miscellaneous grains, seeds	8,931,076	20,721,045	31,495,113	35,702,460	41,691,443
13. Lac; Gums, Resins and Other vegetable saps and extracts	12,501,843	12,243,932	11,907,473	12,068,659	13,251,474
14. Vegetable planting materials	212,030,978	243,908,613	282,869,607	263,552,927	276,254,404
15. Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their products	215,193,810	253,283,127	326,207,539	441,142,001	506,415,998
16. Preparation of meat or fish	49,459,281	62,141,808	57,111,150	78,379,193	70,982,753
17. Sugar and Sugar confectionery	1,779,666,748	1,308,845,781	1,326,878,394	1,985,480,569	1,845,269,055
18. Cocoa and Cocoa preparations	13,552,734	18,897,149	26,036,348	39,762,953	43,946,823
19. Preparations of Cereals, Flour starch or Milk	102,525,880	144,423,647	204,402,830	232,866,420	264,331,982
20. Preparations of vegetables, fruits, nuts or other parts	31,134,027	39,576,006	32,604,268	34,212,682	60,399,010
21. Miscellaneous edible preparations	144,455,844	147,147,643	149,597,869	144,961,408	160,912,361
22. Beverages, Spirits and Vinegar	206,465,421	217,926,240	205,916,145	226,260,752	353,003,360
23. Residues and waste from the food industries; prep. animal fodder	10,043,287	26,604,176	28,838,322	2,849,741	6,424,335
24. Tobacco and manufactured Tobacco substitutes	115,484,245	465,029,235	78,403,570	59,106,846	23,186,465
25. Salt; Sulphur; Earths and Stones; Plastering materials, Lime	232,598,465	223,717,568	393,338,274	400,832,144	436,907,649

Table 14.8 (Contd.) - Summary of revenue - imports, 1994 - 1998

Chapter	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
26. Ores, Slag and Ash	231,644	1,009,094	1,230,011	1,028,603	2,105,242
27. Mineral fuels; Mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substance;	5,106,124,322	6,844,503,428	8,044,135,108	6,437,419,308	5,077,978,345
28. Inorganic chemicals; Organic or Inorganic compounds of precious metals;	108,848,721	127,370,275	146,296,207	148,797,767	146,598,231
29. Organic chemicals	104,643,491	251,682,374	125,289,276	139,960,288	121,715,163
30. Pharmaceutical products	23,723,944	35,354,375	29,136,873	27,602,454	36,642,820
31. Fertilisers	111,111	431,438	33,208	558,554	1,336
32. Tanning or dyeing extracts	515,807,568	156,632,546	148,567,690	156,792,188	186,680,543
33. Essential oils and resinoids; perfumery, toilet preparations	103,456,026	118,598,427	107,554,985	135,449,654	204,913,792
34. Soap, organic surface active agents, washing preparations	44,763,506	49,995,804	39,858,462	65,173,537	87,269,850
35. Albuminoidal substances; modified starches; glues;	14,262,993	19,221,549	18,216,492	20,139,489	23,125,228
36. Explosives; pyrotechnic products matches; alloys;	8,110,089	10,194,858	10,265,589	5,351,426	5,900,799
37. Photographic or cinematographic goods	107,758,024	110,976,712	120,995,645	125,645,797	125,209,220
38. Miscellaneous chemical products	192,492,881	206,378,953	205,444,398	222,420,384	168,740,841
39. Plastic and articles thereof	1,403,903,771	622,523,898	611,416,739	713,180,784	714,471,877
40. Rubber and articles thereof	374,785,651	392,405,589	480,949,305	594,569,045	625,180,866
41. Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather	3,346,410	2,954,663	1,567,815	2,487,514	1,077,749
42. Articles of leather, saddlery and harness; travel goods handbags and similar containers	9,752,291	8,830,272	7,712,418	8,959,150	10,089,790
43. Furskins and artificial fur; manufactures thereof	433,532	130	20,098		7,050
44. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	74,062,606	89,816,614	91,145,393	56,590,845	63,392,481
45. Cork and articles of cork	444,526	898,281	585,322	155,188	425,992
46. Manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware	6,699,071	8,560,274	9,114,042	9,343,010	14,876,743
47. Pulp of wood or other fibrous cellulosic materials;	16,125,608	40,799,197	29,794,119	4,894,565	3,262,586
48. Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp;	583,598,023	743,344,303	578,120,021	574,593,941	586,400,332
49. Printed books; News Papers, Pictures	23,399,680	11,713,368	9,032,444	8,219,385	9,721,716
50. Silk	606,602	1,016,965	98,154	14,787	15,434

Table 14.8 (Contd.) - Summary of revenue - imports, 1994 - 1998

Chapter	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
51. Wool, fine or coarse animal hair; horsehair	364,891	252,927	234,499	202,940	448
52. Cotton	90,884,043	87,839,622	112,727,755	124,102,538	2,555,507
53. Other vegetable textile fibres;	2,829,902	2,983,577	3,965,990	5,350,129	55,190
54. Man - Made filaments	97,856,807	75,302,858	56,687,043	49,988,745	12,134,405
55. Man - Made staple fibres	202,024,120	338,570,647	502,752,923	447,965,158	6,080,648
56. Wadding, felt and non - wovens , twine, cordage, ropes and cables	53,984,460	56,870,418	47,822,958	38,201,532	27,342,950
57. Carpets and other floor coverings	9,792,439	10,299,336	11,272,235	7,375,051	12,916,960
58. Special woven fabrics; Tufted textile fabrics; Lace; Tapestries;	26,459,573	27,144,147	28,766,685	25,946,463	14,342,683
59. Impregnated, coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics textile articles	63,806,723	81,618,082	79,074,134	68,205,735	54,811,688
60. Knitted or crocheted fabrics	9,825,115	4,493,863	3,308,679	4,067,960	250,277
61. Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	2,690,803	5,293,570	6,656,020	9,104,909	9,134,877
62. Articles of apparel and clothing accessories not knitted or crocheted	29,857,155	24,937,875	40,914,417	49,379,581	48,470,504
63. Other made-up textile articles	41,233,921	52,770,483	13,866,341	20,599,493	14,700,860
64. Footwear, gaiters and the like parts of such articles	13,494,681	18,930,869	12,161,510	18,030,448	34,927,510
65. Headgear and parts thereof	4,194,813	3,439,433	2,082,416	2,893,318	2,077,471
66. Umbrellas, Sun shades, Walking - Sticks; Seat - Sticks	8,134,945	9,433,589	7,212,358	8,424,294	11,469,569
67. Prepared feathers and down and articles made of feathers	3,829,678	2,994,857	3,498,192	4,644,265	7,093,025
68. Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or	52,272,105	73,670,662	48,046,098	53,262,677	91,890,231
69. Ceramic products	724,003,469	124,390,235	111,065,939	128,356,534	224,568,517
70. Glass and glassware	187,939,146	197,676,184	166,036,174	153,716,191	168,838,897
71. Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi - precious	4,266,033	2,793,010	1,470,945	1,179,137	5,389,089
72. Iron and steel	608,558,576	578,894,672	621,167,145	625,365,948	710,058,440
73. Iron steel and articles thereof	632,269,976	496,651,946	482,955,034	512,623,179	607,414,953
74. Copper and articles thereof	50,276,036	70,821,813	66,701,271	73,963,105	72,673,408
75. Nickel articles thereof	978,489	1,182,711	952,763	307,162	1,529,530

Table 14.8 (Contd.) - Summary of revenue - imports, 1994 - 1998

Chapter	Rupees				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
76. Aluminium and Articles thereof	104,819,738	140,567,956	144,975,354	135,281,410	196,767,995
78. Lead and Articles thereof	5,835,672	7,474,180	10,928,853	7,374,211	8,370,429
79. Zinc and Articles thereof	10,713,143	13,479,245	15,472,779	17,675,808	15,621,859
80. Tin and Articles thereof	825,571	647,599	872,921	418,543	1,304,874
81. Other Base metals; Cermets articles	1,754,875	1,727,894	1,568,489	1,503,027	543,012
82. Tools, Implements, Cutlery, Spoon and Forks of base Metal	90,996,587	81,434,791	76,471,571	85,067,998	96,881,084
83. Miscellaneous Articles	289,243,501	90,639,758	90,387,533	104,322,628	123,707,545
84. Bolders, Machinery and Mechanical appliances, parts thereof	1,036,611,874	1,157,484,416	1,100,091,017	1,165,259,215	13,666,037,632
85. Electrical Machiners and Equipment	1,486,643,866	2,031,980,853	921,587,880	1,079,070,594	1,307,104,218
86. Sound Recorders and Televisions	7,657,757	16,967,131	30,695,505	23,545,196	40,527,775
87. Railway or tramway locomotives rolling stock and parts thereof railway or tramway track fixture	3,021,167,538	3,447,438,921	3,164,608,582	3,238,611,968	3,703,219,701
88. Aircraft, spacecraft and parts	274,414	115,405	142,427	200,494	207,939
89. Ships, boats and floating structures	616,131	1,002,100	2,976,223	2,380,293	18,654,131
90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic and surgical instruments	155,503,779	154,481,752	171,796,003	153,097,392	136,349,244
91. Clocks and watches and parts thereof	23,220,018	29,704,085	23,711,251	27,374,175	25,350,098
92. Musical instruments; parts and accessories of such articles	9,874,116	7,991,161	8,992,392	11,521,910	12,233,790
93. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories	1,036,892	123,022	1,329,142	435,056	1,800,577
94. Furniture and parts thereof, Mattress Cushions and Supports	88,076,405	111,127,167	106,865,596	114,491,047	204,263,721
95. Articles and manufactures of carving or moulding material	41,586,772	35,073,086	39,705,778	42,663,008	46,890,935
96. Brooms, Brushes, Feather ousters, Slaves	72,586,772	63,427,449	56,271,389	64,301,751	80,349,868
97. Works of art, collectors, pieces and antiques	49,364	20,650	15,286	53,584	96,037
99. Others	7,768,220	7,302,485	6,533,720	8,194,877	9,201,452
Grand Total	25,163,679,810	24,685,191,121	24,469,272,120	24,660,119,876	24,983,000,694

Source - Department of Sri Lanka Customs

CHAPTER XV - BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Table 15.1 - Current and capital transactions , 1996 - 1998

Item	1996		1997		1998	
	Debit	Net	Debit	Net	Debit	Net
Goods and services						
1. Merchandise	299,423.9	-72,622.0	-	-	-	-
2. Non-monetary gold	107.7	-107.7	-	-	-	-
3. Freight and merchandise insurance	2,759.3	-1,005.3	-	-	-	-
4. Other transportation	11,136.7	7,641.7	13,787.3	9,193.7	16,995.0	8,836.0
(1) Passenger fares	5,046.3	1,379.2	5,943.6	2,453.9	8,000.0	989.0
(2) Port expenditure	2,483.3	-904.8	3,192.5	-1,229.0	3,688.0	-1,499.0
(3) Other	3,607.1	7,167.2	4,651.2	7,968.9	5,307.0	9,346.0
5. Travel	9,712.0	-517.3	10,587.6	1,728.2	13,047.0	1,826.0
6. Investment income	20,926.9	-11,232.1	22,699.2	-9,760.2	25,350.0	-11,468.0
(1) Direct investment	3,551.8	-3,472.6	4,545.2	-4,424.2	5,879.0	-5,747.0
(2) Other	16,690.8	-7,681.6	17,370.7	-4,902.0	18,609.0	-5,621.0
7. Government expenditure N.I.E.	1,704.1	-362.3	1,867.8	-392.0	2,198.0	-583.0
8. Other services	14,408.6	-934.5	-	-	-	-
(1) Non-merchandise insurance	996.4	526.4	1,179.3	578.2	1,179.0	1,011.0
(2) Other	13,003.9	-1,483.6	14,883.9	-1,722.7	16,367.0	-1,889.0
Total goods and services	337,630.2	-68,471.2	387,590.6	-61,705.8	430,060.0	-64,744.0
Transfer payments						
9. Private	6,772.7	39,230.0	7,951.3	46,493.7	9,742.0	54,843.0
10. Official	-	2,708.8	-	2,625.0	-	3,490.0
Total current account	76,974.5	29,946.4	419,493.0	-22,745.0	465,151.0	-17,880.0
Capital and monetary gold						
Non monetary sector						
11. Direct investment	76,974.5	29,946.4	84,294.3	36,821.5	81,017.0	21,459.0
12. Other private long-term	684.3	-77.9	286.0	7,587.0	843.0	8,846.0
13. Other private short-term	9,798.2	202.2	7,468.0	-2,304.0	8,481.0	-7,085.0
14. Central government	36,957.0	1,355.2	31,010.3	4,339.5	11,283.0	414.0
(1) Long term loans	13,222.9	11,987.4	16,291.0	8,471.0	18,711.0	12,814.0
(11) Other long term	7,774.0	15,637.0	8,823.0	10,774.0	10,230.0	19,899.0
(111) short term	5,448.9	-3,649	7,468.0	-2,304.0	8,481.0	-7,085.0
Monetary sector						
15. Government assets	29,499.8	-8.6	49,110.0	-15,845.0	47,276.0	-13,800.0
16. Government liabilities	1,246.7	-356.3	782.0	102.0	937.0	-183.0
17. Commercial banks assets	-	-	-	-	-	-
18. Commercial banks liabilities	9,733.1	-1,103.2	-	-	-	-
19. Central bank assets	2,440.4	5,259.9	-	-	-	-
20. Central bank liabilities	14,071.1	2,015.8	31,939.0	-14,588.0	23,232.0	-9,806.0
21. Transactions with I.M.F.	11,868.2	645.7	13,100.0	1,931.0	18,007.0	1,290.0
22. Monetary gold	2,313.8	-2313.8	3,290.0	-3,290.0	5,100.0	-5,100.0
23. Valuation adjustment	-	-	-	-	-	-
24. Errors and omissions	1,671.6	4,212.8	1,279.0	-562.0	9.0	8,559.0
	-	126.0	-	8,461.0	2,201.0	-2,201.0

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Note-

The balance of payment data are largely based on exchange control records. The above presentation conforms as far as possible to international practice followed by the International Monetary Fund in their balance of payment year books and International Financial Statistics.

Item 1 - Exports are recorded on F.O.B. valuation, imports on C.I.F. value.

Item 5 - Includes educational remittances and official travel. Passage collections by foreign shipping and air lines are included in item 4.1 - passenger fares.

Item 10 - Indicates outright grants received in the form of food aid, commodity aid and project aid.

Item 14.2 - Credit entries refer mainly to an increase in liabilities resulting from imports under suppliers credits and other short term trade credit facilities. The debit entry in respect of such imports is in the merchandise account and is recorded on an arrivals basis. Debit entries refer to decline in such liabilities and are recorded when settlement or payment are made in respect of such imports.

Item 15 - The change in capital of the monetary sector is based on local records.

Item 21 - The figures shown in the credit column relate to drawings from and service charges paid in Sri Lanka rupees to the international monetary fund. Figures in the debit column are in respect of repurchase or repayments, made in installments to the I.M.F., in respect of earlier drawings. Gold contributions to the I.M.F., consequent to successive increases in Sri Lanka's quota, are also shown in the debit column.

CHAPTER XVI - NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

ESTIMATION OF GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GDP)

In the estimates of GDP by industrial origin, the production approach and the income approach are generally employed depending on the type of basic data available. The production approach is followed mainly in estimating the value added by agriculture, livestock and fisheries and manufactured goods (factory industry), while the income approach is adopted in the case of cottage industries and other services (including government). More indirect methods are used in determining the net output of trade, transport and construction.

Price indices and quantity indicators are used in deflating and extrapolating the current data to obtain constant price estimates. For the constant estimates, base year is 1990 at present and that of the series was year 1975.

The department releases an annual publication on National Accounts of Sri Lanka and this contains more detailed national accounts tables. Those are the consolidated National Accounts tables which are computed and given for disposable income, Gross Domestic Product and expenditure, capital finance and rest of the world accounts. Income and outlay accounts were computed and given for the sectors of general government and households. Reconciliation of key aggregates were compiled for GDP.

Derivation of value added and cost component of value added have been compiled to give detailed breakdown of value added. Supply and disposition tables were prepared to indicate balance accounts for agriculture sector only.

DISTRIBUTION OF GROSS NATIONAL INCOME

Figures of aggregate domestic income when adjusted by net factor income from abroad gives the relevant estimates of Gross National Income. Gross Domestic Income is regarded as the sum of rewards accruing to the resident factors of production, which are engaged directly in the current production of goods and services (viz. Salaries and Wages for labour, rent, interests, profits and dividends for other factors of production).

Compensation of General Government is the net value of services Sector (Government which contains the personal emoluments and pensions of the General Government excluding that of the Public Enterprise Departments. Data on savings of Corporation, and Direct Taxes on Corporations are obtained from the State Accounts (Sessional Papers). In the case of private sector employees, estimates are based on Census data suitably adjusted for changes in population and wage rates data on corporate income and direct taxes are obtained from the Commissioner of Inland Revenue, while particulars of General Government Income and Interest on Public Debt are found in Government Accounts. Income from non - corporate enterprises is taken as a residual.

EXPENDITURE ON GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT AT CURRENT AND CONSTANT PRICES

This table is prepared in conformity with the United Nations Classification of expenditure on Gross National Product at Current and Constant prices. This includes information for sub - sectors of private final consumption government services, import goods and services and export of goods and services. More disaggregated information are given in separate tables for private final consumption and capital formation.

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Table 16.1 - Summary indicators, 1992 - 1997

Item	Unit	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
A. Global aggregates at current market prices							
1. Gross Domestic Product	Rs. Mn	421,755	499,708	579,159	662,383	771,414	891,067
2. Gross National Product	"	413,935	493,730	571,131	655,301	760,260	881,307
B. Global aggregates at constant (1990) market prices							
1. Gross Domestic Product	Rs. Mn	347,822	371,876	392,884	414,608	430,186	457,905
2. Gross National Product	"	340,919	367,039	386,699	409,645	422,608	451,854
C. Per capita G.N.P. at current prices and at constant (1990) prices							
1. Gross National Product per capita at current prices	Rs	23,784	28,023	31,969	36,180	41,510	47,505
2. Gross National Product per capita at constant (1990) prices	"	19,589	20,832	21,646	22,617	23,074	24,355
D. GDP implicit price deflator	Base: 1990=100	121.3	134.4	147.4	159.8	179.3	194.6
E. Annual average price change (GDP-implicit)	Percent	9.3	10.8	9.7	8.4	12.2	8.5
F. Selected components in current prices							
1. Private consumption expenditure	Rs. Mn	313,525	363,580	420,298	468,496	530,002	596,917
2. Government consumption expenditure	"	53,965	65,745	75,429	97,244	111,803	126,500
3. Gross fixed capital formation	"	96,632	120,778	145,972	168,363	197,985	228,635
4. Exports (goods and non factor services)	"	135,114	168,858	195,805	237,735	269,765	325,885
5. Imports (goods and non factor services)	"	174,508	216,544	264,602	301,543	336,769	387,590
G. Growth Rate G.D.P. (At constant prices)	Percent	4.4	6.9	5.6	5.5	3.8	6.4
Population	'000	17,404	17,619	17,865	18,112	18,315	18,552

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 16.2 - Gross Domestic Product by industrial origin at current producer prices and the percentage contribution of major economic activities to GDP , 1993 - 1997

Major division	1993		1994		1995		1996		1997	
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
1. Agriculture, livestock, fisheries etc.	103,703	21.8	115,996	20.9	123,990	19.5	141,589	19.0	158,594	18.4
2. Mining and quarrying	5,535	1.2	6,968	1.3	8,064	1.3	9,166	1.2	9,764	1.1
3. Manufacturing	85,139	17.9	98,454	17.8	115,537	18.2	136,291	18.3	165,070	19.1
3.1 Export processing (Tea, rubber and coconut)	5,007	1.1	7,019	1.3	8,058	1.4	9,781	1.3	9,676	1.1
3.2 Factory industry	73,130	15.4	83,272	15.0	98,878	15.5	117,271	15.7	144,745	16.8
3.3 Cottage industry	7,002	1.5	8,163	1.5	8,602	1.3	9,238	1.2	10,649	1.2
4. Electricity, gas and water	10,362	2.2	13,486	2.4	14,846	2.3	16,016	2.2	16,142	1.9
5. Construction	34,159	7.2	41,340	7.5	47,931	7.6	54,667	7.3	60,336	7.0
6. Wholesale and retail trade, restaurants and hotels	105,608	22.2	122,781	22.2	142,807	22.4	171,302	23.0	201,335	23.3
6. Transport and communication	46,204	9.7	54,551	9.8	62,429	9.8	77,186	10.3	92,607	10.7
8. Banking, insurance and real estate etc.	28,672	6.0	36,699	6.6	44,439	6.8	50,609	6.8	59,719	6.9
9. Ownership of dwellings	3,782	0.8	3,875	0.7	4,078	0.6	4,406	0.6	4,771	0.6
10. Government services	38,639	8.1	44,007	7.9	54,925	8.5	63,824	8.6	72,157	8.4
11. Private services	14,378	3.0	15,838	2.9	17,775	2.8	19,809	2.7	22,788	2.6
Total	476,181	100.0	553,995	100.0	636,822	100.0	744,865	100.0	863,283	100.0
Add: Import duties	23,527		25,164		25,562		26,549		27,784	
Gross Domestic Product	499,708		579,159		662,384		771,414		891,067	

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 16.3 - Gross Domestic Product by industrial origin at constant (1990) prices and the percentage contribution of major economic activities to GDP, 1993 - 1997

Major division	1993		1994		1995		1996		1997	
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
1. Agriculture, livestock and fisheries etc.	77,670	22.0	80,204	21.5	82,947	21.0	79,564	19.4	82,007	18.8
2. Mining and quarrying	3,642	1.0	4,142	1.1	4,378	1.1	4,950	1.2	5,015	1.2
3. Manufacturing	70,675	20.0	76,679	20.6	83,040	21.0	88,816	21.6	97,375	22.4
3.1 Export processing (Tea, rubber and coconut)	6,592	1.9	7,088	1.9	7,156	1.8	7,681	1.9	7,788	1.8
3.2 Factory industry	58,847	16.7	63,724	17.1	69,827	17.7	75,076	18.3	83,471	19.2
3.3 Cottage industry	5,236	1.5	5,867	1.6	6,057	1.5	6,059	1.5	6,116	1.4
4. Electricity, gas and water	7,138	2.0	7,807	2.1	8,606	2.2	8,465	2.1	8,915	2.0
5. Construction	25,364	7.2	27,192	7.3	29,371	7.5	30,572	7.5	32,557	7.5
6. Wholesale and retail trade, restaurants and hotels	76,483	21.7	81,259	21.8	85,121	21.6	89,676	21.9	95,194	21.9
7. Transport and communication	34,558	9.8	36,090	9.7	37,663	9.5	39,855	9.7	42,414	9.7
8. Banking, insurance and real estate etc.	17,962	5.1	19,559	5.2	21,613	5.5	23,796	5.8	25,897	5.9
9. Ownership of dwellings	3,095	0.9	3,138	0.8	3,182	0.8	3,217	0.8	3,259	0.7
10. Public services	26,753	7.6	27,633	7.4	29,024	7.3	30,781	7.5	32,349	7.4
11. Private services	9,452	2.7	9,705	2.6	10,020	2.5	10,340	2.5	10,744	2.5
Total	352,692	100.0	373,408	100.0	394,965	100.0	410,032	100.0	435,655	100.0
Add. import duties	19,184		19,476		19,643		20,154		22,250	
Gross Domestic Product	371,876		392,884		414,608		430,186		457,905	

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 16.4 - Gross Domestic Product (value added) in agricultural sector at current producers' prices by industrial activities, 1993 - 1997.

Activities	1993		1994		1995		1996		1997	
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
Agriculture, livestock, fisheries etc.										
1. Tea	8,835	8.5	8,852	7.6	9,827	7.9	15,680	11.1	19,314	12.2
2. Rubber	2,589	2.5	3,717	3.2	6,503	5.2	5,770	4.1	4,876	3.1
3. Coconut	11,080	10.7	10,528	9.1	10,792	8.6	14,551	10.3	17,225	10.9
4. Minor export crops	4,110	4.0	3,674	3.2	3,567	2.9	3,763	2.6	4,639	2.9
5. Paddy	16,435	15.8	16,792	14.5	17,158	13.7	16,088	11.4	19,664	12.4
6. Other food crops	33,382	32.2	41,344	35.6	41,953	33.6	46,522	32.2	48,061	30.3
7. Tobacco	633	0.6	492	0.4	665	0.5	793	0.6	771	0.5
8. Betel and arecanuts	2,624	2.5	3,325	2.9	3,870	3.1	4,193	3.0	4,564	2.9
9. Miscellaneous agricultural products	1,534	1.5	1,714	1.5	1,842	1.5	2,019	1.5	2,344	1.5
10. Livestock	5,572	5.4	5,905	5.1	6,612	5.3	7,476	5.2	8,302	5.2
11. Firewood and forestry	3,875	3.7	5,012	4.3	5,680	4.5	6,814	4.8	7,459	4.7
12. Fisheries	10,073	9.7	11,596	10.0	13,309	10.7	14,480	10.2	17,777	11.2
13. Plantation development	2,961	2.9	3,045	2.6	3,076	2.5	3,362	2.3	3,598	2.2
Total	103,703	100.0	115,996	100.0	124,854	100.0	141,511	100.0	158,594	100.0

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 16.5 - Gross Domestic Product (value added) in agricultural sector at constant (1990) prices by industrial activities, 1993 - 1997

Activities	1993		1994		1995		1996		1997	
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
Agriculture, livestock, fisheries etc.										
1. Tea	9,863	12.7	10,301	17.5	10,462	12.6	10,990	13.8	11,777	14.4
2. Rubber	1,530	2.0	1,546	2.6	1,552	1.9	1,651	2.1	1,553	1.9
3. Coconut	5,084	6.5	6,094	10.4	6,407	7.7	5,944	7.5	6,137	7.5
4. Minor export crops	3,366	4.3	3,396	5.8	3,383	4.1	3,425	4.3	3,041	3.7
5. Paddy	14,890	19.2	15,581	26.5	16,320	19.7	11,970	15.0	13,000	15.9
6. Other food crops	23,770	30.6	2,386	4.1	24,703	29.8	25,562	32.1	25,569	31.2
7. Tobacco	334	0.4	293	0.5	305	0.4	351	0.4	346	0.4
8. Betel and arecanuts	990	1.3	1,001	1.7	1,015	1.2	1,013	1.3	968	1.2
9. Miscellaneous agricultural products	1,371	1.8	1,632	2.8	1,846	2.2	1,770	2.2	1,955	2.4
10. Livestock	3,191	4.1	3,240	5.5	3,260	3.9	3,222	4.0	3,237	3.9
11. Firewood and forestry	3,197	4.1	2,984	5.1	3,032	3.7	3,035	3.8	3,151	3.8
12. Fisheries	7,162	9.2	7,269	12.4	7,626	9.2	7,310	9.2	7,718	9.4
13. Plantation development	2,923	3.8	3,005	5.1	3,035	3.7	3,321	4.2	3,555	4.3
Total	77,671	100.0	58,728	100.0	82,946	100.0	79,564	100.0	82,007	100.0

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 16.6 - Expenditure on Gross Domestic Product at current prices, 1993 - 1997

Item	1993		1994		1995		1996		1997	
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
1. Private consumption expenditure	363,580	72.8	420,298	72.6	468,496	70.7	530,002	68.7	596,917	67.0
2. General government consumption expenditure	65,745	13.2	75,429	13.0	97,244	14.7	111,803	14.5	126,500	14.2
3. Gross domestic fixed capital formation	120,778	24.2	145,972	25.2	168,363	25.4	197,985	25.7	228,635	25.7
4. Changes in stocks**	-2,709	-0.5	6,257	1.1	-7,912	-1.2	-1,372	-0.2	720	0.1
5. Exports of goods and non-factor services	168,858	33.8	195,805	33.8	237,735	35.9	269,765	35.0	325,885	36.6
6. Less: Imports of goods and non-factor services	216,544	43.3	264,602	45.7	301,543	45.5	336,769	43.7	387,590	43.5
Gross Domestic Product	499,708	100.0	579,159	100.0	662,383	100.0	771,414	100.0	891,067	100.0

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

** Including statistical discrepancy

Table 16.7 - Reconciliation of key aggregates, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992		1993		1994		1995		1996		1997	
	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%
Gross Domestic Product	421,755		499,708		579,159		662,383		771,414		891,067	
Plus: Factor income received	2,997		5,366		7,111		10,868		9,089		12,939	
Less: Factor income paid	10,817		11,314		15,139		17,950		20,243		22,699	
Gross National Product	413,935		493,730		571,131		655,301		760,260		881,307	
Plus: Current transfers from abroad	24,037		30,591		35,345		40,891		46,467		54,445	
Less: Current transfers to abroad	3,785		3,501		4,356		6,072		6,982		7,951	
Gross National Disposable Product	434,187		520,820		602,120		690,120		799,745		927,801	
Less: Final consumption	367,490		429,325		495,727		565,740		641,805		723,417	
Less: Statistical discrepancy	6,173		4,509		4,007		8,862		3,472		144	
Gross saving	72,870		96,004		102,386		133,242		161,412		204,240	
Plus: Deficit of nation on current account	-26,962		-26,574		-45,836		-36070		-38,673		-24,971	
Gross Capital Formation	99,832		122,578		148,222		169,312		200,085		229,211	

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 16.8 - Government final consumption expenditure by purpose at current prices , 1993- 1997

Purpose	Rs. Million				
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
01. Defence	14,820	18,038	28,588	34,218	38,236
02. Education	9,877	9,001	11,121	15,440	18,428
03. Health	5,309	5,832	6,856	9,187	11,025
04. Housing and community amenities	59	128	206	194	242
05. General public services	15,606	17,344	18,948	19,859	24,882
06. Social security and welfare	12,708	15,799	16,842	16,522	19,946
07. Other community and social services	1,435	1,370	1,816	1,115	892
08. Economic services	5,931	7,917	12,867	15,268	12,849
Total Government Final Consumption Expenditure	65,745	75,429	97,244	111,803	126,500

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 16.9 - Government final consumption expenditure by purpose at constant (1990) prices , 1993 - 1997

Purpose	Rs. Million				
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
01. Defence	10,676	11,708	15,679	17,714	18,733
02. Education	7,086	5,829	6,080	1,988	9,056
03. Health	3,827	3,772	3,733	4,747	5,396
04. Housing and community amenities	47	98	107	116	124
05. General public services	11,196	11,267	10,452	10,304	12,220
06. Social security and welfare	9,118	10,287	9,226	8,567	9,800
07. Other community and social services	1,039	882	1,013	579	434
08. Economic services	4,252	5,144	7,039	7,873	6,265
Total Government Final Consumption Expenditure	47,241	48,987	53,329	51,888	62,028

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 16.10 - External transaction on current account , 1993 - 1997

Item	Rs. Million				
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
1. Exports of goods and non-factor services	168,858	195,805	237,734	269,765	325,885
(a) Merchandise	138,174	158,554	195,117	226,801	274,193
(b) Other	30,684	37,251	42,617	42,964	51,692
2. Factor income from rest of the world	5,366	7,111	10,880	9,088	12,939
3. Current transfers from rest of the world**	30,591	35,345	40,891	46,467	54,445
Current receipts from rest of the world	204,815	238,261	289,505	325,321	393,269
4. Imports of goods and non-factor services	216,544	264,602	301,542	336,769	387,590
(a) Merchandise	193,549	236,030	266,319	299,424	345,284
(b) Other	22,995	28,572	35,223	37,345	42,306
5. Factor income paid to rest of the world	11,344	15,139	17,880	20,243	22,699
6. Current transfers to rest of the world	3,501	4,356	6,072	6,982	7,951
Current payments to rest of the world	281,389	284,097	325,494	363,994	418,240
Surplus of the nation on current account	-2,574	-45,836	-35,989	-38,673	-24,971

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

** Excludes capital transfers, hence the figures are not comparable with the figures that have been already published.

CHAPTER XVII - PUBLIC FINANCE

Table 17.1 - Revenue of central government, 1993 - 1998

Item	Rs. Thousands					
	1993	1994	1995	1996*	1997	1998
Total revenue (heads 1 to 12)	112,341,829	126,499,815	156,422,263	171,601,000	195,335,624	192,703,202
1. Taxes on production and expenditure	73,067,307	84,338,160		110,757,000	121,556,282	125,289,268
2&3. Taxes on corporate and non corporate income	13,996,665	15,748,008	18,198,046	19,350,000	22,300,771	20,428,413
4. Receipts of trading enterprises	1,715,730	1,832,178	7,357,787	6,850,000	2,444,997	2,918,213
5. Rents, interests, profits and dividends received	6,332,624	6,281,758	2,771,903	2,140,000	13,232,668	15,872,229
6. Sales and charges	2,755,993	2,396,916	3,137,880	4,000,000	5,075,235	6,079,309
7. Social security contributions	626,982	719,022	825,320	900,000	1,796,822	2,192,083
8. Other current transfers	1,302,629	1,534,145	1,365,428	2,430,000	1,840,667	4,742,644
9. Sales of capital goods	1,566,677	2,932,476	3,097,197	10,550,000	22,751,904	4,452,282
10. Capital transfers from domestic sector	38,451	18,331	12,252	5,000	5,196	4,102
11. Capital transfers from abroad	8,025,000	8,257,000	9,028	9,000	-	4,673,864
12. Repayments of loans and advances	2,913,832	2,442,000	5,097,417	410,300	4,331,082	6,050,795
13. Direct borrowing from domestic sector	42,328,000	35,545,000	58,591,000	..	..	..
14. Direct borrowing from foreign sector	18,862,000	20,452,000	20,787,000	..	..	..
Total receipts (heads 1 to 14)	173,531,829	182,496,815	235,800,263	171,601,000**	195,335,624**	192,703,202

* Estimates.

** Excluding heads 13 and 14

Source - General Treasury

Table 17.2 - Recurrent and capital expenditure of central government, 1998

By Ministries	Rs. Million	
	Recurrent Expenditure	Capital expenditure
1. His Excellency the President, Prime Minister, Supreme Court Judges etc.	2,793	1,243
2. Buddha Sasana	62	10
3. Defence	45,314	11,832
4. Vocational Training and Rural Industries	389	389
5. Foreign Affairs	1,602	290
6. Co-operative Development	36	10
7. Internal and International Trade, Commerce and Food	111	194
8. Tourism and Civil Aviation	253	247
9. Education and Higher Education	9,937	5,776
10. Forestry and the Environment	220	528
11. Irrigation and Power	666	9,743
12. Labour	218	56
13. Housing and Urban Development	227	6,497
14. Industrial Development	450	2,216
15. Finance and Planning(a)	65,779	62,222
16. Plan implementation and Parliamentary Affairs	596	1,600
17. Transport and Highways	2,933	11,665
18. Justice, Constitutional Affairs, Ethnic Affairs and National Integration	1,185	288
19. Social Services	1,945	115
20. Fisheries and Aquatic Resources	188	751
21. Samurdhi, Youth Affairs and Sports	9,181	1,170
22. Posts, Telecommunication and Media	2,243	3,686
23. Health and Indigenous Medicine	7,120	4,418
24. Agriculture and Lands	3,759	1,632
25. Mahaweli Development	942	1,050
26. Port Development, Rehabilitation and Reconstruction	141	4,368
27. Livestock Development and Estate Infrastructure	88	276
28. Woman's Affairs	38	3
29. Provincial Councils and Local Government	20,158	1,726
30. Cultural and Religious Affairs	216	164
31. Science and Technology	430	206
32. Public Administration, Home Affairs and Plantation Industries	21,292	2,937
Total	200,512	137,308

(a) Includes debt repayments.

Table 17.3 - Capital payments of central government, 1993 - 1998

Item	Rs. Million					
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total capital payments	68,168	68,352	108,501	92,734	91,619	91,434
Amortization payments	27,290	22,671	36,546	33,240	28,483	59,968
Domestic	20,327	15,065	28,069	22,749	15,232	41,617
Foreign	6,963	7,606	8,477	10,491	13,251	18,351
Acquisition of financial assets	6,265	10,064	11,087	8,335	7,278	14,118
Acquisition of fixed assets	20,957	22,007	41,734	34,459	37,158	41,296
Capital transfers	13,656	13,644	19,134	16,700	18,515	21,915
Public enterprises	4,311	4,246	7,614	6,017	5,880	6,801
Other levels of government	9,300	9,347	11,503	10,645	12,552	15,049
Local government	749	914	921	1,042	1,511	1,764
Institutions	8,551	8,483	10,446	9,603	11,041	13,285
Abroad	45	51	17	39	83	65

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Table 17.4 - Composition of public debt, 1986 - 1998

End of period	Rs. Million								
	Domestic debt							Total	
	Gross	Rs. loan		Treasury bills	Tax reserve certificates	Central bank advances	Others	Gross	Net
1986	39,129.8	6,017.2	32,700.8	26,172.6	9.1	4,040.0	147.5	70,074.4	63,655.4
1987	44,957.4	5,178.3	39,779.1	29,850.0	8.9	4,000.0	181.1	78,997.4	73,819.1
1988	49,797.2	4,193.7	45,603.5	43,700.0	8.8	4,926.0	162.6	98,594.6	94,400.1
1989	54,216.6	3,251.3	50,965.3	57,245.8	8.6	5,900.0	190.0	117,561.0	114,309.2
1990	54,676.4	2,367.5	52,308.9	67,967.7	8.5	6,408.0	195.0	133,896.6	131,528.7
1991	66,823.2	1,262.6	65,560.6	72,967.7	8.5	7,444.0	190.3	152,118.0	150,855.6
1992	69,180.0	638.0	68,542.0	87,095.7	8.2	8,928.0	174.0	170,020.0	169,382.0
1993	105,707.0	320.0	105,387.0	97,196.0	8.0	10,502.0	158.0	213,685.0	213,365.0
1994	137,554.0	137.0	137,417.0	97,896.0	7.0	12,366.0	151.0	249,118.0	248,981.0
1995	157,928.0	100.0	157,828.0	113,771.0	7.0	13,700.0	153.0	285,759.0	285,659.0
1996	205,975.0	100.0	205,875.0	124,996.0	7.0	17,693.0	124.0	349,007.0	348,907.0
1997	239,475.0	100.0	239,375.0	114,996.0	7.0	18,307.0	94.0	382,962.0	382,862.0
1998*	250,570.0	100.0	250,570.0	119,996.0	7.0	20,192.0	6,855.0	446,547.0	446,447.0

Table 17.4 (Contd.) - Composition of public debt, 1986 - 1998

End of period	Foreign debt			Grand total (Foreign and domestic)			
	Sterling loans		Non project loans	Total			
	I.B.R.D. loans	Other		Gross	Net	Gross	Net
1986	453.2	53,443.8	34,407	88,304	88,304	157,804	151,787
1987	572.5	72,783.5	39,085	112,441	112,441	191,439	186,261
1988	888.7	84,856.3	39,912	125,657	125,657	224,251	220,057
1989	1,303.3	111,816.7	43,178	156,298	156,298	273,859	270,608
1990	1,277.4	131,060.6	44,545	176,883	176,883	310,780	308,412
1991	1,237.5	164,911.5	48,430	214,579	214,579	366,698	365,435
1992	1,214.0	183,788.0	50,536	235,538	235,538	405,558	404,920
1993	1,185.0	215,170.0	53,869	270,224	270,224	483,909	483,589
1994	1,048.0	245,027.0	55,737	301,812	301,812	550,930	550,793
1995	970.0	285,878.0	59,438	346,286	346,286	633,045	631,493
1996	840.0	301,826.0	56,724	359,390	359,390	708,397	708,397
1997	730.0	319,817.0	61,994	383,116	383,116	766,078	766,078
1998*	600.0	399,290.0	60,989	460,879	460,879	907,426	907,426

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

* Provisional

Table 17.5 - Assessable income and income tax of resident companies including state corporations, non-resident companies, co-operative societies and state enterprises classified by principal source of income, 1994 - 1997

Principal source	1994			1995			1996			1997		
	No.	Income (Rs. '000)	Tax (Rs. '000)	No.	Income (Rs. '000)	Tax (Rs. '000)	No.	Income (Rs. '000)	Tax (Rs. '000)	No.	Income (Rs. '000)	Tax (Rs. '000)
1. Primary production	70	100,559	25,748	85	146,484	12,714	127	386,282	68,675	164	711,303	73,443
2. Mining & Quarrying	117	285,879	22,373	4	5,367		5	22,394	5,574	8	61,826	8,485
3. Manufacturing	1,380	6,518,181	2,814,966	1,183	7,331,643	1,793,381	1,521	8,258,016	2,320,142	1,632	9,635,803	2,831,832
4. Trade	802	1,965,308	738,274	1,051	2,629,072	918,750	1,433	3,794,281	975,577	1,679	3,986,270	1,111,787
5. Finance and Insurance	92	2,620,746	1,149,345	85	5,542,196	1,194,116	125	6,740,765	1,282,000	137	8,311,004	2,540,335
6. Construction	185	839,132	106,309	204	369,283	69,292	232	308,014	94,644	244	930,991	111,176
7. Transport	508	679,543	218,632	113	3,791,327	1,469,888	140	1,267,840	695,797	156	1,372,302	901,559
8. Services	919	5,328,394	549,557	1,512	2,914,814	627,933	1,995	9,582,527	1,631,324	2,104	3,874,556	1,047,942
9. Investment	48	338,719	15,077	722	3,931,171	717,539	1,108	7,852,921	604,545	1,129	7,337,149	801,852
10. Net capital gains	3,147	3,552,288	1,524,722	47	262,582	20,987	62	506,028	83,006	31	206,882	16,995
11. Other sources	7,268	22,228,749	7,165,003	796	3,432,025	760,407	121	1,156,802	44,471	4	1,26,34	63,731
Total	7,268	22,228,749	7,165,003	5,802	30,355,964	7,585,007	6,869	39,875,870	7,805,758	408	37,692,770	9,509,137
Additional assessment												
Grand total	7,268	22,228,749	7,165,003	5,802	30,355,964	7,585,007	6,869	39,875,870	7,805,758	408	37,692,770	9,509,137

Source - Department of Inland Revenue

Table 17.6 - Assessable income and income tax of resident individuals, non-resident individuals and bodies of persons classified by principal source of income, 1994 - 1997

Principal source	1994			1995			1996			1997		
	No.	Income (Rs. '000)	Tax (Rs. '000)	No.	Income (Rs. '000)	Tax (Rs. '000)	No.	Income (Rs. '000)	Tax (Rs. '000)	No.	Income (Rs. '000)	Tax (Rs. '000)
1. Primary production	7,116	439,418	43,553	6,080	404,276	38,577	6,313	601,387	64,260	6,749	877,803	83,934
2. Manufacturing	2,104	201,989	30,363	1,829	179,849	26,933	1,871	290,566	46,349	1,812	232,799	25,097
3. Trade	22,349	1,959,603	264,084	23,383	2,269,742	322,146	23,394	2,058,944	221,411	21,410	2,825,723	253,521
4. Finance and Insurance	65	7,468	1,286	26	3,230	497	33	5,410	1,003	68	18,910	7,399
5. Construction	4	906	223	6	844	200	1	12		1	18	
6. Transport	2,958	20,367	19,365	2,712	166,732	12,245	2,670	223,477	21,059	2,385	219,445	7,548
7. Services	8,545	727,512	96,630	8,040	753,629	95,920	8,273	878,606	101,056	9,134	1,282,425	99,459
8. Profession	4,882	767,229	146,720	4,680	790,871	158,172	4,573	951,620	184,253	5,143	1,449,667	189,751
9. Employment (f)	8,268	2,038,615	411,352	7,883	2,303,845	487,231	7,811	2,577,268	554,375	8,123	2,997,755	581,753
10. Investment	10,400	1,877,653	390,420	9,003	2,020,292	451,123	9,341	2,206,211	455,503	8,817	2,597,715	487,931
11. Net capital gains	337	210,627	30,119	217	200,184	31,257	209	199,208	31,226	158	186,346	27,527
12. Other sources	8,624	139,313	27,752	6,483	107,176	21,413	7,036	160,484	26,983	6,969	174,420	23,474
Total	75,652	8,391,400	1,461,867	70,342	9,200,670	1,645,714	71,525	10,153,193	1,707,478	70,769	12,863,026	1,787,394
Additional assessments (unclassified)												
Grand total	75,652	8,391,400	1,461,867	70,342	9,200,670	1,645,714	71,525	10,153,193	1,707,478	70,769	12,863,026	1,787,394

Source - Department of Inland Revenue

(1) Excludes P. A. Y. E.

Table 17.7 - Distribution of income liable to income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total number of persons	45,897	74,637	75,613	70,342	60,050	62,519
Additional assessment (1)	1,519	-	-	-	-	-
Number of persons assessed for the year	44,378	74,637	75,613	70,342	60,050	62,519
Exceeding(Rs.) Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	32	9,526	11,311	9,276	303	305
2,500 5,000	31	513	422	349	352	304
5,000 7,500	37	490	437	338	321	308
7,500 10,000	27	516	535	426	351	326
10,000 15,000	76	1,284	1,167	906	811	750
15,000 20,000	79	1,635	1,277	1,088	853	773
20,000 25,000	80	1,972	1,596	1,402	1,083	926
25,000 30,000	2,082	2,452	1,867	1,457	1,190	1,059
30,000 40,000	9,219	5,738	4,748	4,083	2,970	2,399
40,000 50,000	6,237	10,866	10,306	8,841	3,921	3,064
50,000 75,000	8,999	15,028	16,275	15,317	16,866	9,013
75,000 100,000	4,856	6,826	6,760	6,751	8,943	6,972
100,000 150,000	5,032	6,943	6,771	6,720	7,731	17,839
150,000 200,000	2,564	3,595	3,732	3,914	3,926	5,554
200,000 300,000	2,201	3,142	3,684	4,032	4,279	5,418
300,000 400,000	952	1,506	1,645	1,827	2,054	2,597
400,000 500,000	530	711	817	1,026	1,152	1,284
500,000 750,000	613	900	1,036	1,165	1,277	1,563
750,000 1,000,000	236	352	415	488	556	698
1,000,000 5,000,000	422	586	748	862	1,023	1,243
Over 5,000,000	73	56	64	74	88	126

Table 17.7 (Contd.) - Distribution of income liable to income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total income assessed (Rs. Thousand)	12,949,823	7,826,467	8,574,689	9,200,661	10,153,186	12,543,031
Additional assessment (1)	266,895	-	-	-	-	-
Income assessed for the year	12,682,928	7,826,467	8,574,689	9,200,661	10,153,186	12,543,031
Exceeding(Rs.) Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	44	579	544	112	404	399
2,500 5,000	109	1,936	1,599	1,277	1,323	1,160
5,000 7,500	232	3,081	2,740	2,112	2,027	1,915
7,500 10,000	233	4,566	4,715	3,736	3,082	2,877
10,000 15,000	970	16,174	14,699	11,450	10,217	9,497
15,000 20,000	1,408	28,942	22,581	19,248	15,055	13,674
20,000 25,000	1,811	44,902	36,143	31,804	24,506	20,946
25,000 30,000	60,022	68,107	51,715	40,355	33,065	29,377
30,000 40,000	319,058	202,098	169,331	145,155	105,229	84,781
40,000 50,000	279,881	496,233	472,630	405,554	177,647	138,607
50,000 75,000	548,439	910,908	984,835	924,075	1,085,075	567,856
75,000 100,000	419,697	591,138	584,290	581,554	769,236	603,727
100,000 150,000	614,550	849,864	829,800	825,046	942,444	2,122,559
150,000 200,000	442,362	618,932	646,018	676,875	680,225	957,675
200,000 300,000	532,271	758,056	890,450	976,863	1,044,842	1,318,906
300,000 400,000	328,515	518,641	568,773	627,094	707,714	894,411
400,000 500,000	236,402	316,860	364,149	457,346	514,126	572,433
500,000 750,000	371,086	548,326	627,980	704,400	775,302	945,400
750,000 1,000,000	203,780	302,212	357,262	421,666	482,234	599,534
1,000,000 5,000,000	787,746	1,061,083	1,395,729	1,564,016	1,920,656	2,303,397
Over 5,000,000	7,534,312	483,829	548,706	780,523	858,777	1,353,892

Source - Department of Inland Revenue

(1) Additional liability for all years prior to that for which tax is charged.

Table 17.8 - Distribution of income of resident individuals assessed for income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total number of persons	42,852	72,190	72,963	68,337	66,732	68,422
Additional assessment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number of persons assessed for the year	42,852	72,190	72,963	68,337	66,732	68,422
Exceeding(Rs.)						
Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	-	9,047	10,809	8,901	8,600	7,977
5,000	-	454	372	318	304	269
7,500	-	444	392	305	274	274
10,000	9	456	488	393	311	298
15,000	13	1,188	1,078	848	751	684
20,000	13	1,544	1,215	1,045	795	736
25,000	9	1,893	1,523	1,329	1,025	871
30,000	2,026	2,375	1,783	1,413	1,148	996
40,000	9,108	5,586	4,657	4,002	2,893	2,328
50,000	6,116	10,747	10,173	8,745	3,832	2,973
75,000	8,796	14,788	16,047	15,148	16,704	8,832
100,000	4,748	6,669	6,609	6,625	8,825	6,833
150,000	4,889	6,755	6,572	6,530	7,585	17,615
200,000	2,503	3,496	3,593	3,803	3,812	5,427
300,000	2,085	3,001	3,356	3,896	4,144	5,254
400,000	897	1,406	1,554	1,736	1,975	2,505
500,000	504	659	765	975	1,093	1,239
750,000	560	844	957	1,094	1,192	1,474
1,000,000	193	318	369	444	511	649
Over 5,000,000	337	473	609	731	898	1,091
	59	47	42	56	60	97

Table 17.8 (Contd.) - Distribution of income of resident individuals assessed for income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total income assessed (Rs. Thousand)	11,707,229	7,282,874	7,811,686	9,042,646	9,389,724	11,511,907
Additional assessment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Income assessed for the year	11,707,229	7,282,874	7,811,686	9,042,646	9,389,724	11,511,907
Exceeding(Rs.)						
Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	-	502	457	450	309	348
5,000	-	1,717	1,416	1,669	1,149	1,032
7,500	-	2,794	2,458	1,907	1,731	1,703
10,000	-	4,041	4,309	3,446	2,730	2,633
15,000	121	14,981	13,599	10,730	9,472	8,671
20,000	229	27,338	21,495	18,480	14,041	13,027
25,000	204	43,145	34,502	30,156	23,201	19,696
30,000	58,495	65,982	49,388	39,143	31,895	27,620
40,000	315,167	196,792	164,758	142,338	102,542	82,321
50,000	274,443	490,903	466,754	901,254	173,700	134,497
75,000	535,875	896,042	970,763	913,541	1,074,969	556,584
100,000	410,465	577,588	571,149	570,611	758,920	591,477
150,000	596,839	826,144	805,330	801,536	924,615	2,095,179
200,000	431,917	602,009	621,957	657,542	660,083	935,652
300,000	503,551	723,216	853,772	943,833	1,012,207	1,278,782
400,000	309,813	483,604	536,990	595,647	680,312	882,665
500,000	224,615	293,814	340,857	434,643	487,703	552,034
750,000	339,320	513,698	580,521	660,761	723,983	891,160
1,000,000	166,372	272,231	316,762	384,261	442,735	558,942
Over 5,000,000	607,740	834,128	1,107,872	1,288,075	1,652,578	1,956,781
	6,932,063	412,205	346,577	642,621	610,849	941,092

Source - Department of Inland Revenue

Table 17.9 - Distribution of income of non-resident individuals assessed for income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total number of persons	1,034	1,555	1,558	1,267	1,166	1,197
Additional assessment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number of persons assessed for the year	1,034	1,555	1,558	1,267	1,166	1,197
Exceeding(Rs.)						
Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	25	190	245	180	152	127
2,500	25	52	42	27	35	25
5,000	33	36	36	23	37	23
7,500	19	50	33	22	26	20
10,000	59	71	73	45	45	53
15,000	58	71	51	35	42	26
20,000	64	67	54	58	45	40
25,000	45	62	60	39	29	47
30,000	85	117	86	60	61	55
40,000	95	91	92	72	65	73
50,000	141	174	169	125	116	137
75,000	69	125	110	94	81	97
100,000	92	136	139	136	108	136
150,000	41	63	97	73	70	77
200,000	67	87	83	86	82	89
300,000	34	60	55	56	45	51
400,000	12	28	28	30	29	18
500,000	27	17	31	32	29	39
750,000	15	14	15	24	26	16
1,000,000	25	42	54	49	41	46
Over 5,000,000	3	2	5	1	2	2

Table 17.9 (Contd.) - Distribution of income of non-resident individuals assessed for income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total income assessed (Rs. Thousand)		528,199	226,795	295,636	243,024	234,423	251,928
Additional assessment		-	-	-	-	-	-
Income assessed for the year		528,199	226,795	295,636	243,024	234,423	251,928
Exceeding(Rs.)	Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	2,500	32	59	57	45	66	38
2,500	5,000	88	193	155	93	125	89
5,000	7,500	210	225	228	141	230	141
7,500	10,000	164	435	287	192	232	174
10,000	15,000	747	886	908	568	565	674
15,000	20,000	1,039	1,254	894	625	741	456
20,000	25,000	1,449	1,482	1,214	1,310	1,004	913
25,000	30,000	1,232	1,710	1,669	1,075	811	1,325
30,000	40,000	2,993	4,097	2,997	2,095	2,140	1,908
40,000	50,000	4,263	4,067	4,054	3,215	2,887	3,296
50,000	75,000	8,801	10,782	10,457	7,753	7,204	8,576
75,000	100,000	5,868	10,750	9,621	8,118	7,097	8,595
100,000	150,000	11,400	17,282	17,060	16,938	13,090	16,614
150,000	200,000	7,044	10,750	16,840	12,770	12,440	13,197
200,000	300,000	16,300	21,534	20,350	20,799	19,837	21,892
300,000	400,000	11,586	20,984	19,301	19,230	15,575	17,837
400,000	500,000	5,399	12,247	12,382	13,286	12,902	7,971
500,000	750,000	16,575	10,727	18,495	19,029	17,274	23,692
750,000	1,000,000	13,097	12,120	13,707	19,810	22,462	13,920
1,000,000	5,000,000	45,410	73,542	103,819	90,546	84,013	98,723
Over 5,000,000		374,502	11,669	41,141	5,386	13,728	118,887

Source - Department of Inland Revenue

Table 17.10 - Distribution of resident companies including state corporations, co-operative societies and state enterprises assessed for income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total number of companies	5,117	6,893	7,210	5,802	6,869	7,408
Additional assessment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number of companies assessed for the year	5,117	6,893	7,210	5,802	6,869	7,408
Exceeding(Rs.) Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	2,713	4,593	4,173	3,655	4,357	4,776
5,000	32	39	48	20	25	27
7,500	32	30	34	25	26	23
10,000	49	35	35	15	30	29
15,000	83	62	94	55	67	60
20,000	71	66	59	43	36	46
25,000	47	53	61	34	62	46
30,000	56	58	54	26	37	51
40,000	86	71	116	59	87	100
50,000	73	77	85	55	56	74
75,000	180	165	191	101	137	138
100,000	132	105	142	100	102	90
150,000	185	173	197	173	182	178
200,000	130	105	149	94	123	137
300,000	207	197	262	162	195	177
400,000	107	98	120	98	132	111
500,000	89	76	122	81	87	94
750,000	143	157	186	139	152	189
1,000,000	75	85	125	82	104	114
Over 5,000,000	365	361	562	433	488	502
	262	287	395	352	384	423

Table 17.10 (Contd.) - Distribution of resident companies including corporations, co-operative societies and state enterprises assessed for income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total income assessed (Rs. Thousand)	16,881,730	17,644,532	21,062,366	23,771,428	23,121,221	28,537,198
Additional assessment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Income assessed for the year	16,881,730	17,644,532	21,062,366	23,771,428	23,121,221	28,537,188
Exceeding(Rs.) Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	38	50	43	26	31	29
5,000	119	146	173	78	90	104
7,500	199	185	212	152	166	147
10,000	428	301	315	132	260	248
15,000	1,024	773	1,171	676	840	758
20,000	1,237	1,142	908	745	638	811
25,000	1,069	1,198	1,362	787	1,381	1,025
30,000	1,549	1,620	1,487	721	1,007	1,393
40,000	3,031	2,484	4,041	2,062	3,052	3,522
50,000	3,316	3,467	3,832	2,455	2,529	3,294
75,000	11,088	10,308	11,759	6,310	8,608	8,385
100,000	11,465	9,148	12,519	8,763	8,824	7,936
150,000	22,604	21,445	24,255	21,489	22,575	22,070
200,000	22,830	18,266	25,780	16,314	21,402	24,033
300,000	50,827	48,145	83,961	39,421	48,249	43,651
400,000	37,054	34,336	41,110	34,414	46,003	38,370
500,000	39,795	34,183	54,925	36,254	38,653	41,834
750,000	88,067	98,402	115,455	85,248	91,849	117,686
1,000,000	64,678	74,168	109,318	71,390	92,524	99,483
Over 5,000,000	829,408	802,482	1,290,262	993,588	1,109,318	1,139,041
	15,691,904	16,482,283	19,279,478	22,450,403	21,623,222	26,983,368

Table 17.11 - Distribution of income of non-resident companies assessed for income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total number of companies	81	182	66	38	32	11
Additional assessments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number of companies assessed for the year	81	182	66	38	32	11
Exceeding(Rs.) Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	5	123	17	21	20	-
2,500 5,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
5,000 7,500	1	1	-	-	-	-
7,500 10,000	-	-	1	-	-	-
10,000 15,000	1	1	1	-	-	-
15,000 20,000	3	-	-	-	-	-
20,000 25,000	2	1	-	-	-	-
25,000 30,000	2	-	1	-	-	-
30,000 40,000	1	1	-	-	-	-
40,000 50,000	2	-	1	-	-	-
50,000 75,000	2	1	1	-	-	-
75,000 100,000	-	1	2	-	-	-
100,000 150,000	4	2	3	-	-	-
150,000 200,000	1	3	2	-	-	1
200,000 300,000	2	1	1	-	-	-
300,000 400,000	4	-	2	-	-	-
400,000 500,000	2	3	1	-	-	-
500,000 750,000	2	3	3	1	1	-
750,000 1,000,000	6	3	3	-	-	-
1,000,000 5,000,000	18	10	13	2	3	1
Over 5,000,000	23	28	14	14	8	9

Table 17.11 (Contd.) - Distribution of income of non-resident companies assessed for income tax, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total income assessed (Rs. Thousand)	879,268	1,193,837	1,186,462	711,416	469,179	571,346
Additional assessments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Income assessed for the year	879,268	1,193,837	1,186,462	711,416	469,179	571,346
Exceeding(Rs.) Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	-	-	-	-	-	-
2,500 5,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
5,000 7,500	6	6	-	-	-	-
7,500 10,000	-	-	9	-	-	-
10,000 15,000	15	12	14	-	-	-
15,000 20,000	51	-	-	-	-	-
20,000 25,000	42	22	-	-	-	-
25,000 30,000	52	-	28	-	-	-
30,000 40,000	34	40	-	-	-	-
40,000 50,000	89	-	45	-	-	-
50,000 75,000	126	52	50	-	-	-
75,000 100,000	-	80	175	-	-	-
100,000 150,000	462	211	384	-	-	-
150,000 200,000	179	512	359	-	-	197
200,000 300,000	442	265	288	-	-	-
300,000 400,000	1,396	-	759	-	-	-
400,000 500,000	949	1,387	464	-	-	-
500,000 750,000	1,163	1,883	1,990	527	723	-
750,000 1,000,000	5,305	2,574	2,543	-	-	-
1,000,000 5,000,000	39,701	22,823	28,254	7,615	6,736	3,927
Over 5,000,000	829,256	1,163,970	1,151,100	703,274	461,720	567,222

Source - Department of Inland Revenue

Table 17.12 - Distribution of miscellaneous income assessed for income tax of bodies of persons classified according to income groups, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total number of income	492	892	951	738	807	951
Additional assessments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Income assessed for the year	492	892	951	738	807	951
Exceeding(Rs.)						
Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	7	289	257	195	206	252
2,500	6	7	8	4	13	10
5,000	4	10	9	10	10	11
5,000	8	10	14	11	14	8
7,500	8	25	16	13	15	13
7,500	8	20	11	8	16	11
10,000	7	12	19	15	13	15
10,000	11	15	24	5	13	16
15,000	26	35	44	21	16	16
15,000	26	28	41	24	24	18
20,000	62	66	59	44	46	44
20,000	39	32	41	32	37	42
25,000	51	52	60	54	38	88
25,000	20	36	42	38	44	50
30,000	49	54	65	50	53	75
30,000	21	40	36	35	34	41
40,000	14	24	24	21	30	27
40,000	26	39	48	39	56	50
50,000	28	20	31	20	19	31
50,000	60	71	85	82	84	106
750,000	11	7	17	17	26	27
1,000,000						
Over 5,000,000						

Table 17.12 (Contd.) - Distribution of miscellaneous income assessed for income tax of bodies of persons classified according to income groups, 1992 - 1997

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total income assessed (Rs. Thousand)	666,304	856,793	467,389	415,525	529,018	779,184
Additional assessments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Income assessed for the year	666,304	856,793	467,389	415,525	529,018	779,184
Exceeding(Rs.)						
Not exceeding(Rs.)						
2,500	12	18	31	16	29	11
2,500	21	26	28	15	48	37
5,000	22	62	53	64	65	70
5,000	69	90	118	96	119	69
7,500	102	306	191	153	178	151
7,500	141	349	193	144	272	190
10,000	158	275	427	339	300	335
10,000	295	415	659	137	358	430
15,000	897	1,209	1,576	723	546	551
15,000	1,176	1,263	1,822	1,083	1,059	812
20,000	3,762	4,083	3,616	2,781	2,901	2,695
20,000	3,365	2,800	3,520	2,825	3,218	3,654
25,000	6,311	6,437	7,410	6,572	4,738	10,765
25,000	3,401	6,173	7,222	6,593	7,702	8,825
30,000	12,421	13,306	16,329	12,231	12,797	18,231
30,000	7,117	14,052	12,481	12,217	11,826	13,907
40,000	6,388	10,799	10,930	9,417	13,520	12,428
40,000	15,191	23,902	28,964	24,610	34,044	30,547
50,000	243,112	17,861	26,794	17,595	17,035	26,672
50,000	134,596	153,413	184,037	185,395	184,064	247,892
750,000	227,747	599,954	160,988	132,516	234,199	400,912
1,000,000						
Over 5,000,000						

CHAPTER XV111 - BANKING, INSURANCE, ETC.

Table 18.1 - Liabilities of commercial banks(1) , 1993 - 1998

Item	Rs. Mn.					
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998*
Paid up capital, reserve funds and undistributed profits	21,850.9	28,278.4	33,459.8	39,238.0	44,368.0	50,220.0
Demand deposits						
Inter Bank	519.1	417.0	288.0	954.0	739.0	627.0
Sri Lanka Government	5,771.2	8,373.7	8,231.7	10,869.0	9,847.0	10,397.0
Resident Constituents	27,169.2	31,414.5	32,970.4	35,516.0	40,108.0	44,470.0
Non - resident Constituents	1,132.4	1,502.4	1,085.5	1,529.0	2,011.0	1,736.0
Time and Savings Deposits						
Sri Lanka Government	533.0	916.3	1,251.5	2,033.0	3,881.0	1,249.0
Resident Constituents	100,780.3	121,210.3	153,319.2	174,998.0	202,406.0	219,906.0
Non - resident Constituents	23,431.9	26,755.1	31,085.3	36,009.0	43,255.0	61,074.0
Borrowings						
Domestic **	9,156.8	10,591.2	14,259.5	26,208.0	24,171.0	28,413.0
Foreign	2,084.3	2,101.0	2,783.7	1,987.0	3,238.0	3,626.0
Other Liabilities	51,475.3	49,506.7	56,779.0	60,457.0	68,767.0	79,964.0

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(1) As at 31st December.

* Provisional

** Includes Central Bank.

Table 18.2 - Assets of commercial banks(1) , 1993 - 1998

Item	Rs. Mn.					
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998*
Cash in hand	3,815.5	4,174.5	4,486.0	6,915.0	7,455.0	8,320.0
Balance with Central Bank	20,057.6	23,782.8	30,962.8	34,273.0	29,045.0	31,348.0
Balance with other local banks	2,780.0	3,959.4	6,049.1	7,054.0	6,519.0	11,803.0
Cash items in process of collection	4,024.3	5,452.5	8,310.7	7,864.0	7,538.0	8,202.0
Foreign currency in hand and balance with banks abroad	17,217.2	24,235.6	21,834.5	22,246.0	41,631.0	52,227.0
Investments **						
Ceylon treasury bills	14,273.8	15,142.7	11,551.8	15,530.0	20,490.0	13,552.0
Government securities and other investments	5,175.5	10,860.8	7,714.8	11,422.0	14,917.0	18,662.0
Loans and advances						
Local	231.6	234.3	217.7	138.0	77.0	11.0
Foreign inward	5,290.9	5,427.8	8,970.1	12,386.0	13,459.0	21,146.0
Foreign outward	5,017.8	5,111.3	5,610.7	6,205.0	6,965.0	6,815.0
Overdrafts and loans	125,181.6	143,220.8	186,992.3	202,422.0	230,188.0	263,776.0
Fixed and other assets	51,378.7	50,237.5	57,611.3	82,070.0	85,007.0	93,793.0

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(1) As at 31st December.

* Provisional

** Consists of Sri Lanka government securities , Central Bank issues and DFCC bonds.

Table 18.3 - Reserve position of commercial banks, 1987 - 1998

End of period	Demand deposits (i)	Reserves required against demand deposits (ii)	Time and savings deposits (iii)	Reserve required against time and savings deposits (iv)	Actual reserves				Excess reserves (ix)=(viii)-(v)	Balance till cash (x)
					Total required reserves (v)=(ii)+(iv)	Deposits with Central Bank (vi)	Till cash set apart as reserves (vii)	Total (viii)		
					(v)	(vi)	(vii)	(viii)		
1987	12,397.1	1,239.7	33,546.0	3,354.6	4,594.3	4,046.9	-	4,046.9	-547.4	1,565.2
1988	15,023.3	2,253.5	36,526.6	5,479.0	7,732.5	5,033.5	-	5,033.5	-2,699.0	1,875.9
1989	17,738.3	2,660.7	39,723.6	5,958.5	8,619.2	5,596.6	-	5,596.6	-3,022.6	1,470.5
1990	24,463.7	3,669.6	49,337.0	7,400.6	11,070.2	7,457.5	-	7,457.5	-3,612.7	1,769.5
1991	27,332.8	3,553.3	67,170.4	8,732.2	12,285.5	12,426.2	-	12,426.2	140.7	2,660.8
1992	29,890.0	3,885.7	78,933.9	10,261.4	16,384.0	14,325.7	1,082.4	15,408.1	126.1	2,122.7
1993	32,786.2	4,917.9	97,646.3	14,646.9	22,889.0	20,466.2	947.6	21,413.8	1,849.0	2,867.9
1994	38,086.8	5,713.0	119,469.6	17,920.4	26,405.0	24,832.1	1,780.0	26,612.1	2,978.7	2,394.5
1995	38,952.0	5,843.0	151,454.0	22,718.0	31,900.0	31,853.0	1,320.0	33,173.0	1,273.0	3,166.0
1996	41,956.0	6,294.0	179,485.0	26,923.0	36,879.0	35,907.0	1,557.0	37,464.0	585.0	5,363.0
1997	46,577.0	5,589.0	210,654.0	25,278.0	33,321.0	30,537.0	2,721.0	33,258.0	-63.0	4,734.0
1998*	54,126.0	6,495.0	222,511.0	26,701.0	37,069.0	32,748.0	2,876.0	35,294.0	1,775.0	5,444.0

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

* Provisional

Table 18.6 - Money rates of interest, 1989 - 1998

End of period	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998*
Government Treasury bills (1)	15.0	16.0	16.0	17.2	18.6	17.4	17.3	17.3	10.0	12.6
Central Bank rate on advances (2)	14.0	15.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0
Commercial Banks' deposit rates (2)										
Fixed deposits - 12 months										
Max.	20.5	21.0	20.0	20.0	17.5	17.0	17.0	17.3	15.3	13.0
Min.	11.0	11.0	10.0	13.5	13.5	10.0	10.0	12.0	8.5	9.0
Savings deposits										
Max.	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	15.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	11.0	10.0
Min.	5.0	5.0	6.5	6.5	6.0	5.5	5.0	4.5	3.0	2.0
Commercial Banks' advances rates (2)										
Inter Bank call loans										
Max.	25.0	19.0	27.0	32.0	28.0	28.0	102.0	31.0	20.0	16.5
Min.	13.0	14.0	13.0	10.0	16.5	14.0	16.0	13.0	9.0	11.5
Bills purchased and discounted										
Max.	25.0	25.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0
Min.	7.0	10.0	10.0	14.5	14.5	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
Loans and overdrafts secured by										
Government securities										
Max.	25.0	25.0	28.0	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.5	26.5	28.0	28.0
Min.	9.8	9.8	11.8	11.8	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	14.0	14.0
Shares of joint stock companies										
Max.	30.0	28.0	29.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	27.0	27.0	29.0	33.0
Min.	15.0	17.0	17.0	19.5	17.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.0	7.5
Stock in trade										
Max.	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	28.0	33.0
Min.	9.8	9.8	10.0	10.0	16.5	15.0	17.0	15.0	14.0	7.7
Immovable property										
Max.	28.0	28.0	30.0	28.0	28.0	27.0	28.0	28.0	29.0	33.0
Min.	9.8	9.0	9.0	9.0	16.5	17.0	17.0	15.0	14.0	7.5
Others										
Max.	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	32.0	30.0	35.0	30.0	28.0	30.0
Min.	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	13.0	10.5	13.0	13.0	11.0	8.8
Loans and overdrafts unsecured										
Max.	33.0	35.0	33.0	32.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	34.0
Min.	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	16.5	15.0	16.2	16.0	10.0*	6.0

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(1) Weighted average of bills issued.

(2) Rates ruling on the last Friday of each month. These rates relate only to the larger Commercial Banks in Sri Lanka. Local Banks do not generally pay interest on current account deposits.

* Provisional

Table 18.7 - Bank clearings, 1992 - 1998

Month	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
January	74,206.7	71,559.0	93,954.5	127,814.5	139,960.1	207,068.0	160,120.5
February	58,484.0	66,067.1	102,345.4	103,327.8	125,835.4	161,223.0	156,120.1
March	69,697.9	83,324.9	126,186.3	128,084.4	133,270.7	146,823.7	173,550.1
April	59,707.6	70,996.3	109,618.1	100,418.9	126,330.5	138,344.3	152,142.6
May	59,279.5	72,699.0	103,630.3	115,410.5	124,860.9	141,937.4	148,601.7
June	59,752.1	74,906.4	104,536.8	110,988.3	115,222.0	129,012.4	163,750.5
July	69,518.8	81,689.2	108,641.8	121,291.0	129,400.0	150,450.7	162,574.2
August	61,896.6	73,409.7	106,806.4	127,462.4	133,264.1	143,262.0	154,077.9
September	59,869.7	84,156.7	95,789.3	115,347.0	132,059.3	147,874.7	163,180.9
October	64,815.2	84,896.9	103,478.4	125,706.7	155,177.1	155,478.1	170,104.8
November	63,777.9	94,012.0	101,748.4	132,864.9	147,371.5	140,989.0	166,151.5
December	70,909.5	92,114.0	108,947.6	120,579.4	146,696.3	164,303.0	189,596.1

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Table 18.8 - Purchases and sales of foreign exchange by the central bank, 1982 - 1998

Rs. Mn.		
Year	Total sales of exchange	Total purchases of exchange
1982	16,552.2	15,641.7
1983	19,074.2	19,182.4
1984	10,235.3	17,677.9
1985	14,572.7	14,048.4
1986	10,731.9	10,820.1
1987	13,467.5	15,925.6
1988	18,132.2	22,939.3
1989	12,631.5	18,846.5
1990	9,044.2	18,863.4
1991	12,023.7	24,231.8
1992	3,425.2	20,478.0
1993	914.6	31,332.4
1994	615.0	31,451.6
1995	438.5	19,187.2
1996	10,880.0	5,222.0
1997	9,173.0	8,146.0
1998*	13,697.0	3,487.0

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

* Provisional

Table 18.9 - Savings deposits and savings certificates, 1981 - 1998

Rs. Mn.						
Year	Savings deposits				Savings certificates	Total
	National Savings Bank		Commercial Banks			
	Savings deposits	Fixed deposits	Savings deposits	Fixed deposits		
1981	2,250.9	3,146.3	3,202.8	11,689.6	27.6	20,331.7
1982	2,494.2	5,137.2	5,087.7	15,195.7	22.1	27,956.8
1983	2,887.1	6,546.5	7,038.6	17,821.0	11.6	34,331.9
1984	3,216.9	8,322.6	8,984.8	20,606.5	9.7	41,173.8
1985	3,701.4	9,479.9	11,155.2	22,838.0	8.1	47,221.8
1986	4,326.5	9,827.9	12,211.3	22,854.7	6.3	49,267.6
1987	5,172.3	11,181.1	14,504.4	25,377.3	4.2	56,283.2
1988	6,381.2	11,634.1	17,791.0	25,387.5	3.1	61,423.5
1989	7,789.9	11,969.9	22,513.4	27,740.9	3.0	70,064.6
1990	9,527.3	13,529.0	27,311.9	36,351.6	2.9	86,767.3
1991	11,637.4	16,130.0	33,509.2	47,771.0	2.9	109,094.9
1992	12,223.9	20,605.3	43,601.5	57,897.1	2.8	134,375.3
1993	16,371.1	25,736.1	58,397.3	69,521.6	2.8	170,076.0
1994	19,966.6	33,311.5	73,357.0	79,243.9	2.7	205,927.2
1995	20,941.7	36,726.0	87,227.0	102,751.1	2.5	247,733.7
1996	24,537.0	42,201.0	102,315.0	115,502.0	2.3	284,653.0
1997	28,311.0	48,350.0	128,582.0	126,240.0	3.0	332,284.0
1998*	32,880.0	50,383.0	157,325.0	130,504.0	3.0	372,108.0

Source - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

* Provisional

Table 18.10 - New insurance life policies issued, 1991 - 1995

Description of assurance	Number of policies					Sums assured (Rs. Thousand)					Annual premium (Rs. Thousand)				
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Endowment	1,388	1,705	1,481	4,110	8,721	123,439	150,499	110,872	303,395	669,392	7,589	9,725	6,625	18,687	43,236
Childrens deferred endowment	60	25	5	4	2	3,081	1,756	320	140	65	157	83	19	10	4
Convertible life	33	4	5	4	4	4,250	410	1,800	300	500	79	10	29	7	10
Three stage endowment	16,043	19,598	26,391	41,619	67,408	987,054	1,092,458	1,413,885	2,790,402	4,563,968	79,149	85,424	109,666	222,416	374,709
Joint life endowment	396	633	575	946	2,483	40,755	60,303	55,643	101,120	259,400	3,014	4,515	4,175	7,887	20,204
Multi-purpose	6	11	7	10	-	155	1,665	385	410	-	12	134	31	31,496	-
Limited payment whole life	1	1	1	4	9	40	25	40	375	450	2	1	2	12	27
Whole life	2	2	3	5	3	550	200	120	390	750	14	18	9	24	20
Marriage endowment	90	99	53	114	342	5,329	4,014	4,670	4,802	16,000	464	284	266	317	1,052
Educational annuity	7	13	2	2	-	368	1,175	40	75	-	19	77	4	4	-
Double endowment	-	2	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Pure endowment	6	1	-	2	-	800	40	-	700	-	116	1	-	24	-
Annuities	25	4	1	3	28	62	22	1	5	3,858	320	11	6	40	195
Term assurance and pension policies	17	10	256	16	31	4,350	3,975	69,731	2,342	6,105	72	45	1,194	28	48
Podu jana rakshana scheme	-	-	-	285	238	-	-	-	12,178	11,531	-	-	-	590	540
Tribble benefit policies	34,081	32,503	32,838	21,735	22,478	1,305,964	1,138,963	1,111,527	739,338	676,207	71,049	61,889	60,376	42,293	38,028
Temporary assurance	200	241	62	-	-	46,513	51,642	8,820	-	-	128	133	186	-	-
Janaseetha rakshana	1,942	1,760	1,293	2,881	3,593	138,989	132,736	105,222	240,172	336,510	12,882	11,976	9,288	20,656	30,017
Janadeku rakshana	1,253	6,904	3,574	3,457	3,263	12,740	69,835	35,740	34,570	32,660	1,315	7,266	3,752	3,609	3,400
Street Artist Policy	-	-	-	47	-	-	-	-	470	-	-	-	-	204	-
Mortgage Protection	-	-	-	225	220	-	-	-	74,412	90,427	-	-	-	1,759	1,714
Piya Sarana rakshana	-	-	-	176	80	-	-	-	2,070	945	-	-	-	391	177
Lama rakshana	-	2,515	5,225	11,036	25,288	-	128,675	263,435	565,990	1,251,139	-	10,021	19,500	42,127	92,583
Total	55,550	66,031	71,772	86,681	134,191	2,674,439	1,848,442	3,182,251	4,873,656	7,919,907	176,379	191,618	211,128	392,581	605,965

Source - Insurance Corporation of Sri Lanka

Table 18.11 - Policies discontinued reinstated, 1991 - 1995

Description of assurance	Number of policies					Sums assured (Rs. Thousand)					Annual premium (Rs. Thousand)				
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Number of policies															
1. Discontinuances															
Lapses	43,947	50,572	59,806	64,225	71,928	1,635,247	1,904,916	2,193,432	2,612,049	3,434,711	99,009	117,669	138,616	797,963	243,203
Alterations	4,212	4,631	6,062	9,224	6,399	158,605	410,615	558,796	340,928	403,233	10,765	14,695	37,885	24,366	31,059
Not taken up	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	400	-	-	-	-	19
Cancelled	-	3	-	-	-	-	175	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-
Death claims	1,504	1,399	1,194	1,015	1,747	37,465	33,015	31,639	26,262	57,870	2,414	1,956	1,827	1,602	3,657
Surrenders	2,909	2,899	2,855	2,387	2,396	35,841	47,110	54,907	51,511	74,682	1,666	2,026	2,955	2,259	3,310
Revivals	7,771	7,212	8,251	9,142	8,961	66,640	112,903	90,016	115,862	122,755	123	28	239	314	735
Maturities	9,347	9,445	9,918	10,575	10,705	76,764	85,627	96,927	131,590	146,311	4,249	4,895	5,705	8,599	8,972
Fully paid up	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deletions and other corrections	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cash option errors	69,692	76,151	88,086	96,568	102,138	2,010,562	2,594,361	3,025,617	3,278,202	4,239,962	118,226	141,283	187,227	835,103	290,955
2. Reinstated															
Alterations	4,212	4,631	6,062	9,223	15,380	162,556	295,297	554,159	554,049	670,417	9,819	16,673	37,246	36,120	44,935
Revivals	12,784	11,415	12,738	13,598	6,398	555,515	413,475	474,350	340,207	386,540	23,771	25,075	30,027	23,034	28,544
Paid up	14,182	14,573	18,534	17,154	16,602	122,830	182,824	199,977	221,390	237,990	66	248	581	1,381	2,090
Fully paid up	31,178	30,619	37,334	39,975	38,860	840,902	891,597	1,228,486	1,115,646	1,294,947	33,657	41,996	67,854	60,535	75,569
3. Net discontinuances	38,514	46,032	50,752	56,593	63,758	1,169,660	1,702,764	1,797,130	2,162,556	2,945,015	84,569	99,287	119,374	774,568	215,386

Source - Insurance Corporation of Sri Lanka

Note : Net discontinuances may not tally due to rounding of figures.

Table 18.12 - Additions and deductions from policies, 1991 - 1995

Description of assurance	Number of policies					Sums assured (Rs. Thousand)					Annual premium (Rs. Thousand)				
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Brought forward from previous year	315,592	332,628	353,127	374,147	404,235	8,388,653	9,894,432	11,030,110	1,241,523	15,126,336	477,595	569,405	661,735	1,383,490	970,039
New business	55,550	66,031	71,772	86,881	134,191	2,674,439	2,838,442	3,182,251	4,893,661	7,919,808	176,379	191,618	215,129	361,118	605,966
Revivals	12,784	11,415	12,738	13,598	15,380	555,515	413,475	474,350	554,049	670,417	23,771	25,075	30,027	36,120	44,935
Alterations	4,212	4,631	6,062	9,223	6,388	162,556	295,287	554,159	340,207	386,540	9,819	16,673	37,246	23,034	28,544
Paid up	14,182	14,573	18,534	17,154	18,602	122,830	182,824	199,977	221,390	237,790	66	248	581	1,380	2,090
Total on movements	402,320	429,278	462,233	500,803	576,906	11,904,993	13,624,470	15,440,847	7,250,830	24,340,991	687,630	803,019	944,718	1,805,142	1,651,574
Total	86,728	96,650	109,106	126,656	172,571	3,515,340	3,730,038	4,410,737	6,009,307	9,214,655	210,035	233,614	282,993	421,652	681,535
Exits (offs)															
Lapses	43,947	50,572	59,806	64,225	71,928	1,635,247	1,904,916	2,193,432	2,612,050	3,434,711	99,009	117,669	138,616	787,983	243,203
Alterations	4,212	4,631	6,062	9,224	6,399	159,605	410,615	558,786	340,928	403,233	10,765	14,695	37,885	24,366	31,059
Policies not taken up for the year	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	400	-	-	-	-	19
Policies cancelled off for the year	-	3	-	-	-	-	175	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-
Death claims	1,504	1,389	1,194	1,015	1,747	37,465	33,015	31,639	26,262	57,870	2,414	1,956	1,827	1,602	3,657
Matritees for the year	9,349	9,445	9,918	10,575	10,705	76,764	85,627	96,927	131,589	146,311	4,249	4,895	5,705	6,599	8,972
Surrenders	2,909	2,899	2,855	2,387	2,396	35,841	47,110	54,807	51,512	74,662	1,666	2,026	2,965	2,258	3,310
Revivals	7,771	7,212	8,251	9,142	8,961	66,640	112,903	90,015	115,862	122,755	123	28	239	314	735
Total off movements	69,692	76,151	83,086	96,568	102,138	2,010,562	2,594,361	3,025,616	3,278,203	4,239,961	118,226	141,283	187,227	835,102	290,955
Existing as at 31 st December	332,628	353,127	374,147	404,235	474,668	9,894,431	11,030,109	12,415,231	3,972,627	20,101,030	569,404	661,736	757,491	970,040	1,380,620

Note : Total number may not tally due to rounding off.

Source - Insurance Corporation of Sri Lanka

Table 18.13 - Policies existing, 1991 - 1995

Description of assurance	Number of policies					Sums assured (Rs. Thousand)					Annual premium (Rs. Thousand)				
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Endowment assurances	66,763	60,582	53,362	51,151	51,931	1,394,977	1,428,853	1,378,351	1,526,907	1,922,346	79,486	80,998	77,965	87,667	114,661
Children's deferred endowment	911	843	486	414	570	24,432	23,967	14,976	13,432	17,350	927	907	606	555	686
Convertible life	424	369	281	253	274	13,633	9,771	9,552	9,038	9,447	338	247	227	212	227
Three stage endowment	40,159	50,210	61,664	84,915	125,380	2,460,538	3,097,206	3,841,829	5,700,062	8,655,239	196,989	245,137	304,003	453,060	698,785
Joint life endowment	4,174	4,219	4,128	4,275	5,949	210,805	250,565	276,795	340,533	534,952	13,669	16,342	18,569	23,722	39,645
Multi-purpose	526	452	398	341	276	12,989	13,331	12,902	11,460	10,106	822	871	854	776	693
Limited payment whole life	202	192	169	165	164	28,288	26,776	23,830	23,890	21,970	1,553	1,469	1,311	1,306	1,182
Whole life	205	187	167	161	140	17,535	16,425	12,091	13,525	11,702	745	709	478	594	446
Marriage endowment	284	305	288	325	572	14,150	14,762	16,795	15,470	27,072	1,696	1,455	1,515	11,307	1,888
Educational annuity	57	58	47	43	37	1,860	2,832	2,392	2,330	2,156	111	178	150	144	135
Double endowment	15	13	12	10	9	305	260	250	235	220	24	19	18	17	16
Pure endowment	56	49	36	32	25	6,482	5,340	4,630	4,540	3,548	643	542	447	398	317
Policies converted to paid-up	74,990	75,675	78,998	79,805	79,886	357,817	390,320	458,902	506,012	551,566	-	-	-	-	-
C.D.A. after conversion	334	316	565	520	268	5,942	6,630	13,454	12,755	6,746	270	304	539	504	292
C.W.L. after conversion	688	633	610	516	417	14,389	12,932	13,298	11,220	9,252	734	648	642	534	453
Annuities	113	99	67	303	741	1,549	1,768	964	8,500	57,347	2,632	2,351	1,483	818	2,429
Temporary assurances	1,756	1,896	489	-	-	210,429	251,797	46,156	-	-	6,285	8,183	1,977	-	-
Tribble benefit endowment	136,547	143,148	150,458	145,474	149,025	4,848,207	4,929,142	5,166,588	4,994,401	5,048,128	237,672	252,616	267,464	261,404	265,936
Janasetha rakshana	3,158	4,065	4,515	6,625	8,835	250,193	336,555	393,316	585,814	815,510	23,298	31,059	35,965	52,143	72,989
Term assurances	23	30	1,883	50	70	7,175	10,650	286,863	15,563	20,814	196	202	7,461	7,461	432
Pension policies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Janadaru rakshana	1,253	7,302	8,923	10,348	11,985	12,740	73,020	89,311	103,480	119,850	1,315	7,632	9,279	10,732	12,431
Lama rakshana	-	2,484	6,808	15,682	35,424	-	127,310	351,982	823,442	1,812,342	-	9,866	26,537	61,841	135,989
Mortgage production	-	-	-	2,008	1,642	-	-	-	376,391	404,714	-	-	-	10,429	9,450
Street artists policy	-	-	-	42	42	-	-	-	420	420	-	-	-	84	84
Podu jana rakshana	-	-	-	600	831	-	-	-	25,048	36,439	-	-	-	1,136	1,671
Piya sarana rakshana	-	-	-	176	174	-	-	-	1,760	1,795	-	-	-	368	372
Fully paid up	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	4	4	4	-	-	-	-	-
Total	332,628	353,127	374,147	404,235	474,668	9,694,435	11,030,112	12,415,231	15,126,232	20,101,029	569,405	661,735	757,490	987,212	1,360,619

Source - Insurance Corporation of Sri Lanka

CHAPTER XIX - CO-OPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT

Table 19.1 - Number of co-operative societies, 1994 - 1998

By type of society	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
All societies	12,124	12,322	12,452	12,543	11,845
Primary societies					
Total	12,026	12,222	12,324	12,410	11,705
Credit	7,681	8,035	8,363	8,400	7,790
Agriculture	619	629	665	675	616
Industrial	360	226	283	300	145
School co-operatives	1,387	1,345	1,047	1,100	1,051
Multi-Purpose	300	300	300	300	308
Fisheries	731	740	662	625	591
Other societies	948	947	1,004	1,010	1,204
Secondary societies					
Total	98	100	128	133	140
Banking unions	6	8	13	16	14
National co-operative council	1	1	1	1	1
District co-operative council	-	-	27	27	27
Multi-purpose unions	9	9	9	9	9
Other unions	82	82	78	80	89

Source - Department of Co-operative Development

Table 19.2 - Membership of co-operative societies, 1994 - 1998

Type of Society	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
All Societies	13,269	14,155	17,851	17,843	16,852
Primary Societies (Thousands)					
Total	4,600	4,714	4,993	4,893	5,344
Credit	720	787	876	680	764
Agriculture	95	97	115	120	110
Industrial	69	88	70	72	42
School co-operatives	295	268	239	240	256
Multi purpose	2,810	2,916	3,118	3,200	3,609
Fisheries	76	69	76	79	60
Others	537	489	499	502	503
Secondary societies (Units)					
Total	8,669	9,441	12,858	12,950	11,508
Banking union	129	225	202	215	267
National co-operative council	35	35	35	35	40
District co-operative council	-	-	1,002	1,010	1,278
Multi-purpose union	306	308	916	940	155
Other unions	8,199	8,873	10,703	10,750	9,768

Source - Department of Co-operative Development

Table 19.3 - Liabilities of co-operative societies, 1994 - 1998

Liability	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total	11,527.7	11,562.1	12,872.3	12,990.0	21,118.0
Share capital (paid up)	269.6	271.7	289.8	210.0	245.0
Statutory reserve	1,235.5	1,239.4	1,239.6	1,340.0	2,548.0
Deposits	4,320.6	4,330.9	6,235.1	6,240.0	10,180.0
Loan capital	2,671.3	2,679.6	2,855.9	2,060.0	946.0
Sundry liabilities	3,030.7	3,040.5	3,132.9	3,140.0	7,199.0

Source - Department of Co-operative Development

Table 19.4 - Assets(1) of the co-operative societies, 1994 - 1998

Asset	Rs. Million				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total	11,527.7	11,562.1	12,872.3	12,990.0	20,955.0
Stock in trade	1,340.0	1,342.1	1,065.7	1,670.0	1,272.0
Land, buildings, etc.	535.4	536.9	412.4	430.0	1,446.0
Investment	2,030.9	2,038.7	2,073.5	2,100.0	4,927.0
Debtors	4,559.6	4,565.3	4,383.5	4,390.0	7,412.0
Cash in hand and bank	1,045.9	1,059.7	2,206.3	2,210.0	2,596.0
Sundry assets	2,015.9	2,019.4	2,730.9	2,190.0	3,302.0

Source - Department of Co-operative Development

(1) Excluding financial institutions

Table 19.5 - Turnover of the co-operative societies by type of society, 1994 - 1998

Item	Rs. Million				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998*
All societies	25,198.9	22,993.0	24,886.3	25,250.0	25,521.2
Primary societies					
Total	23,894.4	22,383.1	24,368.0	24,700.0	25,037.4
Credit societies (1)	1,808.8	1,677.8	1,913.3	2,000.0	2,090.0
Multi-purpose	22,085.6	20,705.3	22,454.7	22,700.0	22,947.4
Secondary societies					
Total	1,304.5	609.9	518.3	550.0	483.8
Multi-purpose unions	1,015.4	207.9	370.1	400.0	432.0
Other unions	289.1	402.0	148.2	150.0	51.8

Source - Department of Co-operative Development

* Estimated

1) Turnover - loans granted

Table 19.6 - Loans granted by rural co-operative credit societies to its members by purpose, 1994 - 1998

Purpose	Rs. Million				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total	993.5	1,509.5	1,912.8	1,975.0	1,537.4
Cultivation	113.7	207.5	261.1	270.0	177.8
Animal husbandry	27.9	43.5	37.5	50.0	49.5
Small industries	77.3	126.2	99.0	110.0	125.4
Housing and electricity	-	155.7	181.9	200.0	292.3
Project and trade	683.5	820.0	88.0	95.0	381.7
Others	91.1	156.6	1,245.3	1,250.0	510.7
Percent of total loans					
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Cultivation	11.4	13.7	13.6	13.7	11.6
Animal husbandry	2.8	2.9	2.0	2.5	3.2
Small industries	7.8	8.4	5.2	5.6	8.2
Housing and electricity	-	10.3	9.5	10.1	19.0
Project and trade	68.8	54.2	4.6	4.8	24.8
Others	9.2	10.4	65.1	63.3	33.2

Source - Department of Co-operative Development

Table 19.7 - Vital statistics of co-operative rural banks , 1994 - 1998

Particulars	Unit	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total number of rural banks	Number	1,216	1,251	1,279	1,293	1,351
Value of total assets	Rs. Mn.	8,202.0	9,404.0	10,610.0	11,500.0	13,242.3
Value of deposits	Rs. Mn.	6,756.8	7,790.3	8,522.1	9,200.0	11,233.6
Loan balance at the end of the year	Rs. Mn.	2,017.3	2,220.3	2,310.8	2,400.0	3,278.6
Pawning advances	Rs. Mn.	1,355.5	1,467.4	1,940.7	2,100.0	2,776.2
Structures of loans						
Total	Rs. Mn.	914.7	2,159.0	2,310.8	3,080.0	2,487.4
Housing	Rs. Mn.	431.2	945.6	1,209.1	1,550.0	1,307.2
Self employed	Rs. Mn.	193.6	330.2	522.3	710.0	203.7
Production	Rs. Mn.	171.3	573.6	234.2	410.0	407.6
Miscellaneous	Rs. Mn.	118.6	309.6	345.2	410.0	568.9

Source - Department of Co-operative Development

CHAPTER XX - SOCIAL CONDITIONS

PUBLIC HEALTH

Table 20.1 - Number of government hospitals, beds, personnel, patients treated and expenditure on health services, 1992 - 1997

Item	Number					
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Hospitals (1)	422	426	430	407(7)	452	454
No. of Central Dispensaries	350	365	370	320(7)	397	387
Beds (1)	47,184	48,161	49,284	47,026(7)	51,278(8)	52,291
Doctors (3)	3,345	3,713	4,047	4,577	5,117	5,628
Assistant/ Registered Medical officers	1,253	1,305	1,357	1,376	1,397	1,384
Nurses (4)	11,214	11,818	13,060	13,403	13,933	13,815
Attendants	5,710	5,772	5,568	6,432	6,657	7,270
No. of inpatients treated ('000)	3013(5)	3,165	3,204	2,953(7)	3,397(8)	3,454(9)
No. of outpatients treated ('000)(2)	36,827	36,656	35,276	32,084(7)	35,348(8)	38,078(9)
Expenditure : Rs. Million (6)	6,967	7,904	8,273	10,533	11,422	12,782

Source - Ministry of Health

- (1) Excludes maternity homes and central dispensaries, but includes maternity hospitals (De Soysa and Castle Street hospitals)
- (2) These figures do not indicate the no. of patients. Repeated visits of the same patient after short intervals have been regarded as new cases.
- (3) Doctors of all grades in the Department of Health Services.
- (4) Excluding pupil nurses, public health and dental nurses.
- (5) Excludes Northern and Eastern provinces.
- (6) Includes capital expenditure, grants, rebates and contributions.
- (7) Excludes Jaffna, Mullativu, Kilinochchi, Ampara districts.
- (8) Excludes Killinochchi and Mullaitivu districts.
- (9) Excludes Ampara District

Table 20.2 - Relief of widespread distress and unemployment relief, 1988 - 1998

Relief	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992*	1993*	1994*	1995*	1996	1997	1998*
Number ('000)**	..	325*	362*	261*	557*	248	89	110	188	462	..
Amount spent (Rs.Mn.)	1,014.0	73.4	54.2	31.8	706.8	209.0	161.6	533.9	684.9	579.0	112.0

Source - Department of Social Services

* Provisional

** Number of families only.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES

Table 20.3 - Pensions and gratuities payable to persons retired from government services on grounds of age, ill-health, abolition of office and injury, 1983 - 1991

Item	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991
Estimated number of pension payable	110,000	117,600	126,146	128,272	199,762	209,540	154,768	163,376	206,732
Total amount of pension, gratuities and allowance paid (Rs. Thousand)	1,381,000	1,600,000	1,701,674	2,286,459	2,469,600	3,138,638	3,477,813	3,433,697	7,325,170

Source - Department of Pensions

Table 20.4 - Receipts and payments of widows' and orphans' pension fund, 1986 - 1991

Item	Rs. Thousand					
	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991
Under widows' and orphans' pension fund						
Total receipts(1)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Contributions as on January 1st.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Abatements from salaries and pensions	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest (hypothetical)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments(2)	-	14	-	-	-	-
Pensions paid	-	14	-	-	-	-
Refunds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refunds erroneous credits	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
Under widows' and orphans' pension scheme						
Total receipts(1)	95,606	107,824	122,692	361,173	305,815	321,225
Contributions as on January 1st.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Abatements from salaries and pensions	-	107,824	122,692	361,173	305,815	321,225
Interest (hypothetical)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments(2)	-	673,293	879,274	939,495	985,666	1,256,438
Pensions paid(3)	493,948	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary increase on pensions paid	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refunds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administration	2,433	2,896	3,588	3,728	4,257	4,048

Source - Widow's and Orphan's Pension Office, Pensions Department

(1) Accrued at 31st December in each year

(2) For year ending 31st December

(3) Includes all allowances

Table 20.5 - Beneficiaries and contributors under the widows' and orphans' pension fund(1) scheme(2), 1987 - 1991

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991
Number of beneficiaries					
Under widows' and orphans' pension fund (3)	30	25	3	3	5
Under widows' and orphans' pension scheme (3)	49,430	47,237	52,060	55,831	60,223
Number of contributors					
Under widows' and orphans' pension fund (3)	-	-	-	-	-
Under widows' and orphans' pension scheme (3)	394,011	407,566	417,755	426,205	381,205

Source - Widows' and Orphans' Pension Office, Pensions Department

(1) Ordinance No.1 of 1898.

(2) Ordinance No.13 of 1906.

(3) At 31st December in each year.

Table 20.6 - Death gratuities and payments under workmen's compensation ordinance, expenditure and estimated number of beneficiaries, 1983 - 1987

Item	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
Total payments (Rs.Thousand)	5,267,000	5,712,000	3,683,977	10,800,000	15,800,000
Death gratuities (Rs.Thousand)	5,000,000	5,500,000	3,623,990	10,000,000	15,000,000
Payments under the workmen's compensation Ordinance (Rs.Thousand)	267,000	212,000	59,987	800,000	800,000
Total estimated number of beneficiaries	600	795	807	-	-
Death gratuities	550	750	795	-	-
Under workmen's compensation ordinance	50	45	12	-	-

Source - Pensions Department

Table 20.7 - Pensions and gratuities of Sri Lanka defence force, 1985 - 1990

Item	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990
Total payments (Rs.Thousand)	46,000	41,000	41,000	-	-	-
Total estimated number of beneficiaries						
Pensions	573	6,627	7,560	7,971	8,163	8,735
Gratuities	292	-	-	192	437	289

Source - Pensions Department

Charitable Allowances**Table 20.8 - Industrial accidents settled and compensation paid, 1991- 1998**

	1991	1992*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Number of industrial accidents * settled								
Fatal	119	102	133	129	145	117	145	129
Non-fatal	291	294	208	426	500	225	489	254
Agreements registered								
Total	410	396	341	555	645	342	634	541
Compensation paid (Rupees'000)								
Fatal	3,062	10,928	14,650	17,256	20,419	31,372	21,204	54,200
Non-fatal	5,310	11,566	5,818	15,333	16,363	7,965	16,951	8,080
Agreements registered								
Total	8,372	22,493	20,468	32,589	36,782	39,337	38,155	69,180

Source - Dept. of workmen's compensation

* This includes the number of industrial, plantation and private (motor vehicle) accident.

* Increase of payments due to enhanced rates of compensation under Workmen's Compensation Amendment Act, No.15th of 1990.

Justice and Crime**Table 20.9 - Strength of police force, 1991 - 1998**

Rank	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
All Ranks	30,579	30,642	30,407	30,236	30,608	29,901	31,690	31,562
Inspector - General	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Deputy Inspectors - General	23	27	40	47	41	33	30	26
Superintendents, Assistant Superintendents and Probationers (1)	364	414	495	549	536	492	264	445
Chief Inspectors, Inspectors and Sub - Inspectors	2,772	3,005	3,251	3,300	3,219	3,285	3,684	3,552
Sergeants - Major	92	86	58	89	86	63	98	80
Sergeants (2)	2,903	4,075	3,744	5,540	5,351	4,638	4,249	4,191
Constables and Police Drivers	23,401	21,975	21,776	19,720	20,380	20,478	21,356	21,312
Women Police Constables, Sergeants and Sub - Inspectors	1,023	1,059	1,042	990	994	911	2,008	1,955
Wireless Telephone Operators	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Others including Civilians	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source - Police Department

(1) Including women ASP.

(2) Included Police Sergeant Drivers.

Table 20.10 - Receptions, average population, deaths and expenditure of prisons, 1990 - 1997

Item	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Receptions								
Total prisoners	71,223	82,164	84,707	83,990	79,534	87,012	89,083	89,493
Male	67,454	77,283	79,591	78,916	75,264	81,571	83,290	83,487
Female	3,769	4,881	5,116	5,074	4,270	5,441	5,793	6,006
Juveniles (1)	56	27	39	71	83	46	42	32
Committals for safe custody till trial or for want of security	57,095	63,145	66,456	65,346	63,293	71,119	71,314	71,350
Committals for purposes of penal imprisonment	14,128	19,019	18,251	18,644	16,241	15,893	17,769	18,143
Sentenced to five years and above	293	504	230	290	319	328	307	327
One year and under five years	2,396	3,144	2,901	2,846	2,576	2,545	2,817	2,614
Above 3 months and under 1 year	8,019	11,537	9,946	10,929	8,997	8,842	10,607	10,815
Under 3 months	3,420	3,834	5,174	4,579	4,349	4,178	4,038	4,387
Daily average population	10,093	9,001	9,162	9,872	10,831	11,447	11,972	12,739
Deaths	36	30	29	20	7	32	50	58
Expenditure on prisons (Rs.Thousand)	301,558	335,314	382,891	395,625	433,873	484,810	528,407	575,266

Source - Department of Prisons

(1) Number of admissions to the training school for youthful offenders at pallansena.

Table 20.11 - Convicted prisoners with previous proved offences, 1990 - 1997

Item	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total persons	14,128	19,019	18,251	18,644	16,241	15,893	17,769	18,143
Male (1)	13,631	18,008	17,446	17,865	15,528	15,370	17,103	17,487
Female	497	1,011	805	779	713	523	666	656
Number admitted with known previous sentences								
Total persons: First offenders (2)	8,457	12,453	11,840	11,449	8,952	8,749	10,382	10,352
Reconvicted (3)	2,795	3,219	3,777	4,856	4,899	4,887	4,689	5,315
Recidivist (4)	2,876	3,257	2,634	2,339	2,390	2,257	2,698	2,476
Male: First offenders	8,101	11,916	11,264	10,874	8,667	8,395	9,894	9,968
Reconvicted	2,690	2,981	3,657	4,702	4,652	4,774	4,615	5,144
Recidivist	2,840	3,111	2,525	2,240	2,209	2,201	2,594	2,375
Female: First offenders	356	627	576	575	285	354	488	384
Reconvicted	105	238	120	154	247	113	74	171
Recidivist	36	146	109	99	181	56	104	101
Juveniles (5): First offenders	56	27	39	71	83	46	42	32
Reconvicted	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Recidivist	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source - Department of Prisons

(1) Male convicted prisoners include juvenile

(2) A person who has been admitted to the prison for the first time

(3) A person who has been admitted to the prison for the second time

(4) A person who has been admitted to the prison on more than two occasions

(5) Number of admissions to the training school for youthful offenders at pallansena.

Table 20.12 - Convicted persons by ethnic group and sex, 1990 - 1997

Race and sex	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	Number 1997
Total	14,128	19,019	18,251	18,644	16,241	15,893	17,769	18,143
Sinhalese	10,049	13,061	13,282	13,761	12,149	11,562	12,627	12,399
Tamil	1,838	2,790	2,402	2,304	2,021	2,038	2,211	2,603
Moor	2,147	3,055	2,443	2,462	1,977	2,084	2,766	3,025
Burgher	12	14	34	17	13	95	65	36
Malay	75	89	80	90	72	92	85	68
Others	7	10	10	10	9	22	15	12
Male	13,631	18,008	17,446	17,865	15,528	15,370	17,103	17,487
Sinhalese	9,625	12,265	12,662	13,155	11,596	11,178	12,108	11,895
Tamil	1,795	2,645	2,262	2,171	1,896	1,956	2,128	2,491
Moor	2,121	2,991	2,407	2,429	1,954	2,058	2,728	2,989
Burgher	9	11	33	17	7	71	46	35
Malay	75	86	75	85	66	87	78	67
Others	6	10	7	8	9	20	15	10
Female	497	1,011	805	779	713	523	666	656
Sinhalese	424	796	620	606	553	384	519	504
Tamil	43	145	140	133	125	82	83	112
Moor	26	64	36	33	23	26	38	36
Burgher	3	3	1	-	6	24	19	1
Malay	-	3	5	5	6	5	7	1
Others	1	-	3	2	-	2	-	2

Source - Department of Prisons

Table 20.13 - Unconvicted persons by ethnic group and sex, 1991 - 1997

Race and sex	Number						
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total	63,145	66,456	65,346	63,293	71,119	71,314	71,350
Sinhalese	45,020	47,591	47,013	42,752	50,091	48,817	48,056
Tamil	11,040	10,470	10,731	13,042	13,593	13,002	13,766
Moor	5,195	7,501	7,085	7,278	7,017	8,860	8,388
Burghier	385	537	183	64	165	286	302
Malay	1,427	308	201	102	82	134	334
Others	78	49	133	55	171	215	504
Male	59,275	62,145	60,451	59,736	66,201	66,187	66,000
Sinhalese	42,002	44,346	43,145	40,108	46,535	45,112	44,286
Tamil	10,466	9,671	10,073	12,329	12,609	12,053	12,548
Moor	4,956	7,319	6,772	7,096	6,699	8,603	8,066
Burghier	1,415	490	159	49	127	153	290
Malay	379	273	179	99	64	59	319
Others	57	46	123	55	167	207	491
Female	3,870	4,311	4,895	3,557	4,918	5,127	5,350
Sinhalese	3,018	3,245	3,868	2,644	3,556	3,705	3,770
Tamil	574	799	658	713	984	949	1,218
Moor	239	182	313	182	318	257	322
Burghier	12	47	24	15	38	133	12
Malay	6	35	22	3	18	75	15
Others	21	3	10	-	4	8	13

Source - Department of Prisons

Table 20.14 - Convicted persons by religion and sex, 1991 - 1997

Religion and sex	Number						
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total	19,019	18,251	18,644	16,241	15,893	17,769	18,143
Buddhists	12,060	12,209	12,707	11,015	10,589	11,906	11,851
Hindus	1,757	1,879	1,662	1,449	1,403	1,518	1,877
Christians	1,544	1,372	1,320	1,720	1,739	1,543	1,389
Islam	3,604	2,783	2,939	2,049	2,154	2,796	3,016
Others	54	8	16	8	8	6	10
Male	18,008	17,446	17,865	15,528	15,370	17,103	17,487
Buddhists	11,334	11,668	12,178	10,565	10,272	11,461	11,396
Hindus	1,658	1,779	1,571	1,381	1,333	1,442	1,788
Christians	1,426	1,280	1,227	1,586	1,627	1,441	1,315
Islam	3,536	2,711	2,873	2,006	2,131	2,754	2,980
Others	54	8	16	8	7	5	8
Female	1,011	805	779	713	523	666	656
Buddhists	726	541	529	450	317	445	455
Hindus	99	100	91	68	70	76	89
Christians	118	92	93	152	112	102	74
Islam	68	72	66	43	23	42	36
Others	-	-	-	-	1	1	2

Source - Department of Prisons

Table 20.14a - Convicted prisoners according to narcotic drugs and excise offences, 1991 - 1997

Offences	1991	%	1992	%	1993	%	1994	%	1995	%	1996	%	1997	%
Narcotic drug	7,642	40.2	5,915	32.4	6,656	35.7	5,660	34.9	5,181	32.6	7,349	41.3	7,139	39.3
Excise	5,723	30.1	4,928	27.0	4,873	26.1	4,002	24.6	4,162	26.2	4,652	26.2	4,806	26.5
Other offences	5,654	29.7	7,408	40.6	7,115	38.2	6,579	40.5	6,550	41.2	5,768	32.5	6,198	34.2
Total admission	19,019	100.0	18,251	100.0	18,644	100.0	16,241	100.0	15,893	100.0	17,769	100.0	18,143	100.0

Source - Department of Prisons 241

Table 20.15 - Unconvicted persons by religion and sex, 1992 - 1997

Religion and sex	Number					
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total	66,456	65,346	63,293	71,119	71,314	71,350
Buddhists	43,006	41,930	39,022	43,912	45,285	44,946
Hindus	9,219	9,541	10,868	11,832	11,425	12,617
Christians	6,406	6,108	5,982	8,259	5,712	5,442
Islam	7,550	7,697	7,375	7,047	8,782	8,154
Others	275	70	46	69	110	191
Male	62,145	61,051	59,736	66,201	66,187	66,000
Buddhists	39,936	38,733	36,547	41,212	41,768	41,356
Hindus	8,698	9,107	10,433	11,142	10,615	11,664
Christians	5,981	5,761	5,515	7,034	5,099	4,970
Islam	7,261	7,384	7,195	6,755	8,603	7,824
Others	269	66	46	58	102	186
Female	4,311	4,295	3,557	4,918	5,127	5,350
Buddhists	3,070	3,197	2,475	2,700	3,517	3,590
Hindus	521	434	435	690	810	953
Christians	425	347	467	1,225	535	472
Islam	289	313	180	292	257	330
Others	6	4	-	11	8	5

Source - Department of Prisons

Table 20.16 - Grave crimes by type of crime, 1992 - 1997

Type of crime	Number					
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Total	46,963	43,990	52,344	53,062	51,809	57,366
Abduction	706	619	1,241	826	989	751
Arson and mischief over Rs. 200/=	4,713	3,404	6,345	4,544	4,166	4,894
Burglaries	9,577	9,097	10,211	10,675	10,613	12,314
Cattle stealing (not including theft of goats, etc., and pradial products)	923	793	847	916	1,073	1,120
Grievous hurt	1,890	1,779	2,035	1,972	1,993	1,972
Homicide	1,423	1,286	1,336	1,614	1,775	1,851
Attempted homicide	321	366	442	444	582	563
Hurt by knife	6,473	6,353	7,385	7,864	6,477	6,350
Rape	371	386	518	542	716	909
Unnatural offences	53	64	70	93	89	124
Riots	42	122	97	131	101	147
Robberies	3,638	3,189	3,618	3,698	4,064	4,393
Theft of bicycles and receiving stolen bicycles	1,850	1,843	1,708	1,873	1,869	2,038
Extortion	44	35	52	107	78	57
Cheating/misappropriation C.D.B. trust over Rs. 1000/-	3,493	3,238	4,281	3,920	3,432	4,317
Theft of Property over 100/-	10,937	10,811	11,597	13,361	13,192	14,806
Theft of Praedial produce (over Rs. 100/-)	418	502	404	363	493	623
Counterfeiting Currency	60	79	72	80	56	46
Offences against the state	10	3	43	8	11	4
Offences under the Offensive Weapons act.	18	20	41	29	39	75
Exchange Control Offences	3	1	1	2	1	12

Source - Police Department

CHAPTER XXI - EDUCATION

Table 21.1 - Population (10 years and over) by literacy and sex, census years

Item	1953	1963	1971	1981
Population 10 years and over ('000)				
Total	5,803	7,523	9,354	11,309
Male	3,110	3,952	4,839	5,768
Female	2,693	3,571	4,515	5,541
Literate Population ('000)				
Total	4,006	5,789	7,344	9,865
Male	2,510	3,385	4,143	5,257
Female	1,496	2,404	3,201	4,608
Percent Literate				
Total	69.0	77.0	78.5	87.2
Male	80.7	85.7	85.6	91.1
Female	55.5	67.3	70.9	83.2

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

Table 21.2 - Literacy rates of persons 10 years and over by district and sex, 1981

District	Total	Male	Female
Sri Lanka	87.2	91.1	83.2
Colombo	94.1	95.8	92.3
Gampaha	94.6	96.3	92.9
Kalutara	90.3	93.2	87.5
Kandy	85.9	90.9	81.0
Matale	83.7	89.2	78.0
Nuwara Eliya	78.7	76.6	69.6
Galle	89.8	92.7	87.1
Matara	85.8	90.2	81.7
Hambantota	81.8	87.5	75.8
Jaffna	93.4	94.5	92.3
Mannar	86.8	89.7	63.4
Vavuniya	85.4	89.2	80.9
Mullaitivu	89.0	91.3	86.0
Batticaloa	68.3	74.4	61.9
Amparai	75.0	82.3	66.7
Trincomalee	79.5	84.9	73.1
Kurunegala	88.2	92.0	84.2
Puttalam	90.0	92.4	87.6
Anuradhapura	86.5	90.9	81.3
Polonnaruwa	87.0	89.9	82.8
Badulla	78.1	86.1	69.9
Moneragala	78.0	83.6	70.9
Ratnapura	82.4	87.9	76.4
Kegalle	87.5	92.0	83.2

Source - Department of Census and Statistics

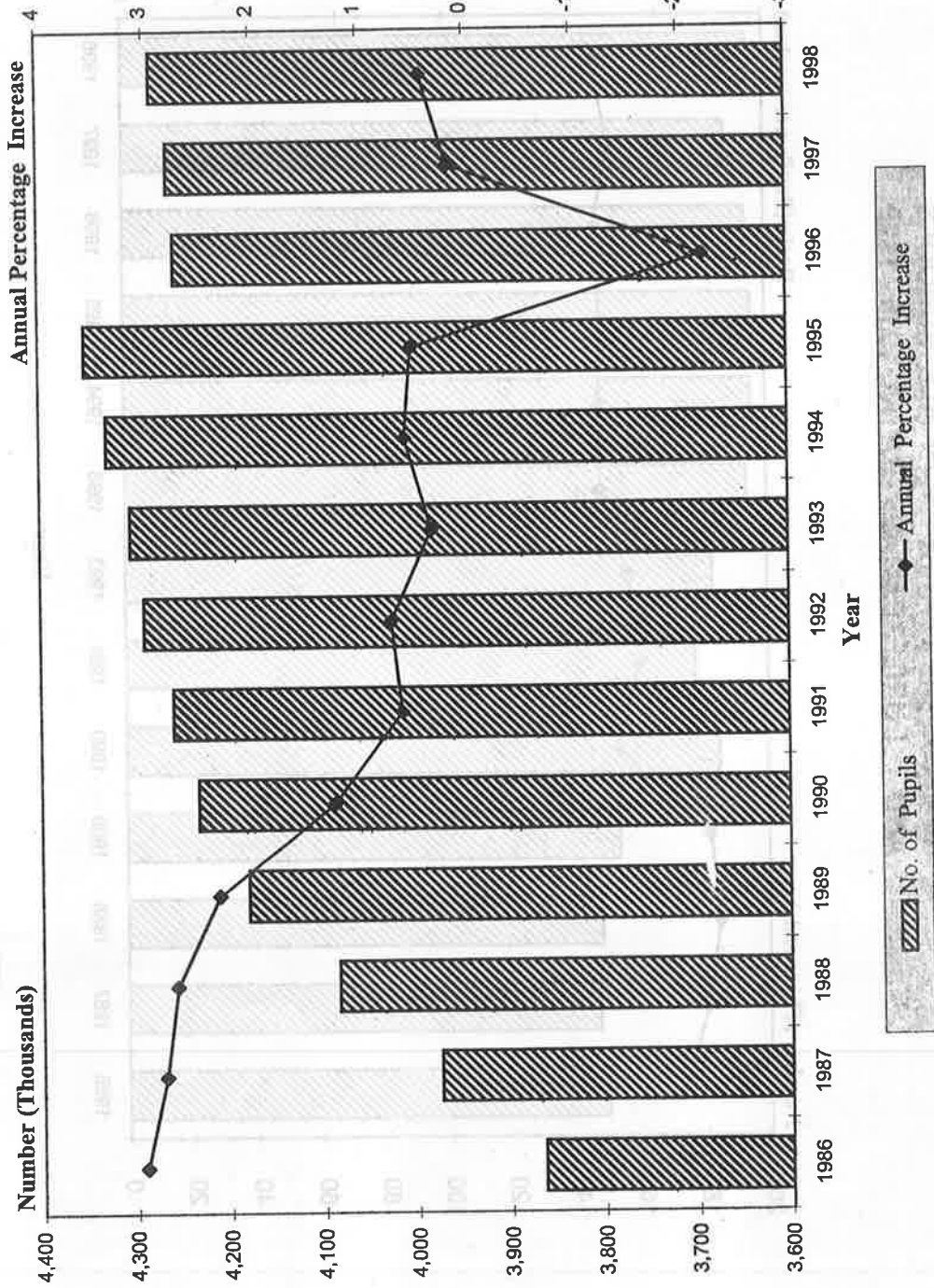
Table 21.3 - Number of schools, pupils, teachers and pupil teacher ratios by type of school, 1986 - 1998

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995*	1996*	1997	1998*
Total number of schools:													
Government schools	10,100	10,207	10,231	10,296	10,382	10,520	10,586	10,713	10,779	10,888	10,936	10,983	10,947
Private schools	9,657	9,709	9,741	9,805	9,864	9,998	10,042	10,160	10,191	10,283	10,312	10,358	10,313
Pirivenas	71	71	59	61	61	63	66	66	79	79	79	75	79
	372	427	431	430	457	459	478	487	509	526	545	550	555
Total number of pupils:													
Government schools	3,864,187	3,974,605	4,063,773	4,149,320	4,232,356	4,258,697	4,289,334	4,303,539	4,328,521	4,350,724	4,254,393	4,260,989	4,278,124
Private schools	3,751,708	3,855,019	3,962,992	4,057,815	4,111,272	4,135,114	4,159,313	4,172,897	4,194,448	4,216,571	4,119,627	4,124,108	4,134,838
Pirivenas	79,917	82,555	82,971	83,816	82,593	83,568	86,782	83,933	87,759	86,630	86,205	85,890	91,370
	32,562	37,031	37,810	37,889	38,491	40,015	43,239	46,709	46,314	47,523	48,561	50,991	51,916
Total number of teachers:													
Government schools	149,129	146,712	147,578	153,243	184,822	177,231	182,756	193,733	195,175	195,388	193,865	187,539	194,823
Private schools	143,398	140,385	141,202	146,997	178,333	170,735	175,813	186,728	187,579	187,571	185,842	179,589	186,435
Pirivenas	2,977	3,088	3,062	3,060	3,069	3,076	3,280	3,251	3,574	3,677	3,774	3,652	4,054
	2,754	3,239	3,314	3,186	3,420	3,420	3,663	3,754	4,022	4,140	4,249	4,298	4,334
Pupil teacher ratio in:													
Government schools	26.2	27.5	28.1	27.6	23.1	24.2	23.7	22.3	22.4	22.5	22.2	23.0	22.2
Private schools	26.8	26.7	27.1	27.4	26.9	27.2	26.5	25.8	11.5	23.6	22.8	23.5	22.5
Pirivenas	11.8	11.4	11.4	11.9	11.3	11.7	11.8	12.4	12.4	11.5	11.0	11.9	12.0

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

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NUMBER OF TEACHERS IN ALL SCHOOLS AND PUPIL TEACHER RATIO, 1986 - 1998

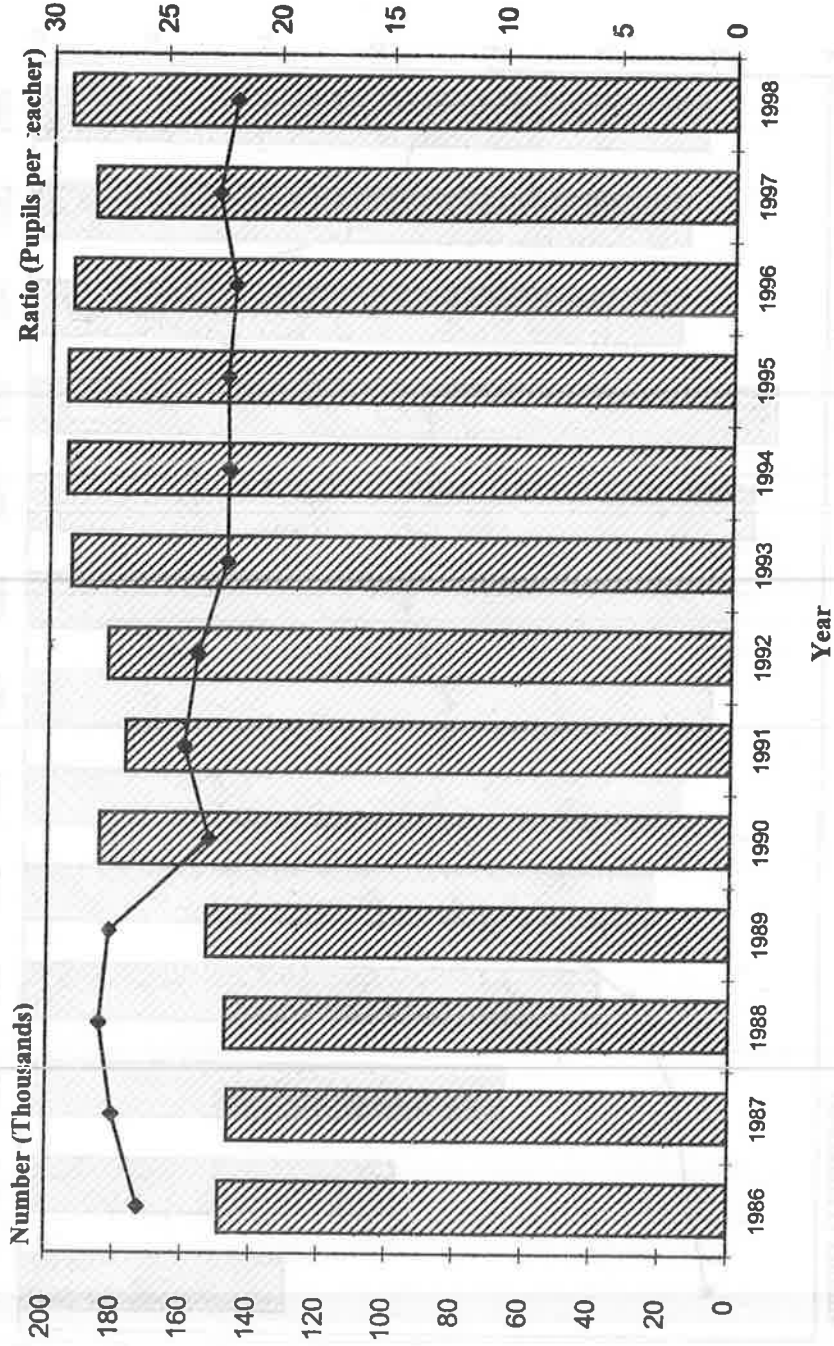


Table 21.4 - Number of schools by type of school and district, 1991 - 1998

District	1991						1992							
	Total	Govt. schools	Private fee levying schools	Private non fee levying schools	Approved/ Certified schools	Privenas schools	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private fee levying schools	Private non fee levying schools	Approved/ Certified schools	Privenas schools	Estate schools
Sri Lanka	10,520	9,998	14	25	24	459	-	10,586	10,042	21	24	21	478	-
Colombo	506	449	8	11	9	29	-	511	448	10	15	8	30	-
Gampaha	637	589	-	4	5	39	-	630	582	-	4	4	40	-
Kalutara	494	465	-	2	2	25	-	498	466	-	2	2	28	-
Kandy	741	685	3	1	-	52	-	742	685	3	1	1	52	-
Matale	324	311	-	1	-	12	-	327	313	-	1	-	13	-
Nuwara Eliya	463	456	-	-	2	5	-	467	460	-	-	2	5	-
Galle	555	508	-	-	-	47	-	556	506	-	-	-	50	-
Matara	443	395	-	1	5	42	-	444	395	1	0	3	45	-
Hambantota	336	323	-	-	-	13	-	341	326	-	-	-	15	-
Jaffna	486	481	-	5	-	-	-	486	481	5	0	-	0	-
Kilinochchi	82	82	-	-	-	-	-	83	83	-	-	-	0	-
Mannar	103	103	-	-	-	-	-	104	104	-	-	-	0	-
Vavuniya	185	184	-	-	-	1	-	185	184	-	-	-	1	-
Mullaitivu	98	98	-	-	-	-	-	99	99	-	-	-	0	-
Batticaloa	263	263	-	-	-	-	-	276	276	-	-	-	0	-
Ampara	350	347	-	-	-	3	-	364	361	-	-	-	3	-
Trincomalee	223	220	-	-	-	3	-	207	204	-	-	-	3	-
Kurunegala	1,015	951	-	-	-	64	-	1,019	955	-	-	-	64	-
Puttalam	350	341	-	-	-	9	-	354	345	-	-	-	9	-
Anuradhapura	564	547	-	-	-	17	-	585	565	-	-	-	20	-
Polonnaruwa	212	203	-	-	-	9	-	217	207	-	-	-	10	-
Badulla	591	564	3	-	1	23	-	587	560	2	1	1	23	-
Moneragala	241	231	-	-	-	10	-	249	238	-	-	-	11	-
Ratnapura	619	590	-	-	-	29	-	618	589	-	-	-	29	-
Kegalle	639	612	-	-	-	27	-	637	610	-	-	-	27	-

Table 21.4 (Contd.) - Number of schools by type of school and district, 1991 - 1998

District	1992						1994							
	Total	Govt. schools	Private fee levying schools	Private non fee levying schools	Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas schools	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private fee levying schools	Private non fee levying schools	Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas schools	Estate schools
Sri Lanka	10,713	10,160	21	24	21	487	-	10,779	10,191	16	52	11	509	-
Colombo	512	447	10	15	8	32	-	513	447	9	19	5	33	-
Gampaha	631	583	-	4	4	40	-	631	581	-	7	-	43	-
Kalutara	496	464	-	2	2	28	-	499	463	-	5	1	30	-
Kandy	746	686	3	1	1	55	-	753	690	3	2	2	56	-
Matale	330	316	-	1	-	13	-	332	316	-	2	-	14	-
Nuwara Eliya	501	494	-	-	2	5	-	500	493	-	2	-	5	-
Galle	556	506	-	-	-	50	-	561	504	-	2	-	55	-
Matara	448	397	1	-	3	47	-	450	395	1	2	3	49	-
Hambantota	346	331	-	-	-	15	-	349	333	-	-	-	16	-
Jaffna	484	479	5	-	-	-	-	479	473	-	6	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	85	85	-	-	-	-	-	81	81	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	105	105	-	-	-	-	-	105	105	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	178	177	-	-	-	1	-	187	186	-	-	-	1	-
Mullaitivu	100	100	-	-	-	-	-	101	101	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	297	297	-	-	-	-	-	295	295	-	-	-	-	-
Ampara	380	377	-	-	-	3	-	383	379	-	-	-	4	-
Trincomalee	226	223	-	-	-	3	-	238	235	-	-	-	3	-
Kurunegala	1,029	965	-	-	-	64	-	1,028	962	-	1	-	65	-
Puttalam	360	351	-	-	-	9	-	361	351	-	1	-	9	-
Anuradhapura	577	556	-	-	-	21	-	584	559	-	1	-	24	-
Polonnaruwa	220	210	-	-	-	10	-	225	215	-	-	-	10	-
Badulla	592	565	2	1	1	23	-	598	571	3	1	-	23	-
Moneragala	255	244	-	-	-	11	-	265	253	-	-	-	12	-
Ratnapura	621	592	-	-	-	29	-	624	594	-	1	-	29	-
Kegalle	638	610	-	-	-	28	-	637	609	-	-	-	28	-

Table 21.4 (Contd.) - Number of schools by type of school and district, 1991 - 1998

District	1995*						1996*							
	Total	Govt. schools	Private fee levying schools	Private non fee levying schools	Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas schools	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private fee levying schools	Private non fee levying schools	Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas schools	Estate schools
Sri Lanka	10,888	10,283	16	53	10	526	-	10,937	10,312	15	53	12	545	-
Colombo	512	446	10	18	4	34	-	511	445	9	18	6	33	-
Gampaha	632	581	-	7	-	44	-	633	580	-	8	-	45	-
Kalutara	501	463	-	5	1	32	-	500	462	-	4	1	33	-
Kandy	756	692	3	2	2	57	-	755	689	3	2	2	59	-
Matale	334	318	-	2	-	14	-	335	318	-	2	-	15	-
Nuwara Eliya	531	524	-	2	-	5	-	530	521	-	2	-	7	-
Galle	562	503	-	2	-	57	-	559	499	-	2	-	58	-
Matara	454	396	-	3	2	53	-	454	395	-	3	2	54	-
Hambantota	350	333	-	-	1	16	-	348	331	-	-	1	16	-
Jaffna	491	485	-	6	-	-	-	491	485	-	6	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	89	89	-	-	-	-	-	91	91	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	105	105	-	-	-	-	-	108	108	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	190	189	-	-	-	1	-	190	189	-	-	-	1	-
Mullaitivu	103	103	-	-	-	-	-	103	103	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	303	303	-	-	-	-	-	316	316	-	-	-	-	-
Ampara	397	393	-	-	-	4	-	397	392	-	-	-	5	-
Trincomalee	242	239	-	-	-	3	-	256	253	-	-	-	3	-
Kurunegala	1,031	962	-	1	-	68	-	1,038	966	-	1	-	71	-
Puttalam	362	353	-	1	-	8	-	361	352	-	1	-	8	-
Anuradhapura	590	564	-	1	-	25	-	592	563	-	1	-	28	-
Polonnaruwa	223	213	-	-	-	10	-	226	215	-	-	-	11	-
Badulla	599	570	3	1	1	25	-	606	576	3	1	-	26	-
Moneragala	265	253	-	-	-	12	-	272	260	-	-	-	12	-
Ratnapura	628	598	-	1	-	29	-	630	598	-	1	-	31	-
Kegalle	636	608	-	1	-	29	-	635	605	-	1	-	29	-

Table 21.4 (Contd.) - Number of schools by type of school and district, 1991 - 1998

District	1997						1998*							
	Total	Govt. schools	Private fee levying schools	Private non fee levying schools	Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas schools	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private fee levying schools	Private non fee levying schools	Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas schools	Estate schools
Sri Lanka	10,983	10,358	12	54	9	550	-	10,947	10,313	15	53	11	555	-
Colombo	507	445	9	18	2	33	-	510	444	9	18	5	34	-
Gampaha	633	580	-	7	-	46	-	628	573	-	7	-	48	-
Kalutara	502	462	-	5	1	34	-	498	458	-	5	1	34	-
Kandy	755	689	2	2	3	59	-	750	685	3	2	2	58	-
Matale	337	320	-	2	-	15	-	341	322	-	2	-	17	-
Nuwara Eliya	531	522	-	2	-	7	-	529	521	-	1	-	7	-
Galle	554	494	-	2	-	58	-	549	487	-	2	-	60	-
Matara	452	394	-	4	-	54	-	454	393	-	4	2	55	-
Hambantota	350	333	-	-	1	16	-	345	329	-	-	1	15	-
Jaffna	491	485	-	6	-	-	-	491	485	-	6	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	92	92	-	-	-	-	-	92	92	-	-	-	-	-
Mannar	109	109	-	-	-	-	-	109	109	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	190	189	-	-	-	1	-	190	189	-	-	-	1	-
Mullaitivu	106	106	-	-	-	-	-	106	106	-	-	-	-	-
Batticaloa	320	320	-	-	-	-	-	322	322	-	-	-	-	-
Ampara	406	401	-	-	-	5	-	405	399	-	-	-	6	-
Trincomalee	267	264	-	-	-	3	-	270	267	-	-	-	3	-
Kurunegala	1,042	969	-	1	-	72	-	1,029	958	-	1	-	70	-
Puttalam	366	357	-	1	-	8	-	362	353	-	1	-	8	-
Anuradhapura	598	569	-	1	-	28	-	599	570	-	1	-	28	-
Polonnaruwa	230	219	-	-	-	11	-	229	218	-	-	-	11	-
Badulla	607	577	1	1	2	26	-	608	578	3	1	-	26	-
Moneragala	275	263	-	-	-	12	-	276	264	-	-	-	12	-
Ratnapura	630	596	-	1	-	33	-	626	592	-	1	-	33	-
Kegalle	633	603	-	1	-	29	-	629	599	-	1	-	29	-

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Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

Table 21.4a - Number of functional schools by medium, gender and district, 1998*

District	Medium of instruction			Total	Gender of school			Total
	Sinhala	Tamil	Both media		Male	Female	Mixed	
Sri Lanka	7,174	2,853	66	10,093	129	189	9,775	10,093
Colombo	378	43	19	440	40	57	343	440
Gampaha	546	22	4	572	10	21	541	572
Kalutara	390	55	7	452	9	12	431	452
Kandy	489	174	20	683	12	19	652	683
Matale	266	54	1	321	1	3	317	321
Nuwara Eliya	219	296	6	521	1	4	516	521
Galle	469	15	2	486	8	10	468	486
Matara	370	17	2	389	4	2	383	389
Hambantota	319	8	-	327	-	1	326	327
Jaffna	-	410	-	410	10	13	387	410
Kilinochchi	-	87	-	87	-	-	87	87
Mannar	-	88	-	88	2	3	83	88
Vavuniya	17	160	-	177	-	-	177	177
Mullaitivu	1	93	-	94	-	-	94	94
Batticaloa	1	309	-	310	5	7	298	310
Ampara	194	203	-	397	4	7	386	397
Trincomalee	65	178	1	244	6	10	228	244
Kurunegala	857	84	-	941	3	3	935	941
Puttalam	282	68	2	352	5	7	340	352
Anuradhapura	499	63	-	562	1	2	559	562
Polonnaruwa	196	20	-	216	-	-	216	216
Badulla	382	194	1	577	2	5	570	577
Moneragala	243	18	-	261	-	-	261	261
Ratnapura	499	97	1	597	2	-	595	597
Kegalle	492	97	-	589	4	3	582	589

Source - Policy Planning and Review Division
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Table 21.5 - Number of pupils in schools by type of school classified by district, 1993 - 1998

District	1993					1994				
	Govt. schools	Private schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total
Sri Lanka	4,172,897	83,933	46,709	-	4,303,539	4,194,448	87,759	46,314	-	4,328,521
Colombo	353,869	46,161	3,523	-	403,553	354,068	47,322	3,528	-	404,918
Gampaha	336,117	10,792	3,100	-	350,009	336,579	11,387	3,166	-	351,132
Kalutara	215,625	4,037	5,480	-	225,142	215,610	4,238	5,931	-	225,779
Kandy	296,727	6,783	5,076	-	308,586	298,738	7,350	4,811	-	310,899
Matale	108,414	1,417	1,010	-	110,841	108,039	784	1,076	-	109,899
Nuwara Eliya	166,277	436	413	-	167,126	166,868	1,150	418	-	168,436
Galle	229,815	48	3,254	-	233,117	231,074	156	3,529	-	234,759
Matara	182,692	4,280	5,611	-	192,583	182,235	4,723	4,829	-	191,787
Hambantota	142,829	-	889	-	143,718	144,511	127	868	-	145,506
Jaffna	186,782	7,836	-	-	194,618	180,839	7,828	-	-	188,667
Kilinochchi	37,625	-	-	-	37,625	38,699	-	-	-	38,699
Mannar	16,805	-	-	-	16,805	18,801	-	-	-	18,801
Vavuniya	24,173	-	83	-	24,256	26,252	-	65	-	26,317
Mullaitivu	24,995	-	-	-	24,995	27,587	-	-	-	27,587
Batticaloa	107,490	-	-	-	107,490	108,720	-	-	-	108,720
Ampara	151,657	-	311	-	151,968	154,729	-	343	-	155,072
Trincomalee	80,859	-	206	-	81,065	82,424	-	199	-	82,623
Kurunegala	352,982	-	6,614	-	359,596	351,379	173	6,555	-	358,107
Puttalam	159,526	-	595	-	160,121	160,306	134	645	-	161,085
Anuradhapura	196,228	-	1,616	-	197,844	195,950	129	1,673	-	197,752
Polonnaruwa	85,612	-	1,214	-	86,826	86,063	-	1,252	-	87,315
Badulla	191,410	2,143	1,849	-	195,402	194,271	2,173	1,772	-	198,216
Moneragala	105,293	-	991	-	106,284	107,433	-	1,017	-	108,450
Ratnapure	240,474	-	2,383	-	242,857	243,738	85	2,312	-	246,135
Kegalle	178,621	-	2,491	-	181,112	179,535	-	2,325	-	181,860

Table 21.5 (Contd.) - Number of pupils in schools by type of school classified by district, 1993 - 1998

District	1995*					1996*				
	Govt. schools	Private schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total
Sri Lanka	4,216,571	86,630	47,523	-	4,350,724	4,119,627	86,205	48,561	-	4,254,393
Colombo	..	48,037	3,559	-	51,596	344,092	48,272	3,758	-	396,122
Gampaha	..	11,758	3,299	-	15,057	329,741	11,827	3,429	-	344,997
Kalutara	..	4,516	6,102	-	10,618	210,181	4,615	6,115	-	220,911
Kandy	..	7,086	4,969	-	12,055	297,395	7,386	4,908	-	309,689
Matale	..	810	1,023	-	1,833	107,592	808	1,197	-	109,597
Nuwara Eliya	..	1,130*	395	-	1,525	165,630	1,138	507	-	167,275
Galle	..	144	3,388	-	3,532	231,702	143	3,205	-	235,050
Matara	..	4,527	5,308	-	9,835	181,952	4,175	5,590	-	191,717
Hambantota	..	207	956	-	1,163	145,987	243	980	-	147,210
Jaffna	..	5,804	-	-	5,804	102,140	4,950	-	-	107,090
Kilinochchi	..	-	-	-	-	51,347	-	-	-	51,347
Mannar	..	-	-	-	-	24,408	-	-	-	24,408
Vavuniya	..	-	79	-	79	35,433	-	100	-	35,533
Mullaitivu	..	-	-	-	-	27,944	-	-	-	27,944
Batticaloa	..	-	-	-	-	110,249	-	-	-	110,249
Ampara	..	-	318	-	318	156,158	-	394	-	156,552
Trincomalee	..	-	207	-	207	85,518	-	212	-	85,730
Kurunegala	..	131	6,663	-	6,794	346,095	142	6,697	-	352,934
Puttalam	..	131	547	-	678	158,984	131	560	-	159,675
Anuradhapura	..	130	1,725	-	1,855	194,318	131	1,700	-	196,149
Polonnaruwa	..	-	984	-	984	84,899	-	989	-	85,888
Badulla	..	2,051	1,928	-	3,979	194,177	2,076	1,802	-	198,055
Moneragala	..	-	1,056	-	1,056	110,775	-	1,061	-	111,836
Ratnapura	..	85	2,518	-	2,603	245,058	88	2,704	-	247,850
Kegalle	..	83	2,499	-	2,582	177,852	80	2,653	-	180,585

* Figures in brackets indicate that the number of pupils in schools is not available for the year 1993-1998.

Table 21.5 (Contd.) - Number of pupils in schools by type of school classified by district, 1993 - 1998

District	1997					1998*				
	Govt. schools	Private schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total
Sri Lanka	4,124,108	85,390	50,991	-	4,260,989	4,134,838	91,370	51,916	-	4,278,124
Colombo	349,175	48,641	3,846	-	401,662	351,437	51,602	3,902	-	406,941
Gampaha	328,225	11,309	3,403	-	342,937	332,298	12,557	3,576	-	348,431
Kalutara	207,728	4,728	7,594	-	220,050	206,665	4,870	8,243	-	219,778
Kandy	295,753	7,064	5,257	-	308,074	295,634	7,608	4,960	-	308,202
Matale	105,973	814	1,095	-	107,882	105,708	836	1,296	-	107,840
Nuwara Eliya	162,689	1,075	510	-	164,274	164,178	1,119	524	-	165,821
Galle	231,963	157	3,381	-	235,501	231,891	134	3,560	-	235,585
Matara	180,351	4,024	6,160	-	190,535	182,371	4,254	5,833	-	192,458
Hambantota	145,270	208	1,078	-	146,556	144,917	214	1,054	-	146,185
Jaffna	112,634	5,374	-	-	118,008	121,619	5,674	-	-	127,293
Kilinochchi	39,549	-	-	-	39,549	37,305	-	-	-	37,305
Mannar	23,256	-	-	-	23,256	23,245	-	-	-	23,245
Vavuniya	41,605	-	105	-	41,710	42,199	-	120	-	42,319
Mullaitivu	48,076	-	-	-	48,076	43,915	-	-	-	43,915
Batticaloa	109,080	-	-	-	109,080	108,910	-	-	-	108,910
Ampara	155,319	-	441	-	155,760	156,018	-	539	-	156,557
Trincomalee	86,976	-	157	-	87,133	88,051	-	182	-	88,233
Kurunegala	341,546	138	6,524	-	348,208	339,430	132	6,360	-	345,922
Puttalam	157,374	126	608	-	158,108	158,884	115	604	-	159,603
Anuradhapura	193,187	130	1,723	-	195,040	192,771	116	1,853	-	194,740
Polonnaruwa	83,357	-	1,039	-	84,396	83,403	-	857	-	84,260
Badulla	195,192	1,942	1,722	-	198,856	195,092	1,998	1,771	-	198,861
Moneragala	110,465	-	1,095	-	111,560	111,150	-	1,054	-	112,204
Ratnapura	244,205	78	2,667	-	246,950	243,177	57	2,723	-	245,957
Kegalle	175,160	82	2,586	-	177,828	174,570	84	2,905	-	177,559

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

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Table 21.6 - Number of teachers in schools by type of school and district, 1993 - 1998

District	1993					1994				
	Govt. schools	Private and Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas schools	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private and Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas schools	Estate schools	Total
Sri Lanka	186,728	3,254	3,754	-	193,736	187,579	3,574	4,022	-	195,175
Colombo	14,332	1,822	275	-	16,429	14,421	1,915	290	-	16,626
Gampaha	13,473	381	304	-	14,158	13,674	380	315	-	14,383
Kalutara	9,410	132	303	-	9,845	9,417	158	439	-	9,890
Kandy	14,341	281	406	-	15,028	14,644	351	91	-	15,434
Matale	5,085	27	78	-	5,190	5,161	35	40	-	5,287
Nuwara Eliya	6,210	41	39	-	6,290	5,928	41	362	-	6,009
Galle	11,269	6	320	-	11,595	11,431	20	460	-	11,813
Matara	10,163	163	442	-	10,768	10,326	188	105	-	10,974
Hambantota	6,831	-	99	-	6,930	6,826	14	-	-	6,945
Jaffna	6,702	271	-	-	6,702	6,510	274	-	-	6,784
Kilinochchi	786	-	-	-	1,057	760	-	-	-	760
Mannar	655	-	-	-	655	614	-	-	-	614
Vavuniya	1,232	-	7	-	1,239	1,200	-	7	-	1,207
Mullaitivu	689	-	-	-	689	656	-	-	-	656
Batticaloa	3,612	-	-	-	3,612	3,662	-	-	-	3,662
Ampara	6,588	-	22	-	6,610	6,738	-	27	-	6,765
Trincomalee	3,769	-	15	-	3,784	3,662	-	18	-	3,680
Kurunegala	18,621	-	535	-	19,156	18,445	21	557	-	19,023
Puttalam	5,773	-	58	-	5,831	5,887	-	67	-	5,974
Anuradhapura	9,252	-	141	-	9,393	9,201	16	167	-	9,384
Polonnaruwa	3,593	-	61	-	3,654	3,434	-	71	-	3,505
Badulla	9,914	130	160	-	10,204	10,300	128	166	-	10,594
Moneragala	4,548	-	76	-	4,624	4,499	-	82	-	4,581
Ratnapura	9,805	-	209	-	10,014	10,065	13	212	-	10,290
Kegalle	10,075	-	204	-	10,279	10,118	-	217	-	10,335

Table 21.6 (Contd.) - Number of teachers in schools by type of school and district, 1993 - 1998

District	1995*					1996*				
	Govt schools	Private and Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total	Govt schools	Private and Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total
Sri Lanka	187,571	3,677	4,140	-	195,388	185,842	3,774	4,249	-	193,865
Colombo	..	1,996	295	-	2,291	14,760	2,040	297	-	17,097
Gampaha	..	391	341	-	732	13,988	428	346	-	14,762
Kalutara	..	173	330	-	503	9,540	176	322	-	10,038
Kandy	..	324	447	-	771	14,886	344	446	-	15,676
Matale	..	37	92	-	129	5,234	37	99	-	5,370
Muwara Eliya	..	46	39	-	85	5,948	42	51	-	6,041
Galle	..	24	374	-	398	11,077	22	384	-	11,483
Matara	..	251	502	-	753	10,051	238	501	-	10,790
Hambantota	..	17	103	-	120	6,609	10	106	-	6,725
Jaffna	..	204	-	-	204	4,725	235	-	-	4,960
Kilinochchi	..	-	-	-	-	1,271	-	-	-	1,271
Mannar	..	-	-	-	-	682	-	-	-	682
Vavuniya	..	-	7	-	7	1,533	-	9	-	1,542
Mullaitivu	..	-	-	-	-	958	-	-	-	958
Batticaloa	..	-	-	-	-	3,645	-	-	-	3,645
Ampara	..	-	26	-	26	6,281	-	29	-	6,310
Trincomalee	..	-	18	-	18	3,522	-	14	-	3,536
Kurunegala	..	31	574	-	605	18,066	21	608	-	18,695
Puttalam	..	20	60	-	80	5,972	20	60	-	6,052
Anuradhapura	..	16	168	-	184	9,187	15	177	-	9,379
Polonnaruwa	..	-	69	-	69	3,387	-	76	-	3,463
Badulla	..	128	174	-	302	10,208	129	186	-	10,523
Moneragala	..	-	86	-	86	4,333	-	90	-	4,423
Ratnapura	..	11	212	-	223	10,079	9	224	-	10,312
Kegalle	..	8	223	-	231	9,900	8	224	-	10,132

Table 21.6 (Contd.) - Number of teachers in schools by type of school and district, 1993 - 1998

District	1997					1998*				
	Govt. schools	Private and Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total	Govt. schools	Private and Approved/Certified schools	Pirivenas	Estate schools	Total
Sri Lanka	179,589	3,652	4,298	-	187,539	186,435	4,054	4,334	-	194,823
Colombo	13,949	2,152	297	-	16,398	14,515	2,169	305	-	16,989
Gampaha	13,356	417	352	-	14,125	13,966	557	367	-	14,890
Kalutara	9,233	170	344	-	9,747	9,577	199	350	-	10,126
Kandy	14,307	215	451	-	14,973	15,095	336	442	-	15,873
Matale	5,050	35	96	-	5,181	5,323	35	106	-	5,464
Muwara Eliya	6,367	16	51	-	6,434	6,382	35	50	-	6,467
Galle	10,312	25	375	-	10,712	10,772	24	397	-	11,193
Matara	9,354	175	503	-	10,032	9,754	219	498	-	10,471
Hambantota	6,559	10	111	-	6,680	6,881	10	107	-	6,998
Jaffna	4,583	224	-	-	4,807	5,250	241	-	-	5,491
Kilinochchi	858	-	-	-	858	915	-	-	-	915
Mannar	633	-	-	-	633	749	-	-	-	749
Vavuniya	1,597	-	9	-	1,606	1,703	-	10	-	1,713
Mullaitivu	947	-	-	-	947	871	-	-	-	871
Batticaloa	3,635	-	-	-	3,635	3,723	-	-	-	3,723
Ampara	6,037	-	29	-	6,066	6,076	-	36	-	6,112
Trincomalee	3,478	-	15	-	3,493	3,558	-	18	-	3,576
Kurunegala	17,827	23	614	-	18,464	18,354	32	598	-	18,984
Puttalam	5,903	21	61	-	5,985	6,010	19	61	-	6,090
Anuradhapura	8,870	17	183	-	9,070	9,234	18	190	-	9,442
Polonnaruwa	3,324	-	75	-	3,399	3,604	-	73	-	3,677
Badulla	9,718	135	185	-	10,038	9,744	140	180	-	10,064
Moneragala	4,374	-	89	-	4,463	4,286	-	88	-	4,374
Ratnapura	9,900	10	241	-	10,151	10,439	12	242	-	10,693
Kegalle	9,418	7	217	-	9,642	9,654	8	216	-	9,878

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

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Table 21.7 - Number of government schools by grade and district, 1994 - 1998

District	1994					1996					Total	
	Year 1 to Year 5	Year 1 to Year 8	Year 1 to Year 11	Year 1 to Year 13	Temporarily closed schools	Total	Year 1 to Year 5	Year 1 to Year 8	Year 1 to Year 11	Year 1 to Year 13		Temporarily closed schools
Sri Lanka	2,773	1,337	3,801	2,164	116	10,191	2,783	1,230	3,833	2,270	196	10,312
Colombo	68	36	204	139	-	447	66	30	208	141	-	445
Gampaha	153	57	238	132	1	581	149	52	239	140	-	580
Kalutara	107	39	220	97	-	463	107	37	216	102	-	462
Kandy	185	82	244	179	-	690	178	77	250	184	-	689
Matale	116	27	105	68	-	316	117	21	109	71	-	318
Nuwara Eliya	227	65	137	64	-	493	251	59	142	69	-	521
Galle	120	73	179	131	1	504	118	60	187	134	-	499
Matara	78	43	164	109	1	395	76	39	170	109	1	395
Hambantota	74	35	144	79	1	333	70	30	147	83	1	331
Jaffna	175	56	146	77	19	473	145	45	131	77	87	485
Kilinochchi	19	21	21	15	5	81	19	18	26	16	12	91
Mannar	33	11	25	12	24	105	33	11	29	13	22	108
Vavuniya	89	27	33	21	16	186	97	27	29	23	13	189
Mullaitivu	54	6	20	15	6	101	55	7	20	16	5	103
Batticaloa	138	49	53	44	11	295	158	42	53	52	11	316
Ampara	155	48	111	65	-	379	151	56	113	71	1	392
Trincomalee	49	44	66	52	24	235	58	38	79	55	23	253
Kurunegala	205	109	393	253	2	962	204	106	392	255	9	966
Puttalam	57	59	169	65	1	351	55	57	168	72	-	352
Anuradhapura	114	98	243	104	-	559	108	95	246	107	7	563
Polonnaruwa	50	30	84	49	2	215	53	24	88	48	2	215
Badulla	129	94	225	121	2	571	136	83	215	142	-	576
Moneragala	48	38	121	46	-	253	52	37	120	50	1	260
Ratnapura	109	131	245	109	-	594	110	123	246	119	-	598
Kegalle	221	59	211	118	-	609	217	56	210	121	1	605

Table 21.7 (Contd.) - Number of government schools by grade and district, 1994 - 1998

District	1997*					1998*					Total	
	Year 1 to Year 5	Year 1 to Year 8	Year 1 to Year 11	Year 1 to Year 13	Temporarily closed schools	Total	Year 1 to Year 5	Year 1 to Year 8	Year 1 to Year 11	Year 1 to Year 13		Temporarily closed schools	Total
Sri Lanka	2,809	1,191	3,830	2,290	238	10,358	2,805	1,124	3,844	2,310	230	10,313
Colombo	63	31	207	141	3	445	60	31	208	141	4	444
Gampaha	148	44	246	139	3	580	142	44	244	142	1	573
Kalutara	103	34	216	104	5	462	101	35	214	103	5	458
Kandy	178	77	249	185	-	689	182	65	251	185	2	685
Matale	120	19	108	73	-	320	121	23	102	75	1	322
Nuwara Eliya	238	71	143	69	1	522	237	64	148	72	-	521
Galle	125	52	183	132	2	494	128	40	186	132	1	487
Matara	75	38	171	109	1	394	73	31	180	105	4	393
Hambantota	73	27	150	81	2	333	73	22	148	84	2	329
Jaffna	155	40	136	79	75	485	151	40	138	80	76	485
Kilinochchi	25	18	24	17	8	92	25	18	26	18	5	92
Mannar	33	13	27	14	22	109	34	15	25	14	21	109
Vavuniya	97	24	32	22	14	189	99	23	33	22	12	189
Mullaitivu	49	8	19	16	14	106	47	8	23	16	12	106
Batticaloa	159	42	53	55	11	320	163	37	50	59	13	322
Ampara	155	59	111	72	4	401	157	51	117	71	3	399
Tiruchomalee	65	40	80	56	23	264	67	39	83	55	23	267
Kurunegala	199	106	383	259	22	969	195	103	384	259	17	958
Puttalam	62	47	171	74	3	357	54	48	171	79	1	353
Anuradhapura	115	94	240	114	6	569	123	88	238	112	9	570
Polonnaruwa	58	23	87	47	4	219	59	19	88	50	2	218
Badulla	142	79	213	141	2	577	141	84	208	144	1	578
Moneragala	54	37	119	50	3	263	56	37	116	52	3	264
Ratnapura	108	119	251	118	-	596	110	113	251	118	-	592
Kegalle	210	49	211	123	10	603	207	46	212	122	12	599

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

* Provisional

Note : Total figure may not tally when components are added as some schools are temporarily closed.

29 Data processing is still not completed for the year 1995.

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Table 21.8 - Number of government schools by status, 1989 - 1998

Status	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995*	1996*	1997	1998*
1 A B	492	501	513	530	554	566	592	588	590	600
1 C	1,372	1,389	1,510	1,617	1,699	1,696	1,730	1,838	1,867	1,936
Status 2	3,511	3,575	3,581	3,561	3,670	3,752	3,804	3,698	3,744	3,722
Status 3	4,430	4,399	4,394	4,334	4,237	4,177	4,157	4,188	4,157	4,055
Total	9,805	9,864	9,998	10,042	10,160	10,191	10,283	10,312	10,358	10,313

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

* Provisional.

- 1 A B : Schools having (A/L) Science classes.
 1 C : Schools having (A/L) Arts and Commerce classes (other than science classes)
 Status 2 : Schools having classes upto year 11.
 Status 3 : Schools having classes year 1 to year 5 & year 1 to year 8.

Table 21.9 - Number of pupils on registers classified by type of school attended, 1989 - 1998

Type of School	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993*	1994*	1995*	1996*	1997	1998*
Government										
Total	4,057,815	4,111,272	4,135,114	4,159,313	4,172,897	4,194,448	4,216,571	4,119,627	4,124,108	4,134,838
Male	2,042,472	2,068,628	2,075,942	2,089,057	2,095,615	2,107,488	-	2,065,114	2,064,747	2,064,692
Female	2,015,343	2,042,644	2,059,172	2,070,256	2,077,282	2,086,960	-	2,054,513	2,059,361	2,070,146
Private (**)										
Total	71,328	70,466	71,918	86,782+	81,517	84,166	86,630	82,507	85,890**	91,370**
Male	38,006	37,793	38,223	43,627+	41,288	42,161	-	-	42,315**	44,744**
Female	33,322	32,673	33,659	43,155+	40,229	41,005	-	-	43,575**	46,626**
Approved/Certified										
Total	12,488	12,127	11,650	-	2,416	3,593	-	3,698	-	-
Male	4,775	4,724	4,448	-	889	1,667	-	-	-	-
Female	7,713	7,403	7,202	-	1,527	1,926	-	-	-	-
Estate										
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Privonias	37,889	38,491	40,015	43,239	46,709	46,314	47,523	48,561	50,991	51,916
Grand Total	4,179,520	4,232,356	4,258,697	4,289,334	4,303,539	4,328,521	4,350,724	4,254,393	4,260,989	4,278,124

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education.

* Provisional.

+ Includes Approved / Certified schools.

++ Includes fee levying and non-fee levying schools.

** All private schools.

Table 21.10 - Teachers in schools classified by qualifications, 1993 - 1998
(excluding pirivena teachers)

Qualification	1993	1994	1996*	1997	1998*
Total	189,979	191,153	..	..	..
Bio science and Physical science graduates	47,834(1)	4,431			..
All other graduates		43,764	49,527(1)	49,634(1)	..
Science / Mathematics					..
university diploma		160			..
Special trained - English		12,352			..
Special trained - Science		19,539(5)			..
Special trained - Mathematics	84,573(2)		89,825(2)	91,623(2)	..
Special trained - Carpentry / Metal Work		913			..
Special trained - Weaving / Clay Work		481			..
Special trained - others		22,056			..
Ordinary trained		31,470			..
Certificated / Diploma English					..
Certificated / Diploma others	5,259(3)	4,578(3)	5,283(3)	4,614(3)	..
Un-certificated / Science / Mathematics		1,139			..
Un-certificated English	52,313(4)	5,225	44,692(4)	37,370(4)	..
All other teachers		45,045			..
Government					
Bio science and Physical science graduates		4,171			..
All other graduates	46,862(1)	43,030	48,448(1)	48,492(1)	49,637(1)
Science / Mathematics					..
university diploma		148	679	..	179
Special trained - English		12,169			..
Special trained - Science					..
Special trained - Mathematics	83,354(2)	19,360(5)	88,653(2)	90,508(2)	105,914(2)
Special trained - Carpentry / Metal Work		905			..
Special trained - Weaving / Clay Work		481			..
Special trained - others		21,582			..
Ordinary trained		30,975			..
Certificated / Diploma English					..
Certificated / Diploma others	5,070(3)	4,355	4,312(3)	4,260(3)	3,172(3)
Un-certificated / Science / Mathematics		978			..
Un-certificated English	51,442(4)	5,173	43,750(4)	36,329(4)	27,533(4)
All other teachers		44,252			..
Private					
Bio science and Physical science graduates		260			..
All other graduates	972(1)	734	1,132(1)	1,142(1)	..
Science / Mathematics					..
university diploma		12	..	..	..
Special trained - English		183			..
Special trained - Science		85			..
Special trained - Mathematics	1,219(2)	94	1,329(2)	1,115(2)	..
Special trained - Carpentry / Metal Work		8			..
Special trained - Weaving / Clay Work		-			..
Special trained - others		474			..
Ordinary trained		495			..
Certificated / Diploma English					..
Certificated / Diploma others	189(3)	223	296(3)	354(3)	..
Un-certificated / Science / Mathematics		161			..
Un-certificated English	671(4)	52	1,017(4)	1,041(4)	..
All other teachers		793			..

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

* Provisional.

Note - Data processing is still not completed for the year 1995

(1) All graduates

(2) All trained

(3) All certificated

(4) Un certificated

(5) Science and Mathematics

Table 21.11 - Repeaters in government schools upto year 13 by sex , province and district , 1991 - 1996

District/Province	1991			1992			1996*		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Western	29,487	25,664	55,151	30,155	27,964	58,119	27,338	24,820	52,158
Colombo	9,928	8,787	18,715	10,595	10,940	21,535	10,219	9,032	19,251
Gampaha	10,861	8,556	19,417	10,927	8,979	19,906	8,906	7,588	16,494
Kalutara	8,698	8,321	17,019	8,633	8,045	16,678	8,213	8,200	16,413
Central	31,888	28,199	60,087	29,130	25,289	54,419	24,046	23,108	47,154
Kandy	16,029	14,524	30,553	13,877	12,508	26,385	11,294	11,281	22,575
Matale	5,445	5,025	10,470	5,120	4,464	9,584	3,716	3,897	7,613
Nuwaraeliya	10,414	8,650	19,064	10,133	8,317	18,450	9,036	7,930	16,966
Southern	28,186	24,252	52,438	27,909	23,882	51,791	25,002	22,259	47,261
Galle	9,669	8,753	18,422	9,561	8,454	18,015	9,511	8,965	18,476
Matara	10,210	8,156	18,366	9,652	7,872	17,524	8,650	7,076	15,726
Hambantota	8,307	7,343	15,650	8,696	7,556	16,252	6,841	6,218	13,059
Northern	13,973	14,699	28,672	11,137	12,284	23,421	8,642	8,934	17,576
Jaffna	9,454	10,057	19,511	6,867	8,094	14,961	4,325	4,596	8,921
Kilinochchi	1,373	1,484	2,857	1,206	1,329	2,535	971	1,063	2,034
Mannar	960	1,006	1,966	775	800	1,575	906	908	1,814
Mullatiyu	1,234	1,184	2,418	1,072	946	2,018	1,205	1,132	2,337
Vavuniya	952	968	1,920	1,217	1,115	2,332	1,235	1,235	2,470
Eastern	18,050	14,683	32,733	19,561	16,551	36,112	20,327	16,804	37,131
Batticaloa	3,822	3,568	7,390	5,314	4,818	10,132	5,476	4,858	10,334
Ampara	9,676	7,542	17,218	10,009	8,422	18,431	9,379	7,884	17,263
Trincomalee	4,552	3,573	8,125	4,238	3,311	7,549	5,472	4,062	9,534
North Western	26,587	22,056	48,643	25,559	20,364	45,923	20,818	16,967	37,785
Kurunegala	18,531	15,574	34,105	17,698	14,133	31,831	14,109	12,276	26,385
Puttalam	8,056	6,482	14,538	7,861	6,231	14,092	6,709	4,691	11,400
North Central	14,951	12,322	27,273	14,031	11,662	25,693	12,544	11,292	23,836
Anuradhapura	10,675	8,697	19,372	10,037	8,114	18,151	9,306	8,234	17,540
Polonnaruwa	4,276	3,625	7,901	3,994	3,548	7,542	3,238	3,058	6,296
Uva	18,002	15,496	33,498	16,771	14,170	30,941	14,877	13,255	28,132
Badulla	12,310	10,330	22,640	10,939	9,297	20,236	9,674	8,533	18,207
Monaragala	5,692	5,166	10,858	5,832	4,873	10,705	5,203	4,722	9,925
Sabaragamuwa	21,820	19,088	40,908	21,023	18,665	39,688	17,633	16,207	33,840
Rathnapura	12,666	10,827	23,493	12,760	10,801	23,561	10,709	9,573	20,282
Kegalle	9,154	8,261	17,415	8,263	7,864	16,127	6,924	6,634	13,558
Sri Lanka	202,944	176,459	379,403	195,276	170,831	366,107	171,227	153,646	324,873

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

* Provisional

Note : Data is not available for the years 1993, 1994 and 1995.

Table 21.12 - Dropouts and dropout rates upto year 9 in government schools by sex and district, 1991 /1992

District / Province	Male		Female		Total	
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate
Western	8,307	2.5	8,335	2.7	16,642	2.6
Colombo	1,714	1.4	3,998	3.3	5,712	2.3
Gampaha	3,542	2.9	2,254	1.9	5,796	2.4
Kalutara	3,051	3.9	2,083	2.8	5,134	3.3
Central	8,547	4.2	6,090	3.2	14,637	3.7
Kandy	3,602	3.4	2,557	2.5	6,159	3.0
Matale	1,776	4.5	1,326	3.5	3,102	4.0
Nuwara Eliya	3,169	5.2	2,207	4.0	5,376	4.7
Southern	6,742	3.5	3,824	2.0	10,566	2.8
Galle	2,898	3.6	2,075	2.7	4,973	3.1
Matara	1,787	2.8	709	1.2	2,496	2.0
Hambantota	2,057	4.0	1,040	2.1	3,097	3.1
Northern	13,284	12.2	10,267	9.7	23,551	11.0
Jaffna	8,054	11.0	5,919	8.3	13,973	9.7
Kilinochchi	151	1.3	-29	-0.3	122	0.5
Mannar	2,563	33.0	2,296	30.4	4,859	31.8
Mullativu	1,590	17.4	1,383	15.9	2,973	16.7
Vavuniya	926	12.2	698	9.5	1,624	10.9
Eastern	5,815	4.8	5,513	4.8	11,328	4.8
Batticaloa	3,180	8.2	2,625	6.9	5,805	7.6
Ampara	2,054	3.8	2,079	4.1	4,133	3.9
Trincomalee	581	2.1	809	3.2	1,390	2.7
North Western	8,529	4.6	6,012	3.4	14,541	4.0
Kurunagala	4,678	3.7	2,800	2.3	7,478	3.0
Puttalam	3,851	6.5	3,212	5.7	7,063	6.1
North Central	4,847	4.5	3,424	3.3	8,271	3.9
Anuradhapura	3,112	4.1	2,169	2.9	5,281	3.5
Polonnaruwa	1,735	5.5	1,255	4.1	2,990	4.8
Uva	3,900	3.7	2,282	2.3	6,182	3.0
Badulla	2,374	3.5	1,306	2.1	3,680	2.8
Monaragala	1,526	4.1	976	2.7	2,502	3.4
Sabaragamuwa	6,279	4.2	4,155	2.9	10,434	3.5
Ratnapura	4,260	4.3	2,411	2.9	6,671	3.9
Kegalle	2,019	3.2	1,744	2.8	3,763	3.0
Sri Lanka	66,250	4.4	49,902	3.5	116,152	3.9

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

Table 21.13 - Distribution of government schools, pupils and teachers by district, 1993 - 1998

District	1993	1994	1995*	1996*	1997	1998*
Grand Total						
Schools	10,160	10,191	10,283	10,312	10,358	10,313
Pupils	4,172,897	4,194,448	4,216,571	4,119,627	4,124,108	4,134,838
Teachers	186,728	187,579	187,571	185,842	179,589	186,435
Colombo						
Schools	447	447	446	445	445	444
Pupils	353,869	354,068	..	344,092	349,175	351,437
Teachers	14,332	14,421	..	14,760	13,949	14,515
Gampaha						
Schools	583	581	581	580	580	573
Pupils	336,117	336,579	..	329,741	328,225	332,298
Teachers	13,473	13,674	..	13,988	13,356	13,966
Kalutara						
Schools	464	463	463	462	462	458
Pupils	215,625	215,610	..	210,181	207,728	206,665
Teachers	9,410	9,417	..	9,540	9,233	9,577
Kandy						
Schools	686	690	692	689	689	685
Pupils	296,727	108,039	..	297,395	295,753	295,634
Teachers	14,341	14,644	..	14,886	14,307	15,095
Matale						
Schools	316	316	318	318	320	322
Pupils	108,414	298,738	..	107,592	105,973	105,708
Teachers	5,085	5,161	..	5,234	5,050	5,323
Nuwara Eliya						
Schools	494	493	524	521	522	521
Pupils	166,277	166,868	..	165,630	162,689	164,178
Teachers	6,210	5,928	..	5,948	6,367	6,382
Galle						
Schools	506	504	503	499	494	487
Pupils	229,815	231,074	..	231,702	231,963	231,891
Teachers	11,269	11,431	..	11,077	10,312	10,772
Matara						
Schools	397	395	396	395	394	393
Pupils	182,692	182,235	..	181,952	180,351	182,371
Teachers	10,163	10,326	..	10,051	9,354	9,754
Hambantota						
Schools	330	333	333	331	333	329
Pupils	142,829	144,511	..	145,987	145,270	144,917
Teachers	6,831	6,826	..	6,609	6,559	6,881
Jaffna						
Schools	482	473	485	485	485	485
Pupils	186,782	180,839	..	102,140	112,634	121,619
Teachers	6,702	6,510	..	4,725	4,583	5,250
Kilinochchi						
Schools	84	81	89	91	92	92
Pupils	37,625	38,699	..	51,347	39,549	37,305
Teachers	786	760	..	1,271	858	915
Mannar						
Schools	105	105	105	108	109	109
Pupils	16,805	18,801	..	24,408	23,256	23,245
Teachers	655	614	..	682	633	749
Vavuniya						
Schools	184	186	189	189	189	189
Pupils	24,173	26,252	..	35,433	41,605	42,199
Teachers	1,232	1,200	..	1,533	1,597	1,703

Table 21.13 (Contd.)- Distribution of government schools, pupils and teachers by district, 1993 - 1998

District	1993	1994	1995*	1996*	1997	1998*
Mullaitivu						
Schools	100	101	103	103	106	106
Pupils	24,995	27,587	..	27,944	48,076	43,915
Teachers	689	656	..	668	947	871
Batticaloa						
Schools	291	295	303	316	320	322
Pupils	107,490	108,720	..	110,249	109,080	108,910
Teachers	3,612	3,662	..	3,645	3,635	3,723
Ampara						
Schools	377	379	393	392	401	399
Pupils	151,657	154,729	..	156,158	155,319	156,018
Teachers	6,588	6,738	..	6,281	6,037	6,076
Trincomalee						
Schools	223	235	239	253	264	267
Pupils	80,859	82,424	..	85,518	86,976	88,051
Teachers	3,769	3,662	..	3,522	3,478	3,558
Puttalam						
Schools	351	351	353	352	357	353
Pupils	159,526	160,306	..	158,984	157,374	158,884
Teachers	5,773	5,887	..	5,972	5,903	6,010
Kurunegala						
Schools	965	962	962	966	969	958
Pupils	352,982	351,379	..	346,095	341,546	339,430
Teachers	18,621	18,445	..	18,067	17,827	18,354
Anuradhapura						
Schools	556	559	564	563	569	570
Pupils	196,228	195,950	..	194,318	193,187	192,771
Teachers	9,252	9,201	..	9,187	8,870	9,234
Polonnaruwa						
Schools	210	215	213	215	219	218
Pupils	85,612	86,063	..	84,899	83,357	83,403
Teachers	3,593	3,434	..	3,387	3,324	3,604
Moneragala						
Schools	244	253	253	260	263	264
Pupils	105,293	107,433	..	110,775	110,465	111,150
Teachers	4,548	4,499	..	4,333	4,374	4,286
Badulla						
Schools	563	571	570	576	577	578
Pupils	191,410	194,271	..	194,177	195,192	195,092
Teachers	9,914	10,300	..	10,208	9,718	9,744
Ratnapura						
Schools	592	594	598	598	596	592
Pupils	240,474	243,738	..	245,058	244,205	243,177
Teachers	9,805	10,065	..	10,079	9,900	10,439
Kegalle						
Schools	610	609	608	605	603	599
Pupils	178,621	179,535	..	177,852	175,160	174,570
Teachers	10,075	10,118	..	9,900	9,418	9,654

Source - Ministry of Education and Higher Education

* Provisional

(1) Teachers data excludes teachers in teacher's training colleges.

Table 21.14 - Institutions of higher learning by number of departments, teachers, students, income and expenditure, 1991 - 1996

Academic Year	No. of departments	Number of students			No. of teachers	Income * Rs.'000	Total expenditure Rs.('000)
		Male	Female	Total			
1990/91							
All universities	222	17,926	13,521	31,447	1,697	1,084,037	966,303
Colombo	33	3,175	3,092	6,267	290	179,899	164,001
Peradeniya	58	4,853	2,866	7,719	490	298,244	296,434
Sri Jayewardenepura	16	3,056	2,338	5,394	204	110,583	92,645
Kelaniya	24	2,329	1,632	3,961	194	119,007	99,577
Moratuwa	13	1,483	287	1,770	133	102,400	81,658
Jaffna	37	850	1,506	2,356	167	112,296	92,293
Ruhuna	25	1,782	1,573	3,355	170	129,235	112,863
Batticaloa(Eastern)	16	398	227	625	49	32,373	26,832
1991/92							
All universities	230	17,045	13,592	30,637	1,860	1,316,348	1,423,591
Colombo	33	3,094	3,176	6,270	325	232,980	367,946
Peradeniya	59	4,240	2,627	6,867	545	359,608	387,519
Sri Jayewardenepura	17	2,753	2,178	4,931	205	147,238	122,160
Kelaniya	26	2,160	1,738	3,898	217	114,646	118,661
Moratuwa	13	1,594	320	1,914	133	95,975	111,955
Jaffna	40	1,099	1,689	2,788	175	128,138	105,316
Ruhuna	25	1,685	1,609	3,294	195	196,975	167,844
Batticaloa(Eastern)	17	420	255	675	65	40,788	42,190
1992/93							
All universities	254	16,848	13,916	30,764	2,004	1,809,123	1,687,589
Colombo	35	3,263	3,221	6,484	342	297,909	265,624
Peradeniya	59	4,434	2,683	7,117	605	546,694	477,962
Sri Jayewardenepura	23	2,592	2,205	4,797	222	218,546	210,853
Kelaniya	37	2,124	1,870	3,994	225	126,407	136,722
Moratuwa	13	1,262	295	1,557	162	162,296	191,488
Jaffna	39	993	1,531	2,524	182	158,828	140,722
Ruhuna	31	1,737	1,711	3,448	190	241,536	204,227
Batticaloa(Eastern)	17	443	400	843	76	56,907	59,991
1993/94							
All universities	262	16,161**	12,752**	32,004	2,115	1,993,751	1,960,581
Colombo	37	3,117	2,967	6,084	363	319,285	293,451
Peradeniya	60	4,124	2,753	6,877	612	609,305	559,110
Sri Jayewardenepura	24	2,783	2,360	5,143	241	244,361	248,004
Kelaniya	39	2,247	2,186	4,433	249	167,958	176,915
Moratuwa	13	1,522	287	1,809	168	176,484	187,965
Jaffna	38	..	..	3,091	186	179,338	169,565
Ruhuna	33	1,844	1,815	3,659	213	234,415	258,461
Batticaloa(Eastern)	18	524	384	908	83	62,605	67,110
1994/95							
All universities	275	16,975**	13,096**	30,071**	2,262	2,206,568	2,210,691
Colombo	34	3,057	3,026	6,083	376	355,362	374,844
Peradeniya	61	4,222	2,795	7,017	664	620,975	631,531
Sri Jayewardenepura	37	3,052	2,361	5,413	281	286,231	238,018
Kelaniya	40	2,441	2,274	4,715	261	210,260	227,425
Moratuwa	13	1,541	307	1,848	202	209,185	222,581
Jaffna	40	..	..	..	181	194,947	162,191
Ruhuna	33	2,093	1,928	4,021	217	236,618	272,734
Batticaloa(Eastern)	17	569	405	974	80	92,990	81,367
1995/96							
All universities	306	20,078	16,719	36,797	2,442	2,831,004	2,792,381
Colombo	35	3,292	3,319	6,611	407	474,035	482,535
Peradeniya	61	4,549	2,991	7,540	627	711,940	687,046
Sri Jayewardenepura	36	3,441	2,862	6,303	299	330,868	310,987
Kelaniya	40	3,036	3,071	6,107	288	330,079	316,202
Moratuwa	13	1,567	287	1,854	202	238,267	245,329
Jaffna	40	1,046	1,163	2,209	190	167,695	120,062
Ruhuna	34	1,903	1,921	3,824	240	283,358	323,540
Batticaloa(Eastern)	19	502	404	906	86	103,005	108,978
South Eastern	7	271	132	403	20	42,165	37,982
Rajarata	12	203	191	394	43	91,859	91,988
Seberagamawa	9	268	378	646	40	57,733	67,732

Source - Division of Planning and Research
University Grants Commission

* Income includes government grants, interest, rent from properties, sales, fees, hostel recoveries etc.
** Excluding Jaffna University.

Table 21.15 - Number of students by university and major courses of study, 1991 - 1996

University / Course of study	1990/91	1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95	1995/96
University of Colombo	6,267	6,270	6,484	6,084	6,083	6,611
Courses of study						
Arts **	1,610	1,636	1,596	1,504	1,592	1,957
Commerce & Management Studies	1,034	931	1,080	997	1,001	1,011
Science	1,410	1,484	1,780	1,555	1,461	1,427
Medicine	1,246	1,295	1,207	1,182	1,201	1,202
Law	967	924	821	846	828	1,014
University of Peradeniya	7,719	6,867	7,117	6,877	7,017	7,540
Courses of study						
Arts **	2,407	1,976	2,113	2,284	2,299	2,424
Science	1,082	901	858	809	889	870
Veterinary Science	261	261	271	298	328	369
Engineering	1,568	1,379	1,698	1,225	1,223	1,575
Agriculture	1,137	1,108	900	933	947	949
Medicine and Dental	1,264	1,242	1,277	1,328	1,331	1,353
University of Sri Jayawardenepura	5,394	4,931	4,797	5,143	5,413	6,303
Courses of study						
Arts	1,721	1,613	1,671	1,702	1,753	1,705
Commerce & Management Studies	2,984	2,691	2,451	2,620	2,683	3,385
Science	689	492	432	456	471	571
Medicine	-	135	243	365	506	642
University of Kelaniya	3,961	3,898	3,994	4,433	4,715	6,107
Courses of study						
Arts	2,143	1,982	1,964	2,094	2,244	3,066
Commerce	600	568	589	689	707	924
Science	949	921	885	911	935	1,233
Medicine	269	427	556	739	829	884
University of Moratuwa	1,770	1,914	1,557	1,809	1,848	1,854
Courses of study						
Engineering	1,486	1,703	1,333	1,478	1,505	1,581
Architecture & Quantity Surveying	284	211	224	331	343	273
University of Jaffna	2,356	2,788	2,524	3,091	..	2,209
Courses of study						
Arts	744	870	827	1,019	..	738
Science	540	723	532	712	..	416
Commerce & Business Studies	573	644	615	742	..	552
Medicine	441	473	464	501	..	433
Agriculture	58	78	86	117	..	70
University of Ruhuna	3,355	3,294	3,448	3,659	4,021	3,824
Courses of study						
Arts	861	871	996	1,104	1,446	1,178
Science	869	870	814	928	933	907
Medicine	793	704	843	727	739	756
Agriculture	246	271	288	303	310	328
Commerce & Management Studies	586	578	507	597	593	655
Eastern University	625	675	843	908	974	906
Courses of study						
Agriculture	61	60	49	50	55	45
Science	256	213	224	193	216	202
Commerce & Management Studies	128	143	208	287	232	311
Arts	180	259	362	378	471	348

Source - Division of Planning and Research
University Grants Commission

Table 21.16 - Admission performance and expenditure of Sri Lanka Law College, 1994 - 1998

Item	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Admission					
Direct	236	237	239	246	242
LL.B Graduate	231	262	347	558	398
Attorneys at Law Exam					
Entered	254	437	411	310	430
April	476	535	604	624	543
October					
Successful					
April	102	181	244	115	204
October	207	269	325	306	265
Lecturers	34	34	35	36	36
Tutors	-	15	22	22	28
Expenditure (Rs.)	5,441,767	6,268,402	6,724,544	7,124,762	..
Receipts Fees (Rs.) (Lecture Fees)	1,142,555	1,272,810	1,527,555	1,734,390	..

Source - Sri Lanka Law College

.. Not Available

Table 21.17 - Technical colleges classified by type, number of colleges, students, staff and expenditure, 1992 - 1998

Item	1992	1993	1994*	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total No. of technical colleges	30	30	31	33	34	33	36
Grade 1 technical colleges	13		16	27	27	26	27
Grade 2 technical colleges	11	11	11	-	-	-	-
Affiliated technical units	6	4	4	6	7	7	9
Number of staff	1,391	1,495	1,580	1,391	1,649	1,619	1,562
Teaching staff (1)	720	781	778	742	754	790	623
Others	671	714	802	649	895	829	939
New admissions	12,104	11,570	14,483	13,240	10,217	12,238	11,652
New admission by levels of courses							
Higher National Diploma	983	1,444	1,623	1,572	436	-	-
National Diploma	762	642	904	819	279	18	17
National Certificate	6,410	6,736	8,446	7,538	6,596	8,639	8,123
National Craft(Trade) +	1,795	2,235	2,869	2,880	2,623	3,240	3,149
Others	2,154	513	641	431	283	341	363
Total enrolments	18,077	17,337	20,914	20,387	18,135	15,397	15,013
Enrolment by levels of courses							
Higher National Diploma	3,158	3,289	3,879	3,910	3,449	-	-
National Diploma	1,187	1,183	1,568	1,552	1,266	31	26
National Certificate	9,185	9,643	11,235	10,811	9,713	11,044	10,667
National Craft(Trade)	2,415	2,709	3,556	3,670	3,424	3,941	3,957
Others	2,132	513	676	444	283	341	363
Total expenditure on technical-education (Rs.Million) (2)	557.7	393.0	659.3	368.8	413.9	373.8	425.0*
Recurrent expenditure(Rs.Million)	401.9	130.7	159.0	156.9	212.6	208.0	232.6*
Capital expenditure(Rs.Million)	155.8	262.3	500.0	211.9	201.3	165.9	192.4

Source - Department of Technical Education and Training

* Provisional

+ National Craft (Trade) courses are considered as National Certificate Level Courses from 1994 onwards.

(1) Excluding visiting staff.

(2) Including expenditure incurred by ADB project.

Table 21.18 - Percentage of undergraduate entrants by university, academic stream and sex, 1993 - 1996

University and academic year	Arts		Management Studies		Commerce		Law		Science		Medicine		Dental Science		Veterinary Science		Agriculture		Engineering		Architecture		Quantity Survey		Total		
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
Colombo	10.98	19.80	2.30	3.87	4.81	5.60	5.52	8.32	16.64	6.39	8.68	5.09	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.92	51.08
1992/93	12.47	20.79	4.31	3.31	7.16	4.70	6.54	8.62	10.88	6.08	10.16	5.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.50	48.50
1993/94	11.88	19.49	2.90	3.96	5.21	5.81	7.52	14.72	8.98	7.72	4.22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.66	52.34
1994/95	10.11	23.80	4.32	2.26	6.45	5.52	5.12	8.05	14.83	8.59	7.65	4.32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.47	52.53
Peradeniya	16.39	21.42	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.37	5.52	4.97	4.22	2.17	2.30	1.74	1.24	6.39	4.35	16.39	2.55	58.41	-	-	-	-	58.41	41.59
1992/93	15.17	22.45	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.59	5.22	6.19	3.82	2.37	1.64	0.67	1.33	8.01	4.37	17.23	1.94	59.23	-	-	-	-	59.23	40.77
1993/94	14.35	19.85	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.32	6.84	5.75	4.60	1.69	2.60	1.51	2.36	5.15	4.84	16.40	2.72	56.17	-	-	-	-	56.17	43.83
1994/95	16.51	22.11	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.78	6.02	5.65	3.23	1.99	2.10	1.78	1.99	5.16	5.65	15.28	1.78	57.13	-	-	-	-	57.13	42.87
1995/96	16.00	18.86	20.96	14.80	7.06	6.01	-	-	6.54	3.61	3.76	2.40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.32	-	-	-	-	54.32	45.68
Sri Jayawardeneapura	14.89	19.11	21.97	14.09	7.32	7.01	-	-	4.46	2.31	5.02	3.82	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.66	-	-	-	-	53.66	46.34
1992/93	15.02	15.73	21.63	16.82	4.94	5.45	-	-	6.51	4.49	4.49	4.49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.89	-	-	-	-	52.89	47.11
1993/94	12.02	18.07	22.77	16.59	4.77	6.51	-	-	6.51	3.56	4.87	4.23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.04	-	-	-	-	51.04	48.96
1994/95	16.63	24.42	-	-	8.08	5.19	-	-	19.42	9.23	8.75	8.27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.88	-	-	-	-	52.88	47.12
1995/96	21.07	26.99	-	-	10.09	8.35	-	-	10.00	5.34	11.36	6.80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.52	-	-	-	-	52.52	47.48
Kelaniya	13.59	29.41	-	-	9.03	7.70	-	-	16.32	9.28	8.04	6.63	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.98	-	-	-	-	46.98	53.02
1992/93	14.53	31.38	-	-	8.67	8.91	-	-	13.46	7.95	8.11	6.98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.78	-	-	-	-	44.78	55.22
Moratuwa	4.87	32.38	4.58	5.73	4.87	9.17	-	-	11.75	6.59	8.31	7.16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	82.08	-	-	-	-	82.08	17.92
1992/93	9.75	23.73	5.08	4.66	11.02	9.96	-	-	14.62	4.66	8.26	5.51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83.18	-	-	-	-	83.18	16.81
1993/94	10.16	28.87	4.44	2.70	6.35	6.03	-	-	16.19	10.63	7.94	5.08	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	79.70	-	-	-	-	79.70	20.30
1994/95	11.88	33.02	6.28	6.05	8.26	7.79	-	-	8.84	4.88	6.26	4.65	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	84.02	-	-	-	-	84.02	15.98
1995/96	11.43	21.79	-	-	9.17	6.69	-	-	18.34	9.39	7.66	6.15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.57	-	-	-	-	70.57	29.43
Jaffna	13.22	22.38	-	-	10.79	6.03	-	-	16.36	8.24	7.66	5.57	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74.14	-	-	-	-	74.14	25.86
1992/93	12.45	26.60	-	-	8.51	7.23	-	-	14.68	11.49	6.91	5.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.22	-	-	-	-	72.22	27.78
1993/94	14.09	27.14	-	-	11.99	9.30	-	-	9.30	5.40	10.19	6.75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.73	-	-	-	-	75.73	24.27
1994/95	13.48	18.44	6.38	3.55	4.96	9.93	-	-	22.70	11.35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83.18	-	-	-	-	83.18	16.81
1995/96	27.85	22.48	9.73	2.01	10.74	3.36	-	-	14.43	5.71	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83.18	-	-	-	-	83.18	16.81
Eastern	19.77	12.93	10.65	2.68	7.60	3.04	-	-	23.57	16.73	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.22	-	-	-	-	72.22	27.78
1992/93	16.39	32.38	8.61	3.69	6.20	4.92	-	-	9.43	10.25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.73	-	-	-	-	75.73	24.27
1993/94	13.48	18.44	6.38	3.55	4.96	9.93	-	-	22.70	11.35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83.18	-	-	-	-	83.18	16.81
1994/95	27.85	22.48	9.73	2.01	10.74	3.36	-	-	14.43	5.71	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.22	-	-	-	-	72.22	27.78
1995/96	16.39	32.38	8.61	3.69	6.20	4.92	-	-	9.43	10.25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.73	-	-	-	-	75.73	24.27
South Eastern	36.59	20.33	13.82	6.50	16.28	6.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83.18	-	-	-	-	83.18	16.81
1992/93	43.80	21.49	14.05	5.79	10.74	4.13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83.18	-	-	-	-	83.18	16.81
1993/94	12.90	20.03	4.59	3.77	4.83	4.37	1.05	1.58	12.71	6.50	6.04	4.63	0.48	0.51	0.38	0.27	2.20	1.75	8.71	1.46	0.34	0.30	0.49	0.10	54.73	45.27	
1994/95	14.45	20.88	5.25	3.38	6.36	4.69	1.18	1.53	10.15	4.90	7.08	4.37	0.53	0.37	0.15	0.30	2.23	2.01	8.57	1.02	0.27	0.45	0.30	0.03	56.50	43.50	
1995/96	13.08	20.72	5.43	4.24	5.09	4.64	0.95	1.36	12.14	7.80	5.91	4.42	0.34	0.51	0.30	0.47	1.65	1.57	7.29	1.32	0.23	0.32	0.19	0.04	52.60	47.40	
1996/97	13.08	23.60	5.85	4.12	5.25	5.16	0.91	1.43	10.02	5.85	6.10	4.25	0.44	0.46	0.39	0.44	1.88	1.55	7.66	0.87	0.17	0.37	0.31	0.06	51.85	48.15	

Source - Division of Planning and Research
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* Biological Science and Physical Science together.

M - Male

F - Female

Note : No entrants were given for the universities of Rajarata and Sabaragamuwa. The reason is that in 1994/95, no new students were admitted to those two universities.

Table 21.19 - Total student enrolment according to university, course of study and sex, 1993 - 1996

University	Academic Year	Undergraduate				Postgraduate				Other				Total			
		Male		Female		M.A/M.Sc.		M.Phil.		Ph.D.		Diploma		Certificate		Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Colombo	1992/93	3,263	3,221	557	707	474	208	47	82	16	6	198	39	-	-	4,555	4,263
	1993/94	3,117	2,967	613	574	213	91	12	18	9	1	111	26	14	6	4,089	3,683
	1994/95	3,057	3,026	743	526	305	185	28	32	26	7	93	19	3	1	4,255	3,796
	1995/96	3,292	3,319	664	532	488	322	50	21	4	4	257	81	3	-	4,758	4,279
Paradeniya	1992/93	4,434	2,683	266	229	69	90	93	50	16	14	-	-	-	-	4,878	3,066
	1993/94	4,124	2,753	264	237	68	92	95	55	8	11	-	-	-	-	4,559	3,148
	1994/95	4,222	2,795	283	236	88	92	191	101	41	19	-	-	21	1	4,869	3,250
	1995/96	4,549	2,991	308	247	152	80	386	250	35	7	-	-	16	2	5,446	3,577
Sri Jayewardenepura	1992/93	2,124	1,870	9	13	34	19	3	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2,171	1,904
	1993/94	2,247	2,186	8	14	121	88	3	1	14	2	27	21	-	-	2,420	2,312
	1994/95	3,052	2,361	75	30	147	59	29	18	6	-	-	-	12	18	3,321	2,486
	1995/96	3,441	2,862	98	25	183	72	21	15	9	1	50	17	25	10	3,827	3,002
Moratuwa	1992/93	2,592	2,205	63	23	59	36	25	3	8	3	36	11	-	-	2,783	2,281
	1993/94	2,783	2,360	109	34	88	46	4	5	4	3	43	5	-	-	3,031	2,453
	1994/95	2,441	2,274	-	-	57	36	57	29	11	2	64	125	-	-	2,630	2,466
	1995/96	3,036	3,071	-	-	222	102	18	16	4	2	75	180	588	968	3,943	4,339
Jaffna	1992/93	1,262	295	74	9	73	42	4	2	-	-	545*	122*	-	-	1,958	470
	1993/94	1,522	287	43	12	40	24	-	573	83	7	81	81	7	-	2,259	413
	1994/95	1,541	307	81	17	118	42	10	2	3	1	818	124	153	38	2,724	531
	1995/96	1,567	287	-	-	35	31	1	1	-	-	520*	103*	-	-	2,123	422
Ruhuna	1992/93	993	1,531	-	-	8	5	151	141	15	5	-	-	-	-	1,167	1,682
	1993/94	803	1,001	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	803	1,001
	1994/95	1,046	1,163	52	70	1	1	115	114	14	3	-	-	-	-	1,228	1,351
	1995/96	1,737	1,711	-	-	12	10	22	9	13	3	-	-	-	-	1,784	1,733
Eastern	1992/93	1,844	1,815	-	-	11	16	10	8	13	5	-	-	-	-	1,878	1,844
	1993/94	2,093	1,928	-	-	14	17	37	17	22	6	-	-	-	-	2,166	1,968
	1994/95	1,903	1,921	-	-	7	13	27	12	8	2	-	-	-	-	1,945	1,948
	1995/96	443	400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	443	400
South Eastern	1994/95	185	82	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	15	-	-	240	97
	1995/96	271	132	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	13	-	-	317	145
Sabaragamuwa	1994/95	51	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	243	351
	1995/96	203	191	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	192	309	-	-	203	191
Total	1992/93	16,848	13,916	919	981	729	410	345	288	69	32	779	172	-	-	19,739	15,799
	1993/94	16,848	14,581	1,017	871	541	357	124	87	48	22	754	135	109	27	36,116	36,116
	1994/95	20,078	16,719	1,122	809	729	431	360	199	109	35	1,386	793	189	58	22,189	16,912
	1995/96	20,078	16,719	1,122	874	1,088	621	618	429	74	19	948	394	632	980	24,550	20,036

Source - Division of Planning and Research University Grants Commission

* National Diploma in Technology

Table 21.20 - Percentage of postgraduate students enrolment by university academic stream and sex, 1993 - 1996

Academic stream University and academic year	Arts		Commercial Management studies		Law		Education		Science		Medicine		Dental Science		Veterinary Science		Agriculture		Engineering		Architecture		Total		
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
Colombo	1992/93	9.73	6.34	1.29	2.00	0.91	28.37	37.39	2.81	0.86	0.91	1.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.17	47.83	
	1993/94	8.33	4.98	3.54	0.52	0.20	0.46	37.51	36.59	5.24	2.10	0.33	0.20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.15	44.85	
	1994/95	9.99	7.18	6.80	1.08	3.51	1.78	37.58	28.40	1.40	1.62	0.22	0.43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.50	40.50	
	1995/96	13.81	10.98	7.87	2.25	2.35	0.91	28.25	26.04	3.55	1.25	2.01	0.72	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.84	42.16	
Peradeniya	1992/93	13.30	6.41	-	-	-	31.80	35.79	1.57	0.60	2.78	2.42	0.12	0.36	0.24	0.73	3.87	0.73	3.74	0.97	3.74	0.97	53.69	46.31	
	1993/94	14.34	15.18	-	-	-	29.64	28.07	0.96	0.48	3.01	2.41	0.24	0.48	0.48	0.38	3.74	0.97	3.74	0.97	3.74	0.97	52.41	47.59	
	1994/95	12.09	11.71	-	-	-	26.72	22.29	15.49	5.66	2.17	1.89	0.19	0.38	0.09	0.38	0.94	0.38	0.94	0.38	0.94	0.38	57.70	42.30	
	1995/96	27.85	18.98	-	-	-	17.13	16.31	9.90	3.48	0.89	0.41	-	0.07	0.14	0.07	4.23	0.55	4.23	0.55	4.23	0.55	60.14	39.86	
St. Jayewar- denepura	1992/93	43.18	12.27	-	-	-	-	-	27.27	15.91	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.45	29.55	
	1993/94	35.50	12.28	14.33	5.12	-	-	-	20.14	12.63	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.97	30.03	
	1994/95	30.22	17.03	20.33	3.02	-	-	-	20.05	9.34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.60	29.40	
	1995/96	15.37	5.20	28.13	4.96	-	-	-	29.55	16.55	0.24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73.29	26.71	
Kelaniya	1992/93	49.38	28.40	-	-	-	-	-	8.64	13.58	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.02	41.98	
	1993/94	47.81	24.70	6.77	1.99	-	-	-	5.18	13.55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.76	40.24	
	1994/95	43.75	17.71	13.54	5.21	-	-	-	7.81	11.98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.10	34.90	
	1995/96	57.97	26.37	7.14	2.75	-	-	-	1.92	3.85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.03	32.97	
Moratuwa	1992/93	-	-	-	-	-	11.69	6.15	1.54	2.46	4.31	2.77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.75	4.90	36.27	74.02	25.98	
	1993/94	36.00	35.08	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.48	6.45	34.68	70.16	29.84	
	1994/95	-	-	-	-	-	14.05	18.92	0.81	1.08	1.35	1.08	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.14	77.01	14.23	8.76	77.37	22.63	
	1995/96	32.97	29.73	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.83	14.71	22.06	32.35	52.94	47.06	
Ruhuna	1992/93	31.88	11.59	4.35	4.35	-	-	-	23.19	5.80	4.35	1.45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.75	4.90	36.27	74.02	25.98	
	1993/94	31.82	27.27	-	-	-	-	-	9.09	3.03	7.57	4.55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.14	77.01	14.23	8.76	77.37	22.63
	1994/95	23.01	15.93	3.54	2.65	-	-	-	21.74	5.80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.83	14.71	22.06	32.35	52.94	47.06
	1995/96	26.09	23.19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.54	46.46	
Eastern	1992/93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	1993/94	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	1994/95	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	1995/96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	1992/93	15.38	9.36	4.66	0.86	1.10	0.50	23.44	28.77	4.19	2.12	1.54	1.36	0.03	0.08	0.05	0.08	0.16	2.85	0.42	1.94	1.12	55.24	44.76	
	1993/94	15.90	10.29	3.66	0.91	0.10	0.23	26.48	25.61	5.37	3.53	1.13	0.84	0.06	0.13	0.13	0.16	0.19	2.43	0.52	1.39	0.94	56.81	43.19	
	1994/95	13.83	9.63	5.97	1.14	1.69	0.86	25.40	19.77	7.99	3.99	0.83	0.80	0.05	0.10	0.03	0.21	0.23	4.75	1.09	1.01	0.63	61.75	38.25	
	1995/96	22.96	15.50	6.38	1.61	1.01	0.39	18.41	17.59	7.62	3.49	1.26	0.52	-	0.02	0.04	0.19	0.14	1.71	0.37	0.31	0.45	59.89	40.41	

Source - Division of Planning and Research
University Grants Commission

CHAPTER XXII - LOCAL GOVERNMENT STATISTICS

Table 22.1 - Area, population, registered voters and employees of municipalities, 1997*

Municipal Council	Area Sq. Km.	Population (Estimated)	Registered voters	Number of members	Employees			
					Administrative and clerical	Technical	Others	Total
Colombo	37.3	800,982	371,543	53	1,583	705	7,852	10,140
Dehiwala - Mt.Lavinia	21.0	220,780(1)	122,326	29	361	121	1,185	1,667
Moratuwa	23.3	213,000	105,274	29	72	92	558	722
Sri Jayawardanapura	17.9	134,114	71,018	20	99	9	612	720
Negombo	10.4	136,850(1)	67,622	22	139	14	382	535
Kandy	25.6	150,532	61,657	25	622	101	1,299	2,022
Matale	5.2	33,719	21,904	13	55	18	290	363
Nuwara Eliya	15.0	30,000	16,617	11	58	33	194	285
Galle	16.8	123,616	54,567	19	127	35	469	631
Jaffna	22.0	145,600	51,000*	23	93	31	812	936
Kurunegala	11.4	36,800	14,988	12	84	84	394	562
Badulla	10.4	36,044(1)	23,947	15	36	12	222	270
Ratnapura	20.2	51,217	25,695	15	59	19	461	539
Batticaloa	16.6	71,148	37,740(1)	19	46	4	334	384
Total	253.1	2,184,402	1,045,898	305	3,434	1,278	15,064	19,776

Source - Local Bodies (Provincial Councils)
Department of Elections

* Provisional
(1) Estimated

Table 22.2 - Number of registered voters and employees of urban councils, 1997*

District	Number of councils	Registered voters	Number of members	Employees			
				Administrative and clerical	Technical	Others	Total
Colombo	2	50,249	121	52	48	624	724
Gampaha	6	83,879	72	125	109	528	762
Kalutara	4	72,560	35	110	101	469	680
Kandy	4	27,838	58	90	13	267	370
Nuwara Eliya	2	13,205	24	31	11	102	144
Galle	1	14,672	37	20	17	109	146
Matara	2	42,434	21	65	29	263	357
Hambantota	2	26,159	12	25	5	125	155
Vavuniya	1	15,271	11	25	4	115	144
Jaffna	3	40,216	52	46	9	149	204
Trincomalee	1	58,421	12	62	8	148	218
Ampara	1	20,215	9	20	5	77	102
Kurunegala	1	3,312	21	21	5	79	105
Puttalam	2	32,801	20	46	6	521	573
Anuradhapura	1	26,795	10	45	12	456	513
Badulla	2	6,085	29	32	2	25	59
Ratnapura	1	7,050	24	15	11	57	83
Kegalle	1	9,757	11	27	6	162	195
Total	37	550,919	579	857	401	4,276	5,534

Source - Local Bodies (Provincial Councils)
Department of Elections

* Provisional
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Table 22.3 - Number of registered voters and employees of pradeshiya sabhas, 1997*

Province	Number of councils	Registered voters	Employees(1)			
			Administrative and clerical	Technical	Others	Total
Western	28	2,212,014	714	155	1,965	2,834
Central	33	1,270,630	352	115	1,075	1,542
Southern	36	1,353,535	321	150	1,504	1,975
Northern (1)	27	397,375(2)	458	84	893	1,435
Eastern (1)	36	671,722(2)	248	67	826	1,542
North Western	27	1,261,553	285	115	965	1,365
North Central	24	612,541	128	45	385	558
Uva	24	628,129	88	24	250	362
Sabaragamuwa	23	1,041,955	208	106	517	831
Total	258	9,449,454	2,802	861	8,380	12,444

Source - Local Bodies (Provincial Councils)
Department of Elections

* Provisional

(1) Covered only 80% of the PSS

(2) As at 1994

Table 22.4 - Revenue of urban councils and municipal councils, 1995 - 1997

Item	Urban Council			Municipal Council		
	1995	1996*	1997*	1995	1996	1997*
I. General total	591,076	621,155	1,062,087	1,467,499	1,733,250	2,173,579
1. Rates and taxes	148,992	158,562	215,487	841,788	930,442	1,061,704
2. Rents	78,977	93,800	111,405	85,073	84,528	100,267
3. Licences	16,842	19,833	85,471	76,492	80,701	93,615
4. Fees for services	45,930	26,981	38,083	33,955	37,648	56,513
5. Warrant costs, fines and penalties	4,808	3,760	2,940	6,598	7,671	11,524
6. Other income	85,567	99,365	157,425	116,969	165,613	195,741
7. Revenue grants	209,960	218,854	451,276	306,624	426,647	654,215
II. Electricity total	3,672	2,325	5,683	318,632	347,619	375,753
1. Revenue	1,957	670	3,572	313,197	341,039	368,789
2. Revenue grants	1,715	1,655	2,111	5,435	6,580	6,964
Recurrent revenue total (I+II)	594,748	623,480	1,067,770	1,786,131	2,080,869	2,549,332
III. Capital receipt total	78,749	81,494	100,707	196,597	204,541	185,891
1. General						
1.1 Capital grants	55,939	48,658	55,939	191,840	192,406	179,793
1.2 Loans	5,638	8,502	9,342	62	108	302
1.3 Others	17,172	24,334	35,426	4,695	12,027	5,796
2. Electricity						
2.1 Capital grants	-	-	-	-	-	-
2.2 Loans	-	-	-	-	-	-
2.3 Others	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand total (I+II+III)	673,497	704,974	1,168,477	1,982,728	2,285,410	2,735,223

Source - Local Bodies
(Provincial Councils)

* Provisional.

Table 23.2 - Total votes polled by different political parties

Party	Parliamentary general election		Presidential election	
	1989	%	1988	%
United National Party (UNP)	2,838,005	50.71	2,569,199	50.43
Eksath Lanka Janatha Pakshaya (ELJP)	67,723	1.21	-	-
United Socialist Alliance (USA)	160,271	2.86	-	-
Tamil United Liberation Front (TULF)	188,594	3.37	-	-
Democratic People's Liberation Front (DPLF)	18,502	0.33	-	-
Mahajana Eksath Peramuna (MEP)	91,128	1.63	-	-
Sri Lanka Freedom Party (SLFP)	1,785,369	31.90	2,289,860	44.95
Sri Lanka Muslim Congress (SLMC)	202,016	3.61	-	-
All Ceylon Tamil Congress (ACTC)	7,610	0.14	-	-
Elam People Revolutionary Liberation Front (EPRLF)	-	-	-	-
Tamil Eelam Liberation Organisation (TELO)	-	-	-	-
Nawa Sama Samaja Party (NSSP)	-	-	-	-
People's Alliance (PF)	-	-	-	-
Democratic Workers Congress (DWC)	-	-	-	-
People's Freedom Front (PFF)	-	-	-	-
Sri Lanka Progressive Front (SPF)	-	-	-	-
Sinhala Mahasammatha Bumiputhra Pakshaya (SMBP)	-	-	-	-
Sri Lanka Mahajana Party (SMP)	-	-	-	-
Independent Groups (IG)	237,250	4.24	235,719	4.63
Valid Votes	5,596,468	57.47	5,094,778	53.56
Rejected Votes	365,563	6.13	91,445	1.76
Total Polled	5,962,031	63.60	5,186,223	55.32
			81,638	1.08
			4,709,205	62.28
			7,561,526	98.03
			151,706	1.97
			7,713,232	70.47

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.3 - Results of referendum by electoral district , 1982
Date of poll - 22nd December, 1982

Electoral district	No. of electors in the register of electors	No. of votes given in favour of the proposal	No. of votes given against the proposal	No. of votes rejected	Total no. of votes polled including rejected
Colombo	972,196	335,179	295,631	2,192	633,002
Gampaha	835,265	330,265	243,643	1,841	575,749
Kalutara	499,215	170,495	174,413	1,035	345,943
Kandy	564,767	265,986	160,349	1,572	427,907
Matale	187,276	110,689	39,348	630	150,667
Nuwara - Eliya	201,878	117,585	43,371	766	161,722
Galle	512,489	162,934	181,621	1,010	345,565
Matara	399,888	146,705	142,647	873	290,225
Hambantota	241,956	73,113	89,126	440	162,679
Jaffna	493,705	25,315	265,534	1,775	292,624
Vanni	119,093	25,986	48,968	447	75,401
Batticaloa	172,480	47,482	72,971	858	121,311
Digamadulla	204,268	91,129	62,836	668	154,633
Trincomalee	133,646	39,429	51,909	438	91,776
Kurunegala	717,505	340,935	208,349	1,673	550,957
Puttalam	267,675	109,951	71,339	530	181,820
Anuradhapura	278,594	140,460	64,618	747	205,825
Polonnaruwa	127,624	51,709	36,422	355	88,486
Badulla	280,187	152,413	64,427	1,152	217,992
Moneragala	126,558	58,265	31,860	580	90,705
Ratnapura	402,202	177,079	128,367	840	306,286
Kegalle	406,548	168,119	128,234	1,034	297,387
Total	8,145,015	3,141,223	2,605,983	21,456	5,768,662
Percentage		54.45	45.17	0.37	70.82

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.4 - Results of presidential election by electoral district ,1994

Electoral district	Registered voters	P.A.	S.L.P.F.	U.N.P.	IND.1	S.M.B.P.	IND.2	Valid votes	Rejected votes	Total polled
Colombo	1,235,959	557,708	1,819	288,741	3,533	6,059	2,526	860,386	16,060	876,446
Gampaha	1,140,808	550,654	1,832	288,608	2,711	3,894	3,019	850,518	13,137	863,655
Kalutara	646,199	295,686	1,388	178,466	1,398	1,868	2,213	481,019	7,309	488,328
Kandy	726,192	320,110	1,370	235,519	1,752	2,618	3,748	565,117	14,179	579,296
Matale	259,271	121,449	680	73,324	608	992	2,111	199,164	5,317	204,481
Nuwara - Eliya	386,668	168,929	1,044	116,928	1,083	1,332	6,314	295,630	11,840	307,470
Galle	632,422	285,398	1,467	173,282	1,179	1,584	1,885	484,815	7,112	477,927
Matara	503,470	227,865	1,397	118,224	1,134	1,564	2,055	352,239	5,731	357,970
Hambantota	326,913	132,873	1,685	77,735	750	1,538	1,414	215,995	4,013	220,008
Jaffna	596,368	16,934	25	223	16	36	341	17,575	141	17,716
Vanni	178,697	33,585	118	4,493	77	96	1,003	39,372	681	40,053
Batticaloa	261,898	144,725	484	14,812	381	349	5,028	165,779	2,664	168,443
Digamadulla	312,006	168,289	574	59,074	496	471	3,677	232,581	3,621	236,202
Trincomalee	184,090	77,943	324	28,006	195	279	2,074	108,821	1,726	110,547
Kurunegala	876,591	403,838	1,842	286,740	1,714	2,211	3,999	680,344	10,511	690,855
Puttalam	380,192	165,795	625	95,211	591	617	1,796	264,635	4,689	269,324
Anuradhapura	406,928	200,146	1,083	107,342	678	1,014	2,534	312,797	6,205	319,002
Polonnaruwa	200,192	88,907	469	59,287	258	428	1,126	150,475	3,966	154,441
Badulla	435,260	182,810	1,372	139,611	1,387	1,745	3,847	330,772	14,093	344,865
Moneragala	199,391	96,820	824	52,026	556	877	1,966	152,869	3,977	156,846
Ratnapura	554,607	257,265	1,279	177,924	1,235	1,877	3,451	443,031	7,595	450,626
Kegalle	500,947	211,676	1,028	159,707	1,020	1,402	2,759	377,592	7,139	384,731
Total	10,945,065	4,709,205	22,749	2,715,283	22,752	32,651	58,866	7,561,526	151,706	7,713,232
Percentage		62.28	0.30	35.91	0.30	0.43	0.78	98.03	1.97	70.47

Source - Department of Elections

- P.A. - People's Alliance
S.L.P.F. - Sri Lanka Progressive Front
U.N.P. - United National Party
IND. 1 - Independent 1
S.M.B.P. - Sinhalaya Mahasammatha Bumputra Pakshaya
IND. 2 - Independent 2
- Mrs. Chandrika Bandaranaike Kumaratunga
- Mr. Gallapaththi Arachchige Nihal
- Mrs. Vajira Srimathi Dissanayake
- Mr. A. J. Ranasinghe
- Dr. Harischandra Jayatunga
- Mr. Hudson Samarasinghe

Table 23.5 - Results of parliamentary general election by electoral district, 1994
All Island results - by district

Electoral district	Registered voters	EPRLF	UNP	TELO	TULF	NSSP	PA	DWC	DPLF	PFF	MEP	SLPF	SLMC	SMEP	IND	Total valid votes	Rejected votes	Total polled
Colombo	1,235,959	-	385,100	1,113	-	2,050	469,642	589	-	-	42,734	11,454	-	-	9,251	921,933	36,635	958,568
Gampaha	1,140,808	-	375,631	-	-	-	509,030	-	-	-	-	11,627	-	-	-	896,288	33,553	929,841
Kalutara	646,199	-	221,115	-	-	-	271,754	-	-	339	5,914	6,238	-	-	-	505,360	25,397	530,757
Kandy	726,192	-	301,824	-	-	-	267,683	-	-	-	3,495	3,072	-	-	478	576,552	31,019	607,571
Matale	259,271	-	100,121	-	-	-	102,680	-	-	-	-	1,433	-	-	1,728	205,962	12,646	218,608
Nuwara - Eliya	386,668	-	175,478	-	-	-	97,658	-	-	-	480	928	-	-	27,374	301,918	21,592	323,510
Galle	632,422	-	203,268	-	-	-	277,956	-	-	306	4,145	7,239	-	-	-	492,914	20,763	513,677
Matara	503,470	-	142,024	-	-	-	227,285	-	-	-	1,422	8,736	-	-	-	379,467	17,167	396,634
Hambentota	326,913	-	95,382	-	-	-	132,008	-	-	168	2,080	15,309	-	267	1,465	246,679	13,539	260,218
Jeffna	596,366	263	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,098	-	11,118	13,479	358	13,837
Vanni	178,697	3,465	7,850	-	3,039	44	5,583	-	11,567	-	-	-	8,142	-	2,581	42,271	3,009	45,280
Batticaloa	261,898	4,802	23,244	17,073	76,516	-	19,278	-	-	-	-	-	31,072	-	2,103	174,088	15,531	189,619
Digamadulla	312,006	-	78,767	4,192	24,526	-	54,150	-	-	-	-	673	75,092	-	3,366	240,766	12,736	253,502
Trincomalee	184,090	881	34,986	3,709	28,380	-	23,886	-	-	-	-	589	26,903	-	608	119,942	6,682	126,624
Kurunegala	876,591	-	332,547	-	-	-	366,856	-	-	-	2,886	4,990	-	-	-	707,279	30,071	737,350
Puttalam	380,192	-	127,671	-	-	-	150,605	-	-	-	838	1,615	-	-	-	280,729	13,144	293,873
Anuradhapura	406,926	-	142,084	-	-	-	180,454	-	-	-	1,369	3,077	-	-	-	326,994	14,620	341,604
Pelonnaruwa	200,192	-	76,706	-	-	-	82,438	-	-	-	1,541	1,934	-	-	-	161,078	6,434	167,512
Badulla	435,260	-	182,131	-	-	-	146,546	-	-	-	3,555	3,555	-	-	3,286	337,059	28,540	365,599
Meneragala	199,391	-	67,753	-	-	-	77,955	-	-	-	1,896	1,896	-	-	7,059	154,663	16,305	170,968
Ratnapura	554,607	-	220,750	-	-	-	233,687	-	-	-	1,634	2,330	-	-	1,884	460,285	23,611	483,896
Kegalle	500,947	-	203,938	-	-	-	190,689	-	-	-	-	3,383	-	-	-	398,010	17,043	415,053
Total	10,945,065	9,411	3,498,370	26,087	132,461	2,094	3,887,823	589	11,567	813	68,538	90,078	143,307	267	72,301	7,943,796	400,395	8,344,101
Percentage		0.12	44.04	0.33	1.67	0.03	48.94	0.01	0.15	0.01	0.86	1.13	1.80	0.00	0.90	95.20	4.80	76.24

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.6 - Results of municipal, urban and pradeshiya sabha election by electoral district, 1997 - All island results

Electoral district	Registered voters	U.N.P.	U.C.P.F	N.U.V.	J.V.P.	Y.E.L.O.	N.S.S.P.	P.A.	M.E.S.P.	M.O.L.F.	C.V.C.	S.L.P.F	S.A.M.B.P.	IND.1	IND.2	IND.3	IND.4	IND.5	IND.6	Valid votes	Rejected votes	Total polled
Colombo	1,296,243	352,337	-	-	42,442	1,275	4,441	304,440	63,025	2,119	-	-	-	12,985	5,692	2,947	1,920	90,272	926	884,821	47,874	932,495
Gampaha	1,187,657	328,882	-	-	30,019	-	1,816	473,773	6,621	-	281	-	-	11,083	-	-	-	-	-	852,485	55,767	908,252
Kalutara	669,233	197,539	-	-	14,045	-	689	241,136	9,503	-	-	-	-	12,858	6,580	-	-	-	-	482,350	34,436	516,786
Kandy	752,817	253,571	1,052	-	9,804	-	526	284,703	1,946	-	-	-	-	3,731	141	-	-	-	-	555,474	45,449	600,923
Matale	270,920	77,762	-	-	5,450	-	-	108,771	-	-	-	-	-	4,556	-	-	-	-	-	196,539	21,031	217,570
Nuwara - Eliya	388,114	131,555	14,708	7,716	4,318	-	-	89,511	1,140	-	37,528	-	-	4,358	1,088	-	-	-	-	271,800	35,188	307,088
Galle	640,068	187,890	-	-	20,327	-	-	247,184	7,500	-	-	653	-	6,002	1,848	-	-	-	-	471,404	31,878	503,280
Negara	503,039	133,045	-	-	19,837	-	188	191,713	3,338	-	128	-	-	6,125	-	-	-	-	-	354,372	26,299	380,671
Hambantota	335,273	91,955	-	-	28,524	-	-	104,288	1,849	-	-	-	-	9,771	-	-	-	-	-	236,395	19,276	255,671
Kurunegala	921,601	276,675	-	-	21,243	-	148	349,300	4,459	-	-	-	105	16,802	1,134	474	-	-	-	670,430	50,234	720,664
Puttalam	391,053	104,802	-	-	3,242	-	139	180,615	1,107	-	-	-	-	4,216	1,304	1,150	-	-	-	276,575	21,884	298,239
Anuradhapura	429,790	117,541	-	-	11,154	-	-	183,647	613	-	-	-	-	2,128	-	-	-	-	-	315,083	25,781	340,864
Polemnaawa	209,546	60,580	-	-	7,164	-	-	78,875	-	-	-	-	-	1,400	55	-	-	-	-	148,134	12,823	160,957
Badulla	447,187	160,745	2,820	-	10,903	-	-	125,018	2,123	-	13,243	-	-	3,398	2,172	688	-	-	-	319,108	34,758	353,866
Moneragala	210,974	68,622	-	-	8,902	-	-	78,622	-	-	-	-	-	2,035	677	-	-	-	-	158,858	15,306	172,164
Ratnapura	568,481	172,006	-	-	11,334	-	-	236,616	1,444	-	-	-	-	4,459	989	-	-	-	-	428,848	35,027	461,875
Kegalle	515,978	166,252	-	-	9,837	-	-	181,985	283	507	-	-	-	3,205	-	-	-	-	-	362,069	29,013	391,082
Total	9,737,970	2,879,759	18,578	7,716	258,545	1,275	7,947	3,418,205	104,951	2,626	51,062	779	105	109,260	21,660	5,259	1,920	90,272	928	6,980,845	541,602	7,522,447
Percentage		41.23	0.27	0.11	3.70	0.02	0.11	48.97	1.50	0.04	0.73	0.01	0.00	1.57	0.31	0.08	0.03	1.28	0.01	92.80	7.20	77.25

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.7 - Parliamentary general election - 1994
Allocation of seats on national basis

Party		Votes obtained	Seats
Peoples Alliance	(PA)	3,887,823	14
United National Party	(UNP)	3,498,370	13
Sri Lanka Muslim Congress	(SLMC)	143,307	1
Tamil United Liberation Front	(TULF)	132,461	1
Sri Lanka Progressive Front	(SLPF)	90,078	-
Mahajana Eksath Peramuna	(MEP)	68,538	-
Independent Group - Nuwara-Eliya	(Ind-NELI)	27,374	-
Tamil Eelam Liberation Organisation	(TELO)	26,087	-
Democratic People's Liberation Front	(DPLF)	11,567	-
Independent Group 2 - Jaffna	(Ind-JFN2)	10,744	-
Eelam People's Rev. Liberation Front	(EPRLF)	9,411	-
Independent Group - Colombo	(Ind-CMB1)	9,251	-
Independent Group 4 - Moneragala	(Ind-MNG4)	6,592	-
Independent Group - Digamadulla	(Ind-DGM1)	3,366	-
Independent Group 2 - Badulla	(Ind-BDL2)	2,601	-
Nawa Sama Samaja Party	(NSSP)	2,094	-
Independent Group 2 - Vanni	(Ind-VAN2)	1,880	-
Independent Group - Matale	(Ind-MTL1)	1,728	-
Independent Group 1 - Ratnapura	(Ind-RTN1)	1,555	-
Independent Group 1 - Batticaloa	(Ind-BTC1)	1,547	-
Independent Group 1 - Hambantota	(Ind-HMB1)	997	-
People's Freedom Front	(PFF)	813	-
Independent Group 1 - Badulla	(Ind-BDL1)	685	-
Independent Group 1 - Vanni	(Ind-VAN1)	624	-
Independent Group - Trincomalee	(Ind-TRN1)	608	-
Democratic Workers Congress	(DWC)	589	-
Independent Group 2 - Batticaloa	(Ind-BTC2)	556	-
Independent Group 2 - Hambantota	(Ind-HMB2)	468	-
Independent Group 1 - Jaffna	(Ind-JFN1)	374	-
Independent Group 1 - Mahanuwara	(Ind-KND1)	270	-
Sinhala Mahasammatha Bhoomiputra Party	(SMBP)	267	-
Independent Group 2 - Mahanuwara	(Ind-KND2)	208	-
Independent Group 5 - Moneragala	(Ind-MNG5)	207	-
Independent Group 3 - Ratnapura	(Ind-RTN3)	202	-
Independent Group 2 - Ratnapura	(Ind-RTN2)	127	-
Independent Group 2 - Moneragala	(Ind-MNG2)	106	-
Independent Group 1 - Moneragala	(Ind-MNG1)	90	-
Independent Group 3 - Vanni	(Ind-VAN3)	77	-
Independent Group 3 - Moneragala	(Ind-MNG3)	64	-
Total		7,943,706	29

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.8 - Registered electors by electoral district and polling division, 1993-1998

Electoral district and polling division	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Colombo	1,235,959	1,299,879	1,296,243	1,305,511	1,326,487	1,337,113
A - Colombo - North	63,528	70,641	71,182	72,479	75,761	77,447
B - Colombo - Central	139,012	144,035	144,139	142,113	144,202	144,023
C - Borella	52,007	55,195	54,803	54,764	55,841	55,338
D - Colombo - East	57,049	60,583	61,505	62,791	64,542	64,386
E - Colombo - West	36,915	39,336	39,914	41,117	40,640	40,908
F - Dehiwela	55,301	60,745	59,253	57,644	58,766	58,407
G - Ratmalana	59,749	63,818	63,073	63,049	63,735	63,466
H - Kollonnawa	90,167	95,021	94,377	94,547	94,877	96,164
I - Kotte	71,213	74,554	71,018	70,572	70,405	70,424
J - Kaduwela	113,173	117,796	118,027	120,176	123,171	126,119
K - Avissawella	81,213	82,866	83,561	84,813	86,614	87,913
L - Homagama	106,536	105,259	107,834	110,703	113,810	116,577
M - Maharagama	101,317	106,414	105,752	106,273	107,710	108,622
N - Kesbawa	110,948	116,770	116,531	118,341	120,054	121,836
O - Moratuwa	97,831	106,846	105,274	106,129	106,359	105,483
Gampaha	1,140,808	1,185,288	1,187,657	1,196,445	1,213,589	1,228,910
A - Wattala	85,516	89,830	86,917	87,667	88,328	88,378
B - Negombo	80,589	83,942	82,537	82,175	83,276	83,508
C - Katana	92,027	95,375	96,075	98,102	99,203	100,352
D - Divulapitiya	77,104	79,065	80,010	80,989	81,978	83,077
E - Mirigama	89,455	91,620	92,690	93,682	95,615	96,907
F - Minuwangoda	89,192	92,342	93,798	95,063	96,859	98,928
G - Attanagalla	91,907	94,890	96,812	98,142	100,036	101,470
H - Gampaha	100,416	104,942	106,513	107,424	109,597	111,814
I - Ja-Ela	97,305	102,320	102,474	102,228	103,443	104,076
J - Mahara	98,091	102,785	103,823	104,663	106,244	107,701
K - Dompe	80,415	82,845	83,413	84,311	85,896	87,240
L - Biyagama	80,600	84,504	83,498	84,571	85,995	88,034
M - Kelaniya	78,191	80,828	79,097	77,428	77,119	77,425
Kalutara	646,199	665,135	669,224	675,528	676,963	682,723
A - Panadura	89,554	92,744	93,123	93,564	92,247	91,768
B - Bandaragama	86,676	88,989	90,280	91,635	92,160	93,107
C - Horana	77,877	81,325	82,404	83,635	84,988	86,680
D - Bulathsinhala	63,131	64,861	65,175	65,816	65,666	66,212
E - Matugama	80,135	82,614	83,094	83,646	83,837	84,575
F - Kalutara	86,437	88,271	88,676	89,509	90,192	90,723
G - Beruwala	83,849	85,942	85,619	86,201	86,398	87,513
H - Agalawatta	78,540	80,389	80,853	81,522	81,475	82,145
Kandy	726,192	744,055	752,817	766,300	780,136	794,453
A - Galagedara	43,462	43,894	44,589	45,252	45,997	46,621
B - Harispattuwa	109,246	112,124	113,482	115,281	117,523	120,150
C - Pata Dumbara	57,482	59,328	60,035	60,988	62,149	63,055
D - Uda Dumbara	42,700	43,163	44,084	44,775	45,900	46,840
E - Teldeniya	32,992	33,677	34,065	34,854	35,580	36,214
F - Kundasale	56,925	58,527	60,018	61,643	63,678	65,317
G - Hewaheta	50,376	51,163	51,592	52,603	53,927	55,180
H - Senkadagala	55,740	57,033	57,170	58,340	58,745	59,187
I - Mahanuwara	32,335	33,700	33,700	34,264	34,640	34,410
J - Yatinuwara	58,455	59,299	59,991	60,956	61,553	62,747
K - Udunuwara	56,671	58,178	59,311	60,351	61,229	62,497
L - Gampola	66,812	68,679	69,111	70,159	71,328	73,137
M - Nawalapitiya	62,996	65,290	65,669	66,834	67,887	69,098

Table 23.8 (Contd.) - Registered electors by electoral district and polling division, 1993-1998

Electoral district and polling division	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Matale	259,271	263,430	270,920	275,882	281,089	286,174
A - Dambulla	85,870	87,031	90,378	92,608	95,125	97,348
B - Laggala	48,525	49,260	51,375	52,088	52,861	53,732
C - Matale	58,638	59,754	60,713	61,735	62,744	64,069
D - Rattota	66,238	67,385	68,454	69,451	70,359	71,025
Nuwara-Eliya	386,668	390,335	388,114	388,455	391,585	397,711
A - Nuwara-Eliya - Maskeliya	212,690	214,505	211,434	210,969	212,565	216,038
B - Kotmale	56,977	57,492	57,672	57,835	58,603	59,333
C - Hanguranketa	54,001	54,867	55,878	56,648	57,421	58,213
D - Walapane	63,000	63,471	63,130	63,003	62,996	64,127
Galle	632,422	641,360	640,065	642,990	652,734	660,595
A - Balapitiya	43,988	44,616	44,550	44,752	45,358	45,790
B - Ambalangoda	56,041	57,170	57,086	57,222	57,882	58,545
C - Karadeniya	53,066	53,552	53,730	54,331	55,516	56,502
D - Bentara-Elpitiya	71,765	72,680	72,846	73,189	74,356	75,271
E - Hfniduma	74,337	75,559	75,870	76,375	77,603	78,752
F - Baddegama	74,331	75,410	74,956	75,030	75,850	76,870
G - Ratgama	66,221	67,101	66,752	67,247	67,865	68,503
H - Galle	62,011	62,584	61,941	61,613	62,669	63,300
I - Akmeemana	64,320	65,106	65,197	66,334	68,193	69,229
J - Habaraduwa	66,342	67,582	67,137	66,897	67,442	67,833
Matara	503,470	504,676	503,039	503,602	510,310	515,847
A - Deniyaya	71,106	71,681	72,008	72,501	73,484	74,409
B - Hakmana	70,889	71,708	72,378	72,833	73,949	75,156
C - Akuressa	74,562	75,035	74,812	75,130	76,278	76,916
D - Kamburupitiya	69,050	69,090	68,940	68,704	69,505	70,157
E - Devinuwara	66,923	66,885	66,703	66,864	67,746	68,296
F - Matara	73,461	73,156	71,611	71,203	72,027	72,593
G - Welligama	77,479	77,121	76,587	76,367	77,321	78,320
Hambantota	326,913	332,541	335,273	336,158	342,347	350,809
A - Mulkrigala	73,236	74,373	75,292	75,569	76,884	78,596
B - Bellatta	66,091	66,610	66,970	66,721	67,507	68,349
C - Tangalle	80,917	82,707	83,852	84,341	86,424	89,147
D - Tissamaharama	106,669	108,851	109,159	109,527	111,532	114,717
Jaffna	596,366	596,373	596,373	596,639	622,957	612,770
A - Kayts	49,504	49,504	49,504	49,508	51,444	50,885
B - Vaddukkoddal	58,949	58,949	58,949	58,941	60,612	58,350
C - Kankasantural	60,417	60,417	60,417	60,410	61,614	61,514
D - Manipay	58,382	58,386	58,386	58,381	62,288	62,002
E - Kopay	56,496	56,497	56,497	58,485	59,743	58,751
F - Udupiddy	52,153	52,153	52,153	52,154	55,747	53,545
G - Point Pedro	40,336	40,336	40,336	40,332	43,966	42,304
H - Chavakachcheri	51,717	51,717	51,717	51,731	55,091	53,247
I - Nallur	62,372	62,372	62,372	62,363	64,208	63,799
J - Jaffna	50,045	50,047	50,047	50,319	51,421	51,581
K - Kilinochchi	55,995	55,995	55,995	56,015	56,823	56,792

Table 23.8 (Contd.) - Registered electors by electoral district and polling division, 1993-1998

Electoral district and polling division	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Wanni	178,697	181,232	184,708	196,128	202,108	205,541
A - Manoar	54,066	55,002	55,925	60,158	62,055	65,883
B - Vavuniya	72,434	73,400	76,225	83,383	87,503	86,970
C - Mullaitivu	52,197	52,830	52,558	52,587	52,550	52,688
Batticaloa	261,898	267,463	269,385	269,906	268,200	270,197
A - Kalkudah	73,640	76,453	77,550	77,050	76,121	76,988
B - Batticaloa	123,893	125,596	125,404	125,042	124,253	124,480
C - Paddiruppu	64,365	65,414	66,431	67,814	67,826	68,729
Digamadulla	312,006	325,566	327,824	329,929	336,165	343,809
A - Ampara	112,046	120,128	117,895	117,094	118,780	121,407
B - Sammanthurai	51,991	52,890	54,288	54,533	55,271	56,629
C - Kalmunai	50,248	51,740	52,550	53,485	54,631	55,387
D - Pottuvil	97,721	100,808	103,091	104,817	107,483	110,386
Trincomalee	184,090	191,722	195,897	195,867	197,620	201,808
A - Seruwila	54,632	55,834	56,474	56,106	56,636	57,634
B - Trincomalee	67,509	73,358	75,523	75,270	76,050	77,484
C - Muttur	61,949	62,530	63,900	64,491	64,934	66,690
Kurunegala	876,591	901,027	921,601	938,583	961,240	980,725
A - Galgamuwa	69,872	71,343	73,286	75,273	77,216	79,147
B - Nikaweratiya	64,434	66,220	68,105	69,378	70,939	72,758
C - Yapahuwa	76,083	78,567	81,042	82,860	84,955	86,938
D - Hiriyala	67,182	68,583	70,485	71,862	73,323	74,632
E - Wariyapola	53,579	54,767	56,235	57,245	58,551	59,601
F - Panduwasnuwara	52,667	54,314	55,525	56,415	57,752	58,677
G - Bingiriya	61,107	62,932	64,782	65,840	67,579	68,736
H - Katugampola	68,616	70,205	71,215	72,505	74,404	75,795
I - Kuliyaipitiya	69,233	71,418	73,217	74,281	76,100	77,629
J - Dambadeniya	69,064	70,414	71,336	72,534	74,209	75,865
K - Polgahawela	55,872	57,575	58,708	59,551	60,618	61,882
L - Kurunegala	59,146	61,469	62,312	63,595	65,284	66,346
M - Mawathagama	60,627	62,348	63,305	64,251	65,896	67,307
N - Dodangaslanda	49,109	50,872	52,048	52,993	54,414	55,412
Puttalam	380,192	388,335	391,053	393,318	398,055	404,050
A - Puttalam	73,757	76,193	77,198	77,622	78,878	80,531
B - Anamaduwa	80,010	80,976	81,219	81,423	82,242	83,322
C - Chillaw	83,057	85,227	85,963	86,267	86,951	87,891
D - Nattandiya	64,449	66,238	66,557	66,988	67,654	68,620
E - Wennappuwa	78,919	79,701	80,116	81,018	82,330	83,686
Anuradhapura	406,926	411,899	429,790	436,002	448,098	459,534
A - Madawachchiya	55,792	55,932	59,347	59,760	61,011	62,120
B - Horowupotana	51,975	52,997	55,177	55,966	57,305	58,774
C - Anuradhapura-East	62,048	62,270	64,319	65,072	67,084	69,006
D - Anuradhapura-West	65,367	65,904	68,982	70,028	72,112	73,549
E - Kalawewa	79,887	81,723	84,536	85,637	88,152	90,631
F - Mihintale	41,088	40,889	43,308	44,151	45,408	46,770
G - Kakirawa	50,969	52,184	54,121	55,388	57,028	58,684

Table 23.8 (Contd.) - Registered electors by electoral district and polling division, 1993-1998

Electoral district and polling division	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Polonnaruwa	200,192	204,631	09,546	213,174	217,318	220,903
A - Minneriya	57,393	57,311	58,814	59,746	60,910	61,803
B - Medirigiriya	55,264	55,990	57,266	58,235	59,292	60,171
C - Polonnaruwa	87,535	91,330	93,466	95,193	97,116	98,929
Badulla	435,260	445,298	447,187	449,901	454,913	464,223
A - Mahiyangana	58,235	60,147	62,073	62,728	64,206	65,925
B - Wiyalawa	36,342	36,711	37,290	37,498	37,982	38,978
C - Passara	45,788	46,657	46,828	46,829	46,992	48,066
D - Badulla	40,039	40,472	40,747	40,879	41,680	42,591
E - Hall-Ela	48,807	50,885	50,763	51,075	51,379	51,998
F - Uva-Paranagama	47,127	47,749	48,009	48,198	48,832	49,560
G - Wellimada	53,643	54,417	54,609	55,199	55,558	56,170
H - Bandarawela	56,426	59,676	59,735	60,028	60,507	62,074
I - Haputale	48,853	48,584	47,133	47,469	47,777	48,861
Moneragala	199,391	202,889	210,972	217,508	224,077	230,576
A - Bible	50,852	51,895	53,942	55,562	57,070	58,803
B - Moneragala	64,229	65,700	67,920	69,497	71,327	73,336
C - Wellawaya	84,310	85,294	89,110	92,449	95,680	98,437
Ratnapura	554,607	561,186	568,481	574,591	584,998	595,791
A - Ehellyagoda	71,614	72,768	73,635	74,078	75,151	76,327
B - Ratnapura	83,492	84,706	85,302	86,294	87,964	89,518
C - Peimadulla	56,593	56,878	57,032	57,372	58,193	58,977
D - Balangoda	73,136	73,736	74,464	75,275	76,375	78,239
E - Rakwana	69,702	70,512	71,851	72,854	74,141	75,436
F - Nivitigala	66,888	67,460	67,912	68,206	69,209	70,432
G - Kalawana	43,279	43,702	44,558	45,120	45,790	46,426
H - Kolonna	89,903	91,424	93,727	95,392	98,175	100,436
Kegalle	500,947	508,691	515,976	520,720	528,107	534,980
A - Dedigama	70,142	71,679	72,638	72,747	73,452	74,291
B - Galigamuwa	54,044	54,520	55,335	55,878	56,599	57,224
C - Kegalle	54,933	55,476	56,291	57,271	58,338	59,084
D - Rambukkana	49,996	50,937	52,126	52,758	53,302	54,323
E - Mawanella	63,001	64,405	65,716	66,928	68,482	69,783
F - Aranayaka	42,338	43,115	44,231	44,755	45,514	46,078
G - Yaliyantota	57,328	58,077	58,713	59,096	59,455	59,922
H - Ruwanwella	56,451	57,346	57,637	57,979	59,082	59,827
I - Deraniyagala	52,714	53,136	53,289	53,308	53,883	54,448
Grand Total	10,945,065	11,213,281	11,312,145	11,423,137	11,619,096	11,779,242

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.9 - Results of municipal council election, 1997

Municipal Council	Registered voters	UNP	JVP	TELO	NSSP	PA	MEP	UCPF	SMSB	MJLF	IND-1	IND-2	IND-3	IND-4	IND-5	IND-6	Valid votes	Rejected votes	Total polled
Colombo	371,543	120,278	8,133	1,275	2,911	-	5,570	-	-	2,119	2,163	4,498	2,947	1,920	90,272	926	243,012	14,107	257,119
Dehiwala-MLLavinia	122,326	30,791	4,622	-	-	37,481	3,125	-	-	4,156	4,156	856	-	-	-	-	80,831	4,081	84,912
Sri Jayawardhanapura	71,018	17,651	2,050	-	-	24,491	2,901	-	-	736	736	538	-	-	-	-	48,367	2,220	50,587
Moratuwa	105,274	31,664	4,138	-	-	37,826	2,986	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76,564	3,348	79,912
Negombo	67,622	22,922	638	-	1,201	-	2,986	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48,217	3,013	51,230
Kandy	61,657	22,405	785	-	-	21,795	984	-	-	-	272	-	-	-	-	-	46,241	2,047	48,288
Matale	21,904	6,388	369	-	-	8,233	-	-	-	-	1,603	-	-	-	-	-	17,094	1,015	18,109
Kuwara Eliya	16,617	17,571	1,698	-	-	4,273	-	340	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	12,206	920	13,126
Galle	54,567	17,571	1,698	-	-	19,205	1,683	-	-	-	328	-	-	-	-	-	40,179	1,788	41,967
Kurunegala	14,988	5,757	240	-	-	4,914	91	-	105	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,435	494	11,929
Badulla	23,947	8,387	759	-	-	8,138	510	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,794	848	18,642
Ratnapura	25,695	8,045	537	-	-	12,038	139	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20,789	1,052	21,791

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.10 - Results of urban council election, 1997

Urban Council	Registered voters	UNP	J.V.P.	P.A.	M.E.P.	N.S.S.P.	C.W.C.	U.C.P.F.	SUPP.	IND-1	IND-2	IND-3	Valid votes	Rejected votes	Total polled
Colombo District	33,519	10,983	1,226	9,910	298	-	-	-	-	249	-	-	22,397	1,310	23,707
Kolonnave	13,378	4,896	-	3,402	1,523	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,070	692	10,762
Sekewalapaya	15,285	5,776	-	4,784	-	-	-	-	-	277	-	-	10,965	642	11,607
Kandy District	7,999	1,871	-	3,300	175	-	128	-	-	160	-	-	5,346	253	5,599
Chattampi	18,227	5,893	-	7,817	-	-	-	-	-	176	-	-	13,870	582	14,452
Je. Ela	20,656	6,877	-	8,644	-	-	-	-	-	518	-	-	15,697	847	16,544
Katunayake - Seedawa	5,091	700	-	5,642	-	-	-	-	-	518	-	-	11,951	535	12,486
Pebayoda	16,778	5,091	95	3,019	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,753	244	4,997
Misawagoda	5,434	1,639	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kalutara District	23,939	6,039	795	8,394	510	-	-	-	-	1,235	-	-	16,973	813	17,786
Panadura	6,968	2,448	174	2,549	262	-	-	-	-	29	-	-	5,462	286	5,748
Hirana	23,072	7,348	-	7,567	-	-	-	-	-	1,988	-	-	16,873	1,009	17,882
Kalutara	18,381	6,046	220	6,407	-	-	-	-	-	1,567	-	-	14,240	379	14,619
Beruwela	4,918	1,335	-	6,385	-	-	-	-	-	253	-	-	11,556	652	12,208
Kandy District	7,616	2,625	172	2,739	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	5,326	297	5,623
Gampola	804	354	-	243	-	2	-	-	-	11	-	107	4,349	238	4,587
Nawabpilly	5,105	1,885	-	2,464	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kadiganawa	3,953	1,335	64	1,231	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,962	132	3,094
Wetpegama	9,252	3,238	-	-	-	-	1,456	-	-	1,462	-	-	6,220	288	6,508
Talawake - Liadida	14,672	5,228	434	5,402	-	-	-	-	-	252	-	-	11,316	457	11,773
Hirana District	28,070	8,125	780	11,189	371	188	-	-	-	-	-	-	20,779	784	21,563
Wetpegama	14,364	4,790	516	5,436	161	-	-	-	126	-	-	-	10,903	491	11,394
Galle District	6,645	2,574	144	2,233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,951	195	5,146
Amalappaya	6,525	2,639	457	2,057	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,153	237	5,390
Hambantota District	3,312	1,665	62	1,007	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,734	76	2,810
Rambanawa	18,422	3,848	-	5,249	-	-	-	-	-	198	-	1,304	11,749	794	12,543
Chilaw	14,379	5,755	-	4,424	271	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,450	550	11,000
Amalappaya District	26,795	7,742	999	10,271	210	-	-	-	-	225	-	-	19,447	1,019	20,466
Amalappaya District	3,994	1,477	38	1,012	-	-	-	-	-	1,058	-	-	2,953	134	3,087
Badakawa	2,091	628	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,640	77	1,717
Badakawa	7,050	2,757	115	3,369	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,241	303	6,544
Kegalle District	9,757	3,323	393	3,589	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,905	381	8,286

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.11 - Results of pradeshiya sabha election, 1997

Pradeshiya sabha	Registered Voters	UNP	DCPR	JVP	NSSP	PA	MFP	CWC	IND.1	IND.2	Valid votes	Rejected votes	Total Polled
Colombo District													
Kotkawaite - Mulleriyawa	60,858	15,216	-	-	-	25,035	3,330	-	-	-	43,581	2,476	46,057
Kaduwa	117,891	28,106	-	6,319	607	39,555	8,236	-	-	-	82,823	4,628	87,451
Seethawaka	70,183	16,444	-	1,564	-	17,588	14,382	-	571	-	50,549	3,082	53,631
Homagama	139,601	35,214	-	5,648	699	44,348	9,392	-	-	-	95,301	5,122	100,423
Maharagama	74,121	15,541	-	2,774	224	23,401	8,447	-	957	-	51,344	2,425	53,769
Kesbewa	116,531	25,573	-	5,968	-	41,403	2,895	-	4,153	-	79,992	4,175	84,167
Gampaha District													
Wattala	86,547	27,016	-	2,442	-	32,927	-	163	-	-	62,548	3,354	65,902
Gampaha	99,214	21,196	-	4,672	615	41,650	1,170	-	-	-	69,303	3,913	73,216
Ja - Ela	84,247	22,175	-	2,766	-	35,352	649	28	-	-	60,970	3,051	64,021
Katana	75,219	19,845	-	-	-	34,667	-	-	-	-	54,512	5,012	59,524
Divulapitiya	80,010	25,440	-	-	-	31,409	-	-	3,707	-	60,556	3,577	64,133
Mirigama	92,690	30,408	-	-	-	33,793	1,626	-	137	-	65,964	4,920	70,884
Minuwangoda	88,364	25,090	-	4,079	-	34,744	-	-	-	-	63,913	4,376	68,289
Atanagalle	96,812	20,350	-	3,885	-	46,831	-	-	-	-	71,066	5,373	76,439
Mahara	103,823	24,985	-	4,554	-	35,841	-	-	5,447	-	70,827	4,092	74,919
Dompe	83,413	21,701	-	3,408	-	34,373	-	-	-	-	59,482	4,564	64,046
Kelanaya	62,319	16,127	-	2,780	-	22,213	3,001	-	633	-	44,754	2,147	46,901
Byagama	83,498	24,480	-	-	-	33,311	-	-	-	-	57,791	4,952	62,743
Kalutara District													
Panadura	78,563	20,901	-	3,479	-	30,556	-	-	1,855	471	57,262	3,025	60,287
Bandaragama	80,910	23,786	-	2,764	-	33,104	891	-	-	-	60,545	3,696	64,241
Horana	75,436	22,584	-	1,906	366	28,581	2,714	-	-	-	56,151	3,756	59,907
Bulatbathala	58,009	19,031	-	-	-	19,455	739	-	1,173	-	40,398	3,753	44,151
Matugama	47,961	12,922	-	1,943	-	16,524	1,249	-	190	983	33,811	2,764	36,575
Dedangoda	35,133	9,654	-	781	-	9,842	330	-	877	3,723	25,207	2,206	27,413
Kalutara	65,604	19,572	-	-	-	24,117	-	-	1,775	-	45,464	3,657	49,121
Beruwala	67,038	20,326	-	1,983	-	26,361	1,151	-	-	-	49,821	2,991	52,812
Agalawatte	53,045	18,035	-	-	-	16,111	-	-	930	1,403	36,479	3,450	39,929
Waijalkwita	34,974	8,847	-	-	323	11,568	1,657	-	1,269	-	23,664	2,451	26,115
Kandy District													
Thunpane	44,589	16,021	-	707	-	16,535	-	-	-	-	33,263	2,586	35,849
Harispitiya	47,535	15,976	-	-	-	16,759	962	-	61	-	33,758	2,902	36,660
Akurana	31,195	10,713	-	-	-	12,386	-	-	77	-	23,176	1,784	24,960
Pujappitiya	34,752	10,274	-	763	-	14,424	-	-	658	34	26,153	1,981	28,134
Pathadumbura	41,763	15,165	-	527	-	16,749	-	-	-	-	32,441	2,358	34,799
Panwila	13,167	4,612	-	74	-	4,199	-	-	-	-	9,193	1,737	10,930
Udadumbura	14,857	5,460	-	146	-	5,202	-	-	187	-	10,995	1,016	12,011
Minipe	29,227	9,455	-	-	-	13,672	-	-	54	-	23,181	1,785	24,966
Medadumbura	34,065	10,545	-	366	-	12,712	-	-	938	-	24,893	2,580	27,473
Kundasale	60,018	20,586	-	1,011	-	22,065	-	-	-	-	44,074	3,541	47,615
Pathahewaketa	51,592	19,795	-	580	-	16,765	-	-	-	-	37,140	3,499	40,639
Yatuwaru	59,187	19,540	-	1,086	-	21,844	-	-	-	-	42,556	3,232	45,788
Uduwaru	59,311	20,279	-	1,104	-	25,111	-	-	-	-	43,227	3,397	46,624
Udawalpata	59,489	17,456	-	661	-	21,844	-	-	845	-	44,073	4,096	48,169
Ganga Ihalu Korale	30,885	8,024	-	602	-	13,763	-	-	375	-	22,764	2,197	24,961
Kadawathasathara	29,213	9,887	-	657	-	10,350	-	-	-	-	20,894	1,734	22,628
Pasbage Korale	22,477	7,596	-	563	-	7,135	-	-	-	-	15,294	1,775	17,069

Table 23.11 (Contd.) - Results of pradeshiya sabha election, 1997

Pradeshiya sabha	Registered voters	UNP	UCPP	NUW	JVP	MEP	PA	SLMP	CWC	LSSP	SLPF	IND 1	IND 2	Valid votes	Rejected votes	Total polled
Matale District																
Dambulla	31,860	7,717	-	-	1,079	-	14,167	-	-	-	-	958	-	23,921	2,275	26,196
Pallepola	18,875	5,678	-	-	-	-	6,363	-	-	-	-	1,087	-	13,128	1,453	14,581
Gallewela	39,643	10,845	-	-	1,151	-	15,850	-	-	-	-	-	-	27,846	3,180	31,026
Laggala Pallegama	8,086	1,917	-	-	239	-	4,583	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,739	689	7,428
Ambanganga Korale	10,057	3,301	-	-	117	-	4,014	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,432	892	8,324
Wiligamiya	15,700	4,400	-	-	378	-	7,115	-	-	-	-	407	-	11,893	1,502	13,395
Naula	17,532	5,743	-	-	356	-	7,019	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,525	1,121	14,646
Matale	20,167	5,999	-	-	426	-	6,969	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,394	1,428	14,822
Yatawatta	18,642	5,467	-	-	306	-	8,493	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,266	1,446	15,712
Rattota	31,174	9,186	-	-	-	-	12,611	-	-	-	-	-	-	21,797	3,163	24,960
Ukuwela	37,280	11,121	-	-	1,029	-	13,354	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,504	2,867	28,371
Novara - Eliya District																
Ambagamuwa	96,347	31,265	5,338	5,264	828	665	-	-	19,086	-	-	225	1,068	63,739	10,004	73,743
Novara - Eliya	85,265	31,310	6,897	2,452	475	-	-	-	16,986	-	-	1,068	-	59,188	8,162	67,350
Korrale	57,672	19,511	1,735	-	970	475	17,721	-	-	-	-	-	-	39,937	4,870	44,807
Hanguranketa	55,878	17,506	-	-	840	-	24,324	-	-	-	-	-	-	42,670	5,297	47,967
Walipane	63,130	21,589	-	-	1,427	-	21,962	-	-	-	-	-	-	44,978	5,515	50,493
Galle District																
Balapitiya	44,550	13,122	-	-	1,207	-	14,507	-	-	-	-	3,080	175	32,091	1,916	34,007
Ambalangoda	33,004	10,732	-	-	-	-	12,768	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,500	2,139	25,639
Karandeniya	53,730	14,104	-	-	3,157	451	19,190	-	-	-	-	-	-	36,902	2,841	39,743
Bentota	32,489	7,840	-	-	1,093	1,126	10,840	-	-	-	-	1,041	1,673	23,613	1,373	24,986
Eliptiya	40,358	11,208	-	-	1,343	1,545	14,680	-	-	-	-	1,001	-	29,777	2,023	31,800
Tawalama	17,567	5,268	-	-	870	-	7,470	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,608	1,171	14,779
Netuwa	13,795	3,649	-	-	524	-	6,838	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,011	1,152	12,163
Niyagama	22,900	7,892	-	-	726	-	9,139	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,757	1,348	19,105
Nagoda	33,078	10,372	-	-	755	-	14,923	-	-	-	-	-	-	26,050	2,092	28,142
Baddegama	46,267	14,430	-	-	1,276	-	18,344	-	-	-	-	-	-	34,050	2,799	36,849
Vakkalamulla	26,629	8,003	-	-	1,116	-	10,862	-	-	-	-	-	-	19,981	1,688	21,669
Hikkaduwa	66,752	19,911	-	-	-	1,297	26,390	-	-	-	530	606	-	48,734	3,147	51,881
Bope Poddala	33,006	8,528	-	-	1,600	-	15,202	-	-	-	123	-	-	25,453	1,273	26,726
Akmeemana	39,565	11,713	-	-	1,682	186	16,229	-	-	-	-	-	-	29,810	1,675	31,485
Habaraduwa	67,137	18,319	-	-	2,846	1,212	25,195	-	-	-	-	-	-	47,572	2,994	50,566
Matarara District																
Kotapola	61,851	18,220	-	-	2,586	635	19,257	-	-	-	-	2,068	-	42,766	4,584	47,350
Hakmana	23,727	6,644	-	-	986	-	7,701	-	-	-	-	793	-	16,124	1,229	17,353
Mulatiyana	31,638	8,727	-	-	1,464	-	11,464	-	-	-	349	-	-	22,004	1,859	23,863
Pisigoda	34,120	9,659	-	-	1,234	827	11,458	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,178	2,341	25,519
Akuressa	52,226	14,139	-	-	-	-	23,155	-	-	-	-	-	-	37,294	3,682	40,976
Malimbada	22,586	6,485	-	-	1,248	-	8,136	-	-	-	-	-	-	15,869	1,160	17,029
Kamburupitiya	38,405	9,389	-	-	1,308	-	14,160	-	-	-	-	1,141	-	25,998	1,777	27,775
Tilthagoda	23,585	5,785	-	-	813	173	9,821	-	-	-	-	-	-	16,592	1,136	17,728
Devunuwara	30,680	6,295	-	-	1,902	89	12,470	-	-	-	-	1,138	-	21,894	1,329	23,223
Dickwella	36,023	9,330	-	-	1,874	116	14,491	-	-	-	-	636	-	26,447	1,549	27,996
Matarara	43,541	10,619	-	-	1,817	456	19,285	-	-	-	-	-	-	32,177	1,548	33,725
Weligama	62,223	14,838	-	-	3,309	510	23,690	-	-	-	-	-	-	42,347	2,830	45,177

Table 23.11 (Contd.) - Results of pradeshiya sabha election, 1997

Pradeshiya sabha	Registered voters	UNP	JVP	NSSP	PA	MEP	IND-1	IND-2	IND-3	Valid votes	Rejected votes	Total polled
Hambantota District												
Weeraketiya	50,324	12,671	3,960	-	17,279	-	-	-	-	33,910	3,276	37,186
Katuwana	40,592	12,767	2,918	-	12,506	-	-	-	-	28,191	2,669	30,860
Beliarte	39,232	11,811	-	-	16,208	-	851	-	-	28,870	2,326	31,196
Tangalle	34,686	8,800	4,006	-	11,923	564	-	-	-	25,293	1,456	26,749
Angunakolapelllessa	26,700	8,844	2,586	-	12,999	321	8,789	-	-	18,540	1,932	20,472
Ambalantota	38,358	9,591	4,299	-	12,999	796	131	-	-	27,816	1,879	29,695
Tissamaharamsa	35,620	8,512	4,850	-	11,977	168	-	-	-	25,507	1,740	27,247
Hambantota	41,463	11,638	3,883	-	12,596	-	-	-	-	28,117	2,570	30,687
Lunugamvehera	15,128	4,108	1,421	-	4,518	-	-	-	-	10,047	996	11,043
Kurunegala District												
Galgamuwa	45,933	12,222	956	-	19,245	146	267	486	474	33,796	2,622	36,418
Giribawa	17,950	4,428	779	-	7,055	-	446	648	-	13,356	1,033	14,389
Poipithigama	43,426	12,884	952	-	16,116	-	474	-	-	30,426	2,900	33,326
Nikaweratiya	47,994	12,212	1,230	-	19,084	474	1,558	-	-	34,558	3,010	37,568
Kobalgane	20,111	6,053	341	23	8,328	-	-	-	-	14,745	1,308	16,053
Mahawa	47,019	13,895	1,022	-	17,653	511	-	-	-	33,081	2,443	35,524
Ibbagamuwa	70,485	20,496	1,724	-	26,602	527	1,255	-	-	50,604	4,327	54,931
Wariyapola	56,235	17,298	2,084	-	21,234	-	-	-	-	40,616	3,469	44,085
Panduwasnuwara	55,525	16,853	787	-	22,122	-	1,275	-	-	41,037	2,981	44,018
Bingiriya	64,782	21,727	820	-	24,696	-	-	-	-	47,243	3,666	50,909
Pannala	71,215	20,632	2,030	-	30,513	-	693	-	-	53,868	3,213	57,081
Kuliyapitiya	69,905	23,678	1,056	-	23,233	-	3,088	-	-	51,055	3,452	54,507
Alawaya	71,336	21,172	1,296	-	29,006	624	-	-	-	52,098	3,352	55,450
Poigahawela	58,708	17,850	1,110	-	16,751	1,478	5,191	-	-	42,380	2,827	45,207
Kurunegala	75,261	23,198	1,835	125	26,134	340	2,042	-	-	53,674	3,684	57,358
Mawathagama	35,368	9,362	1,037	-	17,565	-	-	-	-	27,964	2,441	30,405
Rodigama	52,048	15,293	1,882	-	18,042	268	275	-	-	35,760	2,988	38,748
Puttalam District												
Kalpititiya	39,606	11,614	269	-	14,845	-	-	-	-	26,728	2,666	29,394
Purtalam	17,672	4,607	270	-	6,495	-	-	-	-	11,511	1,366	12,877
Arachchikattuwa	35,439	10,118	-	139	13,137	-	1,422	-	-	24,677	1,983	26,660
Yanathawilla	7,794	2,181	-	-	3,829	-	-	-	-	6,010	448	6,458
Anamadawa	42,630	9,107	928	-	21,307	-	-	-	-	31,342	3,078	34,420
Karuwalagaswewa	12,399	2,703	232	-	5,701	-	-	-	-	8,636	630	9,270
Navagattegama	8,181	2,460	77	-	3,766	-	-	-	-	6,303	679	6,982
Chilaw	47,858	11,994	-	-	19,158	-	2,543	-	-	33,695	2,603	36,298
Nattandiye	66,557	17,782	-	-	28,654	580	-	-	-	47,016	2,991	50,007
Wenepattuwa	80,116	22,633	1,466	-	34,050	256	53	-	-	58,458	3,422	61,880
Anuradhapura District												
Medawachchiya	22,538	6,183	554	-	8,609	27	710	-	-	16,083	1,205	17,288
Rambewa	18,242	5,607	514	-	6,654	-	241	-	-	13,016	912	13,928
Kebithigollewa	11,504	2,864	207	-	5,297	-	-	-	-	8,368	668	9,036
Padaviya	13,304	3,591	-	-	5,271	-	-	-	-	8,862	910	9,772
Kahatagasdigiya	19,940	6,129	506	-	7,942	-	300	-	-	14,877	1,021	15,898
Horowporhana	16,728	5,558	-	-	6,969	-	-	-	-	12,527	984	13,511
Galenbindunuwewa	25,963	7,483	668	-	11,065	-	-	-	-	19,216	1,617	20,833
Talawa	45,914	11,887	1,390	-	20,924	-	-	-	-	34,201	3,067	37,268
Nuwaraag Palathia East	25,131	6,651	1,466	-	9,456	166	306	-	-	17,879	1,396	19,275
Nuwaraag Palathia Central	32,821	9,355	971	-	12,613	-	-	-	-	23,105	1,700	24,805
Nochchiyagama	24,636	7,407	466	-	9,721	153	191	-	-	8,064	1,490	9,554
Rajanganaya	18,680	3,224	791	-	11,788	-	-	-	-	13,889	1,145	15,034
Galnewa	22,199	4,310	529	-	10,268	-	-	-	-	16,627	1,973	18,600
Ipalogama	20,402	4,356	492	-	5,766	57	195	-	-	15,271	1,273	16,544
Mihintale	13,710	3,869	539	-	6,649	-	-	-	-	10,231	590	10,821
Tsiripane	15,895	4,761	583	-	6,649	-	-	-	-	11,993	907	12,900
Kehirawa	37,093	11,266	-	-	16,714	-	-	-	-	27,980	2,659	30,639
Palogala	18,295	5,298	479	-	7,479	-	-	-	-	13,256	1,245	14,501

Table 23.11 (Contd.) - Results of pradeshiya sabha election, 1997

Pradeshiya sabha	Registered voters	UNP	UCPF	JVP	PA	NSSP	MEP	MULF	CWC	IND 1	IND 2	IND 3	Valid votes	Rejected votes	Total Polled
Polonnaruwa District															
Eihera	23,843	6,157	-	743	9,528	-	-	-	-	381	55	-	16,864	1,839	18,703
Hingurakgoda	34,971	9,210	-	1,705	13,437	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,352	2,153	26,505
Medirigiriya	37,788	11,811	-	1,104	14,507	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27,422	2,317	29,739
Lankapura	19,478	6,509	-	357	7,583	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,449	1,098	15,547
Dimbullagala	51,582	14,124	-	1,749	18,225	-	-	-	-	687	-	-	34,785	3,177	37,962
Tamanakaduwa	41,884	12,769	-	1,506	15,595	-	-	-	-	392	-	-	30,262	2,239	32,501
Badulla District															
Mahiyanganaya	36,460	14,958	-	813	9,889	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,660	2,825	28,485
Ridimaliyadaba	25,613	10,963	-	1,200	5,237	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,400	1,892	19,292
Soranathota	13,372	4,326	-	375	4,376	-	156	-	-	-	-	-	9,233	1,104	10,337
Meegahakivolaz	10,393	4,087	-	140	3,141	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,368	946	8,314
Kandeketiya	13,525	5,010	-	124	4,510	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,644	1,129	10,773
Passara	46,828	17,872	-	745	5,577	-	-	13,243	-	1,419	-	-	33,279	4,268	37,547
Badulla	16,800	5,603	651	408	5,577	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,239	1,456	13,695
Halt - Ela	50,763	17,105	886	1,531	15,978	-	698	-	-	-	-	-	36,198	4,067	40,265
Uvaparanganama	48,009	15,443	-	1,798	18,422	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35,663	4,197	39,860
Wellimada	54,609	20,853	-	1,704	17,318	-	397	-	-	-	-	-	40,272	3,597	43,869
Bandarawela	31,393	9,476	320	-	9,155	-	362	-	-	71	1,792	688	21,864	2,330	24,194
Ella	24,348	8,280	412	344	7,172	-	-	-	-	848	-	-	17,056	2,290	19,346
Haputsala	23,371	8,119	108	478	7,571	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16,276	1,411	17,687
Haldummulla	21,671	8,158	443	446	5,522	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,569	2,167	16,736
Moneragala District															
Bibile	20,128	6,365	-	1,043	6,889	-	-	-	-	801	-	-	15,098	1,364	16,462
Medagama	18,182	7,000	-	468	6,450	-	-	-	-	18	-	-	13,936	1,172	15,108
Medulla	15,632	4,393	-	772	6,016	-	-	-	-	201	677	-	12,059	965	13,024
Siyambalanduwa	23,850	7,040	-	738	9,567	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,345	2,304	19,649
Moneragala	22,036	6,378	-	854	9,199	-	-	-	-	34	-	-	16,465	1,363	17,828
Badakubura	22,036	7,891	-	496	8,115	-	-	-	-	338	-	-	16,840	1,558	18,398
Buttala	23,991	8,304	-	958	8,947	-	-	-	-	18,581	-	-	20,114	1,533	21,647
Katragama	6,699	2,365	-	351	2,224	-	-	-	-	271	-	-	5,211	386	5,597
Wellawaya	26,804	8,937	-	1,009	9,197	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19,143	2,261	21,404
Tanamaiwila	31,616	7,949	-	2,213	12,018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22,180	2,400	24,580
Ratnapura District															
Eheliyagoda	40,634	11,761	-	-	16,429	-	454	-	-	283	989	-	29,916	2,158	32,074
Ratnapura	34,874	10,144	-	718	15,514	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26,376	2,489	28,865
Kuruwita	69,991	19,147	-	923	28,848	-	704	-	-	1,356	-	-	50,978	3,716	54,694
Pelmedulla	45,086	14,978	-	945	19,080	-	-	-	-	613	-	-	35,616	2,410	38,026
Balangoda	35,970	12,061	-	983	13,476	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26,520	2,605	29,125
Imbulpe	31,444	10,026	-	680	12,324	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,030	2,379	25,409
Atakalanpanna	61,603	20,190	-	934	23,685	-	-	-	-	1,095	-	-	45,904	3,864	49,768
Welligepola	31,839	11,108	-	622	11,817	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,547	2,125	25,672
Nivrigala	50,945	15,610	-	928	23,499	-	147	-	-	231	-	-	40,184	2,980	43,164
Avagama	16,733	4,003	-	-	8,795	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,029	982	14,011
Kalawana	22,890	7,236	-	-	10,434	-	-	-	-	881	-	-	17,670	1,641	19,311
Embilipitiya	68,484	17,521	-	2,730	28,548	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49,680	4,204	53,884
Kolonna	25,243	7,419	-	1,219	8,760	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,398	2,139	19,537
Kegalle District															
Warakapola	72,638	24,266	-	1,945	25,727	-	-	-	-	243	-	-	52,181	3,252	55,433
Galgamuwa	55,335	18,358	-	1,426	18,487	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38,271	3,100	41,371
Kegalle	48,098	13,363	-	1,960	18,462	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33,785	2,717	36,502
Rambukkana	52,126	14,699	-	1,468	20,836	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37,003	3,325	40,328
Mawanella	62,196	20,793	-	-	21,457	-	-	507	-	729	-	-	43,486	3,548	47,034
Aransyake	46,187	15,417	-	1,164	15,298	-	-	-	-	933	-	-	32,812	2,469	35,281
Yatiyantole	58,713	19,176	-	672	20,130	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39,978	3,732	43,710
Ruwanwella	38,456	12,627	-	809	14,420	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27,856	2,052	29,908
Deraniyagala	27,022	9,486	-	-	7,763	-	-	-	-	361	-	-	17,893	1,927	19,820
Dehiowita	45,448	14,744	-	-	15,816	-	283	-	-	939	-	-	31,499	2,510	34,009

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.12 - Results of the Local Government Election, 1998 - Northern province

Name of the Local Government	Registered votes	E.P.D.P.		E.P.R.L.F.		T.E.L.O.		T.U.L.F.		D.P.L.F.		Number	
		No. of votes	Members elected	No. of votes	Members elected	No. of votes	Members elected	No. of votes	Members elected	No. of votes	Members elected	No. of votes	Members elected	I.G.
Jaffna Municipal Council	82,667	2,963	6	943	2	162	-	3,540	9	3,182	6	-	-
Valvettithurai Urban Council	11,128	283	2	54	-	736	-	-	-	151	1	-	-
Point pedru Urban Council	12,721	650	2	128	-	157	-	-	-	1,301	6	-	-
Chavakachcheri Urban Council	14,802	680	2	835	3	99	-	-	-	1,146	6	-	-
Kayts Provincial Council	30,340	2,771	9	51	-	57	-	-	-	536	1	411	1
Delft Provincial Council	4,209	1,484	8	13	-	10	-	-	-	293	1	-	-
Velsnai Provincial Council	31,199	1,715	8	58	-	56	-	-	-	255	1	508	2
Vaikamam Western Provincial Council	37,746	3,146	8	327	1	494	1	-	-	2,358	4	-	-
Vaikamam Northern Provincial Council	53,697	1,799	6	816	2	144	-	2,821	11	528	2	-	-
Vaikamam South Western Provincial Council	41,856	4,069	10	578	1	815	2	-	-	1,281	3	-	-
Vaikamam Southern Provincial Council	41,444	3,542	8	1,121	2	496	1	-	-	2,659	5	-	-
Vaikamam Eastern Provincial Council	54,386	3,978	9	2,909	5	752	2	-	-	2,975	5	-	-
Vadamarachchi Southwestern Provincial Council	45,214	3,888	9	554	1	1,236	2	-	-	2,940	6	-	-
Point pedru Provincial Council	29,929	2,208	5	1,459	2	549	1	-	-	859	1	-	-
Chavakachcheri Provincial Council	39,871	3,103	4	2,091	3	742	1	-	-	3,460	7	-	-
Nallur Provincial Council	32,814	2,064	7	847	2	417	1	-	-	921	2	-	-
Pachchilaipallai Provincial Council	7,463	377	2	362	2	114	-	-	-	731	5	-	-

Source - Department of Elections

- E.P.D.P - Eelam People's Democratic Party
E.P.R.L.F. - Eelam People's Revolutionary Liberation Front
T.E.L.O. - Tamil Eelam Liberation Organization
T.U.L.F. - Tamil United Liberation
D.P.L.F. - Democratic People's Liberation Front
I.G. - Independent Group

Table 23.13 - Results of Provincial Councils Elections, 1993
Date of Poll : 17th May, 1993 .

Province	Administrative District	Registered Voters	UNP	NUW	NSSP	PA	DUNF	DWC	FPF	SLPF	SLEMC	IND1	IND2	Total Valid Votes	Rejected Votes	Total Polled
Western	Colombo	1,263,667	303,179	-	6,983	307,471	176,591	2,624	-	-	4,854	2,297	2,488	806,487	47,360	853,847
	Gampaha	1,116,072	320,065	-	4,815	353,602	88,362	-	-	-	7,078	610	-	774,532	43,310	817,842
	Kalutara	639,275	192,269	-	3,704	171,451	59,864	-	1,633	-	6,398	-	-	435,319	31,131	466,450
Central	Kandy	719,289	252,926	-	3,382	155,298	90,366	-	-	-	6,079	-	-	508,051	44,027	552,078
	Matale	255,493	94,376	-	1,334	46,322	31,299	-	-	-	4,153	-	-	177,484	19,714	197,198
	Nuwara-Eliya	367,189	150,936	7,749	1,376	47,823	29,183	1,074	-	-	-	847	16,075	255,063	34,500	289,563
Southern	Galle	622,127	190,478	-	5,227	189,114	39,036	-	-	-	-	5,903	-	429,758	27,829	457,587
	Matara	493,503	145,093	-	-	129,693	44,873	-	-	-	-	-	-	322,485	22,979	345,464
	Hambantota	323,653	102,841	-	1,859	63,919	32,882	-	-	-	-	4,633	166	206,300	17,789	224,089
North-Western	Kurunegala	858,638	269,768	-	5,117	221,896	117,893	-	-	-	4,159	-	-	618,833	43,706	662,539
	Puttalam	371,192	122,830	-	3,425	89,355	26,203	-	-	-	3,017	-	-	244,830	16,318	261,148
North-Central	Anuradhapura	398,936	146,252	-	1,982	98,901	29,722	-	-	-	5,006	-	-	281,863	24,783	306,646
	Polonnaruwa	196,031	69,606	-	622	44,528	16,608	-	-	-	1,818	-	-	133,182	12,630	145,812
Uva	Badulla	433,862	175,535	-	2,553	77,422	40,177	-	-	-	4,864	2,662	-	303,213	40,221	343,434
	Moneragala	200,601	79,400	-	846	49,795	12,613	-	-	-	-	-	-	142,654	14,202	156,856
Sabaragamuwa	Ratnapura	546,992	211,097	-	10,476	147,586	34,850	-	-	-	-	746	-	404,755	29,668	434,423
	Kegalle	494,706	167,908	-	2,720	110,797	57,869	-	-	-	957	-	-	340,251	25,247	365,498
Total		9,301,226	2,994,559	7,749	56,421	2,304,973	928,391	3,698	1,633	2,876	48,383	17,698	18,729	6,385,060	495,414	6,880,474
Percentage			46.89	0.12	0.89	36.10	14.54	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.75	0.27	0.29	68.64	5.32	73.97

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.14 - Results of Provincial Councils Elections, 1994
Date of Poll : 24th March, 1994

Province	Administrative District	Registered Voters	UNP	NSSP	PA	SMBP	IND	Total Valid Votes	Rejected Votes	Total Polled
Southern	Galle	622,129	200,004	7,150	238,770	1,725	-	447,649	22,600	470,249
	Matara	493,503	147,301	1,586	192,853	-	-	341,740	17,397	359,137
	Hambantota	323,653	96,118	2,703	118,889	-	2,650	220,360	14,828	235,188
Total		1,439,285	443,423	11,439	550,512	1,725	2,650	1,009,749	54,825	1,064,574
Percentage			43.91	1.13	54.52	0.17	0.26	70.16	3.81	73.97

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.15a - Results of Provincial Councils Elections, 1999
Date of Poll : 6th April, 1999

Province	Administrative District	Registered Voters	UNP	NUW	IVP	NLF	PA	MEP	MULF	LF	SLPF	SMBP	SLMC	UCPP	IND	IND1	IND2	IND3	Total Valid Votes	Rejected Votes	Total Polled
Western	Colombo	1,326,487	362,636	12,510	55,361	9,140	313,576	43,008	5,087	1,411	495	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	804,550	50,435	854,985
	Gampaha	1,213,589	317,698	-	53,277	8,409	376,176	15,492	1,347	-	663	807	-	-	-	-	-	-	778,869	48,262	827,131
	Kalutara	676,962	199,054	4,051	28,347	5,427	198,702	7,149	567	-	209	-	7,230	-	-	-	-	-	450,736	28,441	479,177
Central	Kandy	780,232	232,934	16,954	16,065	-	247,250	4,433	-	881	689	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	520,059	45,000	565,059
	Matak	281,089	70,705	9,306	8,010	-	95,115	1,453	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	185,105	16,257	201,362
	Nuwara-Eliya	391,585	88,020	69,441	4,909	3,541	79,264	811	-	-	-	-	-	22,896	-	462	2,031	238	271,613	30,853	302,466
North-Central	Anuradhapura	448,098	111,285	-	14,197	4,259	156,291	1,150	798	-	131	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	288,972	22,153	311,125
	Polloonnarawa	217,318	60,022	-	8,498	-	75,466	394	-	388	-	334	-	-	-	-	-	-	145,102	10,255	155,357
Uva	Badulla	454,913	137,437	19,224	12,106	-	140,293	1,980	-	-	-	-	-	2,473	-	-	-	-	313,920	29,396	343,316
	Moeragala	224,077	65,340	1,927	10,292	2,182	66,870	419	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	101	273	-	147,454	13,976	161,430
Sabaragamuwa	Rathnapura	584,998	175,912	7,586	17,200	5,047	191,502	1,624	-	-	194	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	399,657	29,362	429,019
	Kegalle	528,107	158,503	4,351	15,537	-	165,041	1,552	-	983	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	345,967	23,749	369,716
Total		7,127,455	1,979,546	145,350	246,799	38,005	2,105,546	79,465	7,799	3,663	2,431	1,141	7,230	25,369	563	2,304	238	238	4,652,004	348,139	5,000,143
Percentage			42.55	3.12	5.35	0.82	45.26	1.71	0.17	0.08	0.05	0.02	0.16	0.55	0.10	0.01	0.05	0.01	65.27	4.88	70.15

Source - Department of Elections

Table 23.15b - Results of Provincial Councils Elections, 1999
(North Western and Southern Provinces)

Province	Administrative District	UNP	PLSF	JVP	NLF	PA	MEP	MULF	LF	FF	SLFF	SMBP	IND	IND1	IND2	IND3	IND4	Total Valid Votes
North-Western	Kurunegala	273,892	-	31,221	9,456	405,431	-	971	676	-	-	-	309	-	-	-	-	721,956
	Puttalam	105,876	-	10,759	3,361	160,722	-	542	202	-	126	-	-	72	270	198	-	282,128
Total		379,768	-	41,980	12,817	566,153	-	1,513	878	-	126	-	309	72	270	198	-	1,004,084
Percentage		37.82	-	4.18	1.28	56.39	-	0.15	0.09	-	0.01	-	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.02	-	
Southern	Galle	188,921	444	38,817	4,981	214,714	5,496	739	340	197	-	-	-	4,550	178	392	-	459,769
	Matara	130,843	448	40,276	2,906	157,762	1,160	-	298	143	-	399	-	5,749	292	-	-	340,276
	Hambantota	82,786	324	47,296	4,869	89,483	1,044	-	150	-	-	-	-	2,603	134	87	147	228,923
Total		402,550	1,216	126,389	12,756	461,959	7,700	739	788	340	-	399	-	12,902	604	479	147	1,028,968
Percentage		39.12	0.12	12.28	1.24	44.90	0.75	0.07	0.08	0.03	-	0.04	-	1.25	0.06	0.05	0.01	

Source - Department of Elections

Note :
North Western Province - Date of Poll : 25th January 1999
Southern Province - Date of Poll : 10th June 1999

CHAPTER XXIV - MASS COMMUNICATION MEDIA

Books printed in Sri Lanka are registered in terms of section 2 of the Printers and Publishers Ordinance (chapter 179) at the office of the Registrar of Books and Newspapers of the Department of National Archives.

It is recorded that the total number of publications printed during 1998 by 2,065 printers has a coverage of 5,839 titles totalling 58,157,505 copies. This includes Government Gazettes, School Magazines, Periodicals, etc. When the publications of less than 4 pages are excluded, the number of titles that are normally included in the National Bibliography totals up to 1,874 with 4,686,879 copies.

583 periodicals with 49,508,473 copies have been printed in 1998.

The following tables indicate the different subjects, titles, circulations and stream of publication. The following definitions have been used:

Book : A non-periodical printed publication of at least 49 pages (exclusive of the covers).

Pamphlet: A non-periodical publication of at least 5 but less than 48 pages (exclusive of the covers).

Category	Number of Titles	Total Copies	Number of Periodicals	Total Copies of Periodicals
Books	1,874	4,686,879	0	0
Periodicals	583	49,508,473	583	49,508,473
Total	2,457	54,195,352	583	49,508,473

Table 24.1 - Number of books published (titles and copies) by language(3), 1993 - 1997

Language	1993		1994		1995		1996		1997	
	Number of titles (1)	Number of copies(2)	Number of titles (1)	Number of copies(2)	Number of titles (1)	Number of copies(2)	Number of titles (1)	Number of copies(2)	Number of titles (1)	Number of copies(2)
Sinhalese	1,438	10,228,187	1,061	9,567,090	1,593	10,169,320	1,723	12,374,321	1,741	11,979,452
Tamil	295	2,698,568	308	1,636,597	348	2,721,769	420	2,611,860	244	2,376,335
English	671	2,207,224	552	1,786,444	754	3,426,457	770	3,215,270	515	2,826,012
German	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7,000
Pali	5	38,050	-	-	1	500	1	-	-	-
Spanish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swedish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	-	-	-	-	1	2,000	1	-	-	-
Japanese	2	5,000	-	-	1	1,000	1	-	1	2,000
Sanskrit	1	20,000	-	-	1	500	1	-	-	-
Hindi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1,000
Books in two or more Languages	792	1,734,222	1,008	2,346,153	1,234	3,299,400	1,198	9,975,290	380	1,577,123
Total	3,204	16,931,251	2,929	15,336,284	3,933	19,620,946	4,115	28,176,741	2,883	18,768,922

Source - Department of National Archives

(1) First edition only.

(2) First edition and re - edition.

(3) Re - prints are not counted in the number of titles but only in the number of copies.

Table 24.2 - Number of books and pamphlets (titles) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles (first editions and re-editions) (1)			Number of titles of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1993						
Generalities	118	180	298	106	6	112
Philosophy, Psychology	37	4	41	31	4	35
Religion, Theology	162	117	279	102	16	118
Sociology, Statistics	43	6	49	33	1	34
Political Science, Political Economy	75	54	129	69	3	72
Law, Public Administration, Welfare						
Social Relief, Insurance	250	849	1,099	248	847	1,095
Military Art and Science	1	1	2	1	-	1
Education	45	35	80	42	34	76
Trade, Communication, Transport	29	36	65	27	1	28
Ethnography, Cultural, Anthropology (Customs, Folklore, Mores, Tradition)	20	2	22	11	2	13
Linguistics Philology	105	27	132	66	5	71
Mathematics	36	7	43	21	3	24
Natural Science	12	4	16	10	4	14
Medical Sciences, Public Health	59	40	99	40	4	44
Technology Industry, Trade and Crafts	17	58	75	15	56	71
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding						
Hunting and Fishing	16	17	33	16	17	33
Domestic Science	2	1	3	1	1	2
Management, Administration and Organization	17	4	21	11	4	15
Physical Planning, Town and Country Planning						
Architecture	1	2	3	1	2	3
Music, Performing Arts, Theatre Film, Cinema, Radio and Television	50	13	63	42	1	43
Games and Sports	9	9	18	9	1	10
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	135	44	179	104	6	110
Literary Texts	192	138	330	148	121	269
Geography Travels	5	-	5	5	-	5
History, Biography	79	41	120	60	38	98
Total	1,515	1,689	3,204	1,219	1,177	2,396

School text-books, Children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School text - books						
(B) Children's books	8	137	145	7	123	130
(B) Children's books	8	137	145	7	123	130
(C) Government Publications	248	842	1,090	2	842	844
(D) University Thesis	2	-	2	2	-	2

Table 24.2 (Contd.) - Number of books and pamphlets (titles) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles (first editions and re-editions) (1)			Number of titles of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1994						
Generalities	97	121	218	90	119	209
Philosophy, Psychology	28	4	32	18	4	22
Religion, Theology	113	138	251	80	124	204
Sociology, Statistics	47	17	64	39	15	54
Political Science, Political Economy	48	39	87	45	38	83
Law, Public Administration, Welfare, Social Relief, Insurance	127	1,120	1,247	124	1,073	1,197
Military Art and Science	-	2	2	-	2	2
Education	73	46	119	69	46	115
Trade, Communication, Transport	27	42	69	24	42	66
Ethnography, Cultural, Anthropology (Customs, Folklore, Mores, Tradition)	11	2	13	7	2	9
Linguistics Philology	58	30	88	38	24	62
Mathematics	36	6	42	25	6	31
Natural Science	9	7	16	8	7	15
Medical Sciences, Public Health	56	26	82	40	24	64
Technology Industry, Trade and Crafts	15	42	57	14	41	55
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding						
Hunting and Fishing	18	35	53	17	34	51
Domestic Science	4	1	5	4	1	5
Management, Administration and Organization	7	7	14	5	7	12
Physical Planning, Town and Country Planning						
Architecture	27	-	27	23	-	23
Music, Performing Arts, Theatre Film, Cinema, Radio and Television	6	12	18	5	12	17
Games and Sports	-	4	4	-	4	4
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	83	79	162	74	73	147
Literary Texts	111	24	135	75	23	98
Geography Travels	2	4	6	2	1	3
History, Biography	86	32	118	67	30	97
Total	1,089	1,840	2,929	893	1,752	2,645

School text-books, Children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School text - books	69	5	74	8	1	9
(B) Children's books	9	76	85	4	73	77
(C) Government Publications	127	1,120	1,247	124	1,073	1,197
(D) University Theses	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 24.2 (Contd.) - Number of books and pamphlets (titles) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles (first editions and re - editions) (1)			Number of titles of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1995						
Generalities	156	194	350	152	188	340
Philosophy, Psychology	23	6	29	188	6	194
Religion, Theology	168	138	306	124	126	250
Sociology, Statistics	41	14	55	32	14	46
Political Science, Political Economy	122	29	151	115	27	142
Law, Public Administration, Welfare						
Social Relief, Insurance	176	1,384	1,560	176	1,384	1,560
Military Art and Science	1	1	2	1	1	2
Education	152	91	243	147	91	238
Trade, Communication, Transport	23	18	41	20	18	38
Ethnography, Cultural, Anthropology (Customs, Folklore, Mores, Tradition)	25	6	31	23	6	29
Linguistics, Philology						
Mathematics	36	10	46	27	9	36
Natural Science	9	8	17	9	7	16
Medical Sciences, Public Health	95	35	130	73	34	107
Technology Industry, Trade and Crafts	31	48	79	30	47	77
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding	22	13	35	22	13	35
Hunting and Fishing	2	7	9	2	-	2
Domestic Science						
Management, Administration and Organization	15	7	22	10	7	17
Physical Planning, Town and Country Planning						
Architecture	1	1	2	1	1	2
Plastic and Graphic Arts, Photography	1	1	2	1	1	2
Music, Performing Arts, Theatre Film, Cinema, Radio and Television	36	20	56	31	18	49
Games and Sports	6	5	11	4	5	9
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	130	136	266	114	124	238
Literary Texts	187	36	223	147	34	181
Geography, Travels	9	9	18	9	7	16
History, Biography	101	21	122	82	21	103
Total	1,568	2,238	3,806	1,540	2,189	3,729

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School text-books	81	9	90	39	-	39
(B) Children's books	16	114	130	15	85	100
(C) Government Publications	310	1,397	1,707	212	929	1,141
(D) University Thesis	6	-	6	6	6	12

Table 24.2 (Contd.) - Number of books and pamphlets (titles) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles (first editions and re-editions)(1)			Number of titles of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1996						
Generalities	176	162	338	175	160	335
Philosophy, Psychology	29	-	29	29	-	29
Religion, Theology	28	-	28	11	-	11
Sociology, Statistics	46	23	69	36	23	59
Political Science, Political Economy	72	35	107	57	23	80
Law, Public Administration, Welfare						
Social Relief, Insurance	15	1,028	1,043	13	34	47
Military Art and Science	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	96	1,095	1,191	87	1,028	1,115
Trade, Communication, Transport	32	43	75	26	27	53
Ethnography, Cultural, Anthropology (Customs, Folklore, Mores, Tradition)	20	-	20	20	-	20
Linguistics, Philology						
Mathematics	30	10	40	20	10	30
Natural Science	7	8	15	7	8	15
Medical Sciences, Public Health	150	57	207	22	56	78
Technology Industry, Trade and Crafts	118	21	139	118	21	139
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hunting and Fishing	30	3	33	30	3	33
Domestic Science	-	-	-	-	-	-
Management, Administration and Organization	8	3	11	3	-	3
Physical Planning, Town and Country Planning						
Architecture	4	-	4	4	-	4
Plastic and Graphic Arts, Photography	1	-	1	1	-	1
Music, Performing Arts, Theatre Film, Cinema, Radio and Television	23	-	23	19	-	19
Games and Sports	3	2	5	3	2	5
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	90	69	159	84	65	149
Literary Texts	217	107	324	154	107	261
Geography Travels	2	-	2	7	-	7
History, Biography	90	23	113	71	23	94
Total	1,287	2,689	3,976	997	1,590	2,587

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School text-books	94	-	94	10	-	10
(B) Children's books	12	120	132	8	98	106
(C) Government Publications	-	1,187	1,187	-	1,150	1,150
(D) University Theses	8	-	8	6	4	10

Table 24.2 (Contd.) - Number of books and pamphlets (titles) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles (first editions and re-editions)(1)			Number of titles of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1997						
Generalities	200	270	470	185	260	445
Philosophy, Psychology	33	3	36	25	1	26
Religion, Theology	180	113	293	151	105	256
Sociology, Statistics	63	15	78	51	8	59
Political Science, Political Economy	61	37	98	58	36	94
Law, Public Administration, Welfare						
Social Relief, Insurance	41	243	284	39	240	279
Military Art and Science	-	3	3	-	3	3
Education	68	72	140	65	68	133
Trade, Communication, Transport	42	20	62	35	19	54
Ethnography, Cultural, Anthropology (Customs, Folklore, Mores, Tradition)	27	4	31	23	2	25
Linguistics, Philology	115	54	169	76	47	123
Mathematics	52	4	56	29	1	30
Natural Science	25	6	31	24	6	30
Medical Sciences, Public Health	71	71	142	56	67	123
Technology Industry, Trade and Crafts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding	18	13	31	16	13	29
Hunting and Fishing	16	25	41	15	25	40
Domestic Science	1	3	4	-	3	3
Management, Administration and Organization	12	1	13	12	1	13
Physical Planning, Town and Country Planning Architecture	1	-	1	1	-	1
Plastic and Graphic Arts, Photography	4	1	5	4	1	5
Music, Performing Arts, Theatre Film, Cinema, Radio and Television	62	17	79	56	17	73
Games and Sports	12	3	15	12	1	13
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	124	68	192	100	59	159
Literary Texts	284	167	451	210	127	337
Geography Travels	10	16	26	10	11	21
History, Biography	99	33	132	83	27	110
Total	1,621	1,262	2,883	1,336	1,148	2,484

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School text-books	88	4	92	4	-	4
(B) Children's books	220	7	227	5	104	109
(C) Government Publications	411	142	553	411	142	553
(D) University Theses	-	-	-	-	-	-
	719	153	872	420	246	666

Source - Department of National Archives

(1) Reprints are not counted in the number of titles, but only in the number of copies.

Table 24.3 - Number of books and pamphlets (copies) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of copies (first editions and re - editions) (1)			Number of copies of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1993						
Generalities	133,970	241,750	375,720	123,920	9,900	133,820
Philosophy, Psychology	101,000	7,600	108,600	71,000	7,600	78,600
Religion, Theology	950,195	305,635	1,255,830	207,895	55,267	263,162
Sociology, Statistics	1,514,839	548,300	2,063,139	394,467	53,000	447,467
Political Science, Political Economy	176,117	409,265	585,382	127,397	407,245	534,642
Law, Public Administration,						
Welfare, Social Relief, Insurance	690,097	2,128,797	2,818,894	687,597	2,128,297	2,815,894
Military Art and Science	300	500	800	300	-	300
Education	161,680	49,600	211,280	153,180	2,000	155,180
Trades Communication, Transport	124,625	26,260	150,885	49,625	500	50,125
Ethnography, Manners and Customs, Folklore	37,500	102,000	139,500	17,000	102,000	119,000
Linguistics, Philology	3,063,100	386,000	3,449,100	277,600	290,000	567,600
Mathematics	1,692,500	17,500	1,710,000	67,500	6,000	73,500
Natural Science	12,000	3,995	15,995	9,750	3,995	13,745
Medical Sciences, Public Health	799,565	122,525	922,090	63,805	17,000	80,805
Technology, Industry, Trade and Crafts	21,480	16,170	37,650	16,220	15,650	31,870
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding						
Hunting, Fishing	19,309	75,875	95,184	19,309	75,875	95,184
Domestic Science	6,500	500	7,000	1,500	500	2,000
Commerical and Business Management Techniques	93,500	11,400	104,900	21,000	11,400	32,400
Town and Country Planning, Architecture	1,000	1,000	2,000	1,000	1,000	2,000
Music, Film, Cinema, Theatre,						
Radio And Television	91,750	17,300	109,050	69,750	16,300	86,050
Games, Sports	12,150	6,000	18,150	12,150	3,500	15,650
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	491,373	72,900	564,273	195,773	22,500	218,273
Literary Texts	418,446	330,300	748,746	312,173	36,500	348,673
Geography, Travel	11,500	-	11,500	11,500	-	11,500
History, Biography	1,263,333	162,350	1,425,683	97,800	107,000	204,800
Total	11,887,829	5,043,522	16,931,351	3,009,211	3,373,029	6,382,240

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups should also be shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School Text-Books	8,501,900	100,000	8,601,900	350,000	100,000	450,000
(B) Children's Books	24,500	3,333,000	3,357,500	22,500	3,291,500	3,314,000
(C) Government Publications	687,597	2,139,230	2,826,827	652,912	2,139,230	2,792,142
(D) University Thesis	950	-	950	950	-	950

Table 24.3 (Contd.) - Number of books and pamphlets (copies) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of copies (first editions and re - editions) (1)			Number of copies of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1994						
Generalities	242,021	186,224	428,245	234,271	181,724	415,995
Philosophy, Psychology	99,700	9,300	109,000	52,200	9,300	61,500
Religion, Theology	663,330	367,325	1,030,655	14,525	307,550	322,075
Sociology, Statistics	872,246	315,186	1,187,432	73,886	66,780	140,666
Political Science, Political Economy	99,025	47,825	146,850	74,225	42,825	117,050
Law, Public Administration,	1,062,922	2,610,456	3,673,378	1,060,172	2,572,421	3,632,593
Welfare, Social Relief, Insurance						
Military Art and Science	-	10,000	10,000	-	10,000	10,000
Education	147,100	40,675	187,775	141,000	40,675	181,675
Trades Communication, Transport	46,965	104,505	151,470	39,465	104,505	143,970
Ethnography, Manners and Customs, Folklore	18,500	4,000	22,500	10,500	4,000	14,500
Linguistics, Philology	2,655,900	389,000	3,044,900	516,400	58,500	574,900
Mathematics	1,034,000	22,000	1,056,000	42,500	22,000	64,500
Natural Science	16,630	22,752	39,382	13,630	22,752	36,382
Medical Sciences, Public Health	902,650	29,750	932,400	97,400	27,750	125,150
Technology, Industry, Trade and Crafts	19,025	34,550	53,575	17,425	32,550	49,975
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding						
Hunting, Fishing	26,425	82,700	109,125	26,325	77,700	104,025
Domestic Science	5,000	1,000	6,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
Commercial and Business Management Techniques	11,025	7,370	18,395	6,025	7,370	13,395
Town and Country Planning, Architecture	62,775	-	62,775	54,775	-	54,775
Music, Film, Cinema, Theatre,	6,700	14,850	21,550	4,700	14,850	19,550
Radio And Television	-	-	-	-	-	-
Games, Sports	-	1,800	1,800	-	1,800	1,800
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	933,250	109,615	1,042,865	143,750	97,100	240,850
Literary Texts	207,648	53,000	260,648	126,250	52,000	178,250
Geography, Travel	31,000	497,000	528,000	31,000	2,000	33,000
History, Biography	1,163,914	47,650	1,211,564	111,914	43,650	155,564
Total	10,327,751	5,008,533	15,336,284	2,897,338	3,800,802	6,698,140

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups should also be shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School Text-Books	7,695,000	1,270,000	8,965,000	781,000	10,000	791,000
(B) Children's Books	16,000	157,500	173,500	1,000	126,000	127,000
(C) Government Publications	1,062,922	2,610,456	3,673,378	1,060,172	2,572,412	3,632,584
(D) University Thesis	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 24.3 (Contd.) - Number of books and pamphlets (copies) published by subject ,1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of copies (first editions and re - editions) (1)			Number of copies of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1995						
Generalities	263,222	206,899	470,121	250,222	203,599	453,821
Philosophy, Psychology	109,000	13,000	122,000	100,500	13,000	113,500
Religion, Theology	1,917,954	347,950	2,265,904	1,000,724	296,050	1,296,774
Sociology, Statistics	785,643	8,644	794,287	176,285	8,644	184,929
Political Science, Political Economy	152,392	83,124	235,516	140,192	79,850	220,042
Law, Public Administration,						
Welfare, Social Relief, Insurance	1,079,417	3,453,625	4,533,042	1,079,417	3,453,625	4,533,042
Military Art and Science	900	1,949	2,849	900	1,949	2,849
Education	344,125	150,387	494,512	301,125	150,387	451,512
Trade, Communication, Transport						
Ethnography, Manners and Customs, Folklore	178,700	33,420	212,120	37,700	33,420	71,120
Linguistics, Philology	41,060	6,000	47,060	35,060	6,000	41,060
Mathematics	1,076,000	17,000	1,093,000	65,000	16,000	81,000
Natural Science	10,150	51,600	61,750	10,150	14,100	24,250
Medical Sciences, Public Health	1,626,087	152,825	1,778,912	411,050	151,825	562,875
Technology, Industries, Trade and Crafts	55,510	98,545	154,055	51,510	98,045	149,555
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding						
Hunting and Fishing	22,900	16,400	39,300	22,900	15,400	38,300
Domestic Science	6,500	-	6,500	6,500	-	6,500
Commerical and Business Management Techniques	79,725	5,000	84,725	20,225	5,000	25,225
Town and Country Planning, Architecture	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plastic Arts, Minor Arts, Photography	500	900	1,400	500	400	900
Music, Film, Cinema, Theatre,						
Radio and Television	54,300	29,350	83,650	43,300	27,350	70,650
Games and Sports	11,500	11,550	23,050	9,000	11,550	20,550
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	635,001	316,750	951,751	199,501	495,750	695,251
Literary Texts	405,869	56,700	462,569	284,600	53,700	318,300
Geography, Travel	9,500	399,500	409,000	9,500	124,500	134,000
History, Biography	1,086,243	61,700	1,147,943	178,143	61,700	239,843
Total	9,952,198	5,522,818	15,475,016	4,414,004	5,321,844	9,735,848

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School Text-Books	8,466,200	945,000	9,411,200	633,700	120,000	753,700
(B) Children's Books	36,646	1,058,700	1,095,346	26,961	468,700	495,661
(C) Government Publications	1,520,460	3,384,592	4,905,052	1,321,448	3,238,992	4,560,440
(D) University Thesis	4,980	800	5,780	4,980	800	5,780

Table 24.3 (Contd.) - Number of books and pamphlets (copies) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subjects groups	Total number of copies (first editions and re - editions) (1)			Number of copies of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1996						
Generalities	41,842	162,315	204,157	41,842	148,215	190,057
Philosophy, Psychology	26,700	25,750	52,450	26,700	25,750	52,450
Religion, Theology	934,267	190,000	1,124,267	579,409	190,000	769,409
Sociology, Statistics	146,729	87,885	234,614	81,744	85,000	166,744
Political Science, Political Economy	96,030	48,250	144,280	81,030	47,250	128,280
Law, Public Administration,						
Welfare, Social Relief, Insurance	317,407	8,336,831	8,654,238	316,807	4,123,621	4,440,428
Military Art and Science	273,050	5,000	278,050	63,050	5,000	68,050
Education	135,625	58,210	193,835	131,925	54,600	186,525
Trade, Communications, Transport						
Ethnography, Manners and Customs, Folklore	-	299,125	299,125	-	20,075	20,075
Linguistics, Philology	27,200	-	27,200	24,700	-	24,700
Mathematics	610,500	15,000	625,500	14,000	15,000	29,000
Natural Science	24,566	22,200	46,766	24,566	22,200	46,766
Medical Sciences, Public Health	7,400,012	72,250	7,472,262	5,413,525	71,750	5,485,275
Technology, Industries, Trades and Crafts	35,900	23,636	59,536	35,900	23,636	59,536
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding						
Hunting and Fishing	727,745	4,300	732,045	15,275	4,300	19,575
Domestic Science	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commerical and Business Management Techniques	45,000	4,750	49,750	45,000	4,750	49,750
Town and Country Planning, Architecture	1,200	-	1,200	1,200	-	1,200
Plastic Arts, Minor Arts, Photography	-	-	-	-	-	-
Music, Film, Cinema, Theatre,						
Radio and Television	64,050	17,000	81,050	63,050	17,000	80,050
Games and Sports	4,300	1,100	5,400	4,300	1,100	5,400
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	620,100	139,227	759,327	258,850	112,927	371,777
Literary Texts	253,357	237,550	490,907	90,500	226,550	317,050
Geography, Travel	7,500	276,000	283,500	7,500	1,000	8,500
History, Biography	1,170,042	59,500	1,229,542	407,792	59,500	467,292
Total	12,963,122	10,085,879	23,049,001	7,728,665	5,259,224	12,987,889

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School Text-Books	8,941,750	-	8,941,750	179,250	-	179,250
(B) Children's Books	6,600	2,300	8,900	4,500	2,100	6,600
(C) Government Publications	317,407	8,336,831	8,654,238	316,807	4,123,621	4,440,428
(D) University Thesis	1,300	600	1,900	1,300	200	1,500

Table 24.3 (Contd.) - Number of books and pamphlets (copies) published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subjects groups	Total number of copies (first editions and re - editions) (1)			Number of copies of first editions only		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1997						
Generalities	298,231	220,118	518,349	256,594	209,098	465,692
Philosophy, Psychology	106,940	3,000	109,940	72,000	1,000	73,000
Religion, Theology	1,994,336	239,360	2,233,696	1,140,385	229,240	1,369,625
Sociology, Statistics	937,809	420,689	1,358,498	144,931	9,677	154,608
Political Science, Political Economy	247,036	229,320	476,356	243,286	228,320	471,606
Law, Public Administration, Welfare, Social Relief, Insurance	88,624	596,828	685,452	8,710,000	595,928	9,305,928
Military Art and Science	-	6,250	6,250	-	6,250	6,250
Education	199,068	185,632	384,700	194,068	161,632	355,700
Trade, Communications, Transport	299,262	38,700	337,962	101,000	28,700	129,700
Ethnography, Manners and Customs, Folklore	43,667	9,000	52,667	34,220	6,000	40,220
Linguistics, Philology	3,922,474	440,160	4,362,634	450,474	130,701	581,175
Mathematics	2,809,871	5,000	2,814,871	47,871	2,000	49,871
Natural Science	47,900	9,700	57,600	44,900	9,700	54,600
Medical Sciences, Public Health	1,259,514	118,885	1,378,399	150,902	105,400	256,302
Technology, Industries, Trades and Crafts	32,296	12,463	44,759	16,296	12,463	28,759
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding						
Hunting and Fishing	20,210	139,712	159,922	17,210	139,712	156,922
Domestic Science	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commerical and Business Management Techniques	23,600	1,000	24,600	23,600	1,000	24,600
Town and Country Planning, Architecture	2,000	-	2,000	1,000	-	1,000
Plastic Arts, Minor Arts, Photography	6,000	1,000	7,000	6,000	1,000	7,000
Music, Film, Cinema, Theatre						
Radio and Television	103,100	17,255	120,355	89,100	17,255	106,355
Games and Sports	15,000	1,100	16,100	15,000	200	15,200
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	482,784	102,735	585,519	145,324	81,232	226,556
Literary Texts	658,238	293,500	951,738	358,850	213,500	572,350
Geography, Travel	33,216	689,050	722,266	33,216	96,050	129,266
History, Biography	1,049,534	307,755	1,357,289	352,327	99,750	452,077
Total	14,680,710	4,088,212	18,768,922	12,648,554	2,385,808	15,034,362

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) School Text-Books	9,308,287	540,005	9,848,292	40,500	-	40,500
(B) Children's Books	14,000	368,267	382,267	9,000	153,000	162,000
(C) Government Publications	11,653,914	664,008	12,317,922	1,165,394	664,008	1,829,402
(D) University Thesis	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source - Department of National Archives

(1) Reprints are not counted in the number of titles, but only in the number of copies.

Table 24.4 - School text books published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles of text-books desinged for education			Total number of copies of text-books desinged for education		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1993						
Generalities	1	-	1	1,000	-	1,000
Philosophy, Psychology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Religion	29	-	29	637,900	-	637,900
Sociology, Statistics	8	-	8	1,465,000	-	1,465,000
Politics, Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trade, Transport, Communication Tourism	2	-	2	75,000	-	75,000
Philology, Language, Linguistics	20	-	20	2,665,000	-	2,665,000
Mathematics	14	-	14	1,620,000	-	1,620,000
Natural Sciences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical Sciences	6	-	6	675,000	-	675,000
Business Management Techniques	2	-	2	28,000	-	28,000
Physical Planning, Architecture	-	-	-	-	-	-
Languages	-	-	-	-	-	-
Literature (A) History and Criticism	1	-	1	240,000	-	240,000
(B) Texts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Geography	-	-	-	-	-	-
History, Biography	10	1	11	1,135,000	100,000	1,235,000
Total	93	1	94	8,541,900	100,000	8,641,900

Table 24.4 (Contd.) - School text books published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles of text-books desinged for education			Total number of copies of text-books desinged for education		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1994						
Generalities	-	-	-	-	-	-
Philosophy, Psychology	1	-	1	7,000	-	7,000
Religion	12	-	12	612,000	-	612,000
Sociology, Statistics	6	-	6	84,000	-	84,000
Politics, Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trade, Transport, Communication Tourism	1	-	1	30,000	-	30,000
Philology, Language, Linguistics	10	2	12	2,015,000	325,000	2,340,000
Mathematics	10	-	10	1,540,000	-	1,540,000
Natural Sciences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical Sciences	10	-	10	790,500	-	790,500
Business Management Techniques	-	-	-	-	-	-
Physical Planning, Architecture	-	-	-	-	-	-
Languages	-	-	-	-	-	-
Literature (A) History and Criticism	6	-	6	840,000	-	840,000
(B) Texts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Geography	-	3	3	-	46,000	945,000
History, Biography	13	-	13	1,020,500	-	1,020,500
Total	69	5	74	7,695,000	127	8,965,000

Table 24.4 (Contd.) - School text books published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles of text-books desinged for education			Total number of copies of text-books desinged for education		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1995						
Generalities	-	-	-	-	-	-
Philosophy, Psychology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Religion	19	2	21	1,187,000	50,000	1,237,000
Sociology, Statistics	3	1	4	695,000	100,000	795,000
Politics, Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	7	-	7	17,500	-	17,500
Trade, Transport, Communication Tourism	3	-	3	140,000	-	140,000
Philology, Language, Linguistics	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mathematics	8	-	8	956,000	-	956,000
Natural Sciences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical Sciences	12	-	12	1,470,400	-	1,470,400
Business Management Techniques	-	-	-	-	-	-
Physical Planning, Architecture	-	-	-	-	-	-
Languages	14	2	16	2,823,800	400,000	3,223,800
Literature (A) History and Criticism	1	-	1	250,000	-	250,000
(B) Texts	1	-	1	4,000	-	4,000
Geography	-	4	4	-	395,000	395,000
History, Biography	10	-	10	857,500	-	857,500
Total	78	9	87	8,401,200	945,000	9,346,200

Table 24.4 (Contd.) - School text books published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles of text-books desinged for education			Total number of copies of text-books desinged for education		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1996						
Generalities	-	-	-	-	-	-
Philosophy, Psychology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Religion	26	-	26	566,500	-	566,500
Sociology, Statistics	5	-	5	800,000	-	800,000
Politics, Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	1	-	1	5,000	-	5,000
Trade, Transport, Communication Tourism	4	-	4	240,000	-	240,000
Philology, Language, Linguistics	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mathematics	13	-	13	1,665,000	-	1,665,000
Natural Sciences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical Sciences	7	-	7	865,000	-	865,000
Business Management Techniques	1	-	1	25,000	-	25,000
Physical Planning, Architecture	-	-	-	-	-	-
Languages	23	-	23	3,204,500	-	3,204,500
Literature (A) History and Criticism	4	-	4	550,000	-	550,000
(B) Texts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Geography	1	-	1	25,000	-	25,000
History, Biography	8	-	8	995,000	-	995,000
Total	93	-	93	8,941,000	-	8,941,000

Table 24.4 (Contd.) - School text books published by subject, 1993 - 1997

Subject groups	Total number of titles of text-books designed for education			Total number of copies of text-books designed for education		
	Books	Pamphlets	Total	Books	Pamphlets	Total
1997						
Generalities	-	-	-	-	-	-
Philosophy, Psychology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Religion	10	-	10	627,000	-	627,000
Sociology, Statistics	9	2	11	840,000	340,000	1,180,000
Politics, Economics	1	-	1	20,000	-	20,000
Education	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trade, Transport, Communication Tourism	5	-	5	158,000	-	158,000
Philology, Language, Linguistics	23	-	23	3,410,000	-	3,410,000
Mathematics	17	-	17	2,183,000	-	2,183,000
Natural Sciences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical Sciences	9	-	9	870,987	-	870,987
Business Management Techniques	1	-	1	10,000	-	10,000
Physical Planning, Architecture	-	-	-	-	-	-
Languages	-	-	-	-	-	-
Music, Film, Cinema, Theatre,						
Radio and Television	1	-	1	7,500	-	7,500
Literature (A) History and Criticism	2	-	2	250,000	-	250,000
(B) Texts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Geography	-	-	-	-	-	-
History, Biography	10	2	12	931,800	200,005	1,131,805
Total	88	4	92	9,308,287	540,005	9,848,292

Source - Department of National Archives

Table 24.5 - Number of news papers in circulation, 1993 - 1998

Item	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Sinhala	67	49	78	88	109	119
Tamil	14	13	23	26	33	35
English	12	9	17	19	23	23
Bilingual	2	2	4	4	4	4
Total	95	73	122	137	169	181

Source - Department of National Archives

Table 24.6 - Number of periodicals published by subject, 1994 - 1997

Subject groups	1994		1995	
	books	copies	books	copies
Generalities	145	47,670,992	113	28,571,076
Philosophy, Psychology	8	955,950	4	1,842,075
Religion, Theology	146	2,116,453	72	491,718
Sociology, Statistics	11	118,495	4	296,000
Political Science, Political Economy	54	903,905	41	271,185
Law, Public Administration, Welfare			17	452,785
Social Relief, Insurance	25	353,625	1	56,950
Military Art and Science	6	106,750		
Education	45	33,929,416	24	8,947,035
Trade, Communication, Transport	41	575,347	26	497,480
Ethnography, Cultural, Anthropology (Customs, Folklore, Moras, Tradition)	-	-	3	17,000
Linguistics Philology	-	-	-	-
Mathematics	2	616,435	-	-
Natural Science	32	186,750	12	110,250
Medical Sciences, Public Health	25	5,182,952	31	5,039,619
Technology Industry, Trade and Crafts	23	238,150	19	131,025
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding			11	-
Hunting and Fishing	23	92,235		
Domestic Science	-	-	-	-
Management, Administration and Organization	13	3,800	1	6,175
Physical Planning, Town and Country Planning	2	1,250	1	1,000
Plastic and Graphic Arts, Photography, Music, Performing Arts, Theatre Film, Cinema, radio and Television	14	1,826,108	5	506,125
Games and Sports	4	140,000	3	26,000
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	53	996,555	-	-
Literary Texts	-	-	-	-
Geography, Travels	4	14,650	1	1,000
History, Biography	-	-	1	500
Total	676	96,029,818	390	47,264,998

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) Children's and Adolescents Magazines	38	45,397,716	70	4,251,220
(B) School Magazines	2	5,000	2	1,500
(C) Christian Magazines	-	-	14	88,150
(D) Trade Magazines	20	205,110	20	109,275
(E) Comic and Humour Magazines	2	119,300	-	-
(f) Parish Magazines	34	647,673	-	-

Table 24.6 (Contd) - Number of periodicals published by subject ,1994 - 1997

Subject groups	1996		1997	
	books	copies	books	copies
Generalities	100	6,219,772	122	36,735,053
Philosophy, Psychology	32	637,800	214	4,803,362
Religion, Theology	98	125,550	202	517,189
Sociology, Statistics	6	2,932	51	353,200
Political Science, Political Economy	9	18,500	70	162,475
Law, Public Administration, Welfare	12	2,425	34	50,150
Social Relief, Insurance, Military Art and Science	6	35,296	6	34,980
Education	57	1,637,320	461	7,855,827
Trade, Communication, Transport	10	141,385	105	501,400
Ethnography, Cultural, Anthropology (Customs, Folklore, Mores, Tradition)	-	-	-	-
Linguistics Philology	-	-	-	-
Mathematics	-	-	-	-
Natural Science	-	-	-	-
Medical Sciences, Public Health	88	1,367,879	148	5,277,495
Technology Industry, Trade, and Crafts	6	27,575	44	1,088,775
Agriculture, Forestry, Stockbreeding	7	4,350	10	11,150
Hunting and Fishing	-	-	-	-
Domestic Science	-	-	-	-
Management, Administration and Organization	-	-	5	27,000
Physical Planning, Town and Country Planning	-	-	7	80,500
Plastic and Graphic Arts, Photography, Music,	-	-	10	18,130
Performing Arts, Theatre Film, Cinema, radio and Television	32	38,425	39	214,725
Games and Sports	-	-	181	427,500
History of Literature and Literary Criticism	8	7,350	30	26,350
Literary Texts	-	-	-	-
Geography, Travels	-	-	2	15,000
History, Biography	1	1,000	3	2,000
Total	472	10,267,559	2,844	58,202,261

School text-books, children's books, Government Publications and University Thesis already identified in the above mentioned subject groups are shown separately in the four following groups:-

(A) Children's and Adolescents Magazines	40	3,824,120	10	38,300
(B) School Magazines	4	1,200	5	20,075
(C) Christian Magazines	15	26,130	18	70,526
(D) Trade Magazines	30	130,100	44	131,150
(E) Comic and Humour Magazines	-	-	-	-
(f) Parish Magazines	-	-	-	-

Source - Department of National Archives

Table 24.7 - Number of libraries in Sri Lanka, 1997 - 1998

District	Departmental libraries		University libraries		School libraries		Public libraries		Private libraries		Teacher's training college/College of education libraries		Technical college libraries		Special libraries		Total	
	1997	1998	1997	1998	1997	1998	1997	1998	1997	1998	1997	1998	1997	1998	1997	1998	1997	1998
Sri Lanka	18	18	12	12	1,406	2,974	534	534	365	365	19	20	20	33	65	65	2,439	4,021
Western Province																		
Colombo	18	18	4	4	141	305	39	39	26	26	-	-	5	5	47	47	280	444
Gampaha	-	-	2	2	240	273	40	40	34	34	4	4	1	1	-	-	321	354
Kalutara	-	-	-	-	101	138	22	22	21	21	2	2	1	1	5	5	152	189
Central Province																		
Kandy	-	-	1	1	99	233	40	40	42	42	4	4	1	3	11	11	198	334
Matale	-	-	-	-	95	95	24	24	8	8	-	-	1	1	-	-	128	128
Nuwara Eliya	-	-	-	-	43	98	19	19	3	3	1	1	1	1	-	-	67	122
Southern Province																		
Galle	-	-	1	1	104	167	38	38	36	36	1	1	2	2	1	1	183	246
Matara	-	-	1	1	66	122	20	20	19	19	2	2	1	2	-	-	109	166
Hambantota	-	-	-	-	40	104	16	16	11	11	-	-	-	1	-	-	67	132
Northern Province																		
Jaffna	-	-	1	1	-	46	21	21	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	24	70
Mannar	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	20
Vavuniya	-	-	-	-	-	21	15	15	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	37
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	7	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	11
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19
Eastern Province																		
Ampara	-	-	-	-	-	94	25	25	3	3	1	1	2	2	-	-	29	125
Trincomealee	-	-	-	-	-	51	15	15	3	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	18	70
Battocoola	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	52
North-Western Province																		
Kurunegala	-	-	-	-	150	344	46	46	58	58	1	1	2	3	-	-	257	452
Puttalam	-	-	-	-	25	117	20	20	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	147
North Central Province																		
Anuradhapura	-	-	1	1	32	118	26	26	12	12	1	1	1	1	-	-	73	159
Polonnaruwa	-	-	-	-	43	77	11	11	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	95
Uva Province																		
Badulla	-	-	-	-	59	144	17	17	20	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	99	184
Moneragala	-	-	-	-	13	56	12	12	8	8	-	-	2	2	-	-	33	78
Sabaragamuwa Province																		
Rainapara	-	-	1	1	21	135	29	29	22	22	-	-	1	1	-	-	73	188
Kegalle	-	-	-	-	134	150	25	25	22	22	-	-	2	2	-	-	183	199

Source - Research and Development Division
Sri Lanka National Library Services Board

CHAPTER XXV - TOURISM

1. DEFINITION OF TERMS

(a) Visitor/Tourist Excursionist:

In March 1993, the U.N.O. Statistical Commission adopted a set of recommendations for tourism statistics prepared by the World Tourism Organisation (W.T.O.) as a follow-up to the Ottawa International Conference for Travel and Tourism Statistics, held in June 1991. These recommendations have been followed in this report for defining "International Visitor", "International Tourist" and "International Excursionist". The definitions are:

- i. The term 'International Visitor' refers to any person who travels to a country other than that in which she/he has his/her usual residence but outside his/her usual environment for a period not exceeding 12 months and whose main purpose of visit is other than the exercise of an activity remunerated from within the country visited.
- ii. The term 'International Tourist' (overnight visitor) is an International visitor who stays at least one night in a collective or private accommodation in the country visited, and
- iii. The term 'International Excursionist' (same day visitor) refers to an International visitor who does not spend the night in a collective or private accommodation in the country visited.

To clarify further the following are excluded from the definition of 'International Visitor':

1. All persons arriving with a specific purpose of engaging themselves in gainful occupation or to establish residence in Sri Lanka irrespective of their length of stay.
2. Diplomatic personnel.
3. Crews of ship and aircraft even if they stay for one night or more.
4. Dependents of temporary immigrants and children below 3 years.

In this report the term "Visitor", "Tourist" and "Excursionist" are used for "International Visitor", "International Tourist" and "International Excursionist" respectively. In Sri Lanka's tourism statistics, excursionists consist almost exclusively of passengers on sea cruises who come on shore for purposes of sight-seeing, shopping, etc. while the ship is in harbour.

(a) Tourist Arrivals:

Every single visit (or entry) of a tourist to the country either in the course of the same trip or in the course of different trips is counted as an arrival, provided the visit (or entry) lasts at least one night in the country (N.B. those who do not cross the frontiers are not regarded as visitors).

(b) Tourist Night:

A night spent in Sri Lanka by a tourist in any type of immobile accommodation.

(c) Guest Night:

A night spent in a Tourist Hotel, Resthouse or Guesthouse approved by the Tourist Board, as being suitable for occupation by foreign visitors.

(d) Graded Accommodation:

All Tourist Hotels which are reckoned to be upto international standards of operation.

(e) Supplementary Accommodation:

All Guest Houses, Resthouses, Inns, Youth Hotels etc. which are approved by the Tourist Board as being suitable for occupation by foreign visitors.

(f) Official Receipts

Official Receipts constitute the foreign exchange purchase and acceptance by authorised dealers and Commercial Banks from foreign visitors either directly or indirectly.

Table 25.1 - Tourist arrivals by country of nationality, 1993 - 1998

Country of Nationality	Number					
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
North America	13,743	15,822	14,580	12,486	16,530	18,450
Canada	4,044	4,950	5,496	4,701	6,771	7,866
U.S.A.	9,699	10,872	9,084	7,785	9,759	10,584
Latin America and The Caribbean	519	540	594	330	489	378
Western Europe	253,659	256,527	251,067	168,324	216,633	240,876
Austria	9,087	8,736	6,927	5,145	5,823	6,708
Belgium	8,835	10,152	7,356	6,150	6,795	4,977
Denmark	3,375	3,126	2,967	1,629	1,848	2,106
Finland	1,917	4,146	3,261	522	570	855
France	34,770	30,510	31,008	21,453	25,404	26,937
Germany	95,541	93,756	79,869	45,123	59,691	73,986
Italy	18,210	18,066	18,378	11,976	14,445	15,891
Netherland	15,387	12,222	14,307	11,004	15,975	23,100
Norway	978	1,254	1,068	882	1,239	2,022
Spain	2,334	2,811	2,952	1,788	2,394	2,538
Sweden	6,426	6,393	7,530	3,282	4,056	2,166
Switzerland	10,194	12,489	8,343	4,353	8,217	9,033
United Kingdom	44,226	50,313	64,491	53,163	67,641	68,514
Others	2,379	2,553	2,610	1,854	2,535	2,043
Eastern Europe	4,224	4,359	4,551	4,536	6,363	7,098
U.S.S.R.	2,640	2,559	2,472	2,946	3,600	3,150
Others	1,584	1,800	2,079	1,590	2,763	3,948
Middle East	2,922	3,912	3,816	3,849	4,341	3,876
Africa	480	597	732	2,352	1,302	750
Asia	105,093	114,417	117,513	101,619	108,345	97,083
Bangladesh	1,128	999	1,248	930	1,287	1,338
China	1,230	1,380	1,440	921	1,521	1,440
Hong Kong	2,775	2,640	6,402	6,246	3,627	2,301
India	32,391	44,100	47,654	42,813	46,188	36,489
Indonesia	1,914	1,290	999	1,563	963	2,766
Japan	20,397	19,506	18,207	11,715	13,353	13,776
Korea (South)	2,475	2,817	2,559	1,683	2,643	1,800
Malaysia	4,785	5,199	4,311	3,474	4,992	3,969
Maldives	8,577	7,191	6,561	5,349	6,426	7,281
Nepal	357	366	450	321	477	666
Pakistan	12,360	10,194	11,343	11,745	11,502	10,869
Philippines	1,065	1,338	1,395	1,095	1,311	1,158
Singapore	5,994	7,383	5,640	4,638	5,109	5,799
Thailand	5,289	6,396	5,082	4,836	4,497	3,438
Taiwan	3,864	3,069	3,225	3,708	3,777	3,372
Others	492	549	997	582	672	621
Australasia	11,610	11,337	10,248	8,769	12,162	12,552
Australia	10,413	9,936	9,069	7,623	10,806	10,902
New Zealand	1,077	1,299	1,104	1,119	1,317	1,464
Others	120	102	75	27	39	186
Total	392,250	407,511	403,101	302,265	366,165	381,063

Source - Ceylon Tourist Board

Table 25.2 - Tourists classified by country of residence and purpose of visit, 1993 - 1998

Country of Residence	1993						1994						Number	
	Total	Pleasure	Private and Official business	Missions and meetings	Visiting as friends & relations	Religious and cultural	Others	Total	Pleasure	Private and Official business	Missions and meetings	Visiting as friends & relations		Religious and cultural	Others
North America	13,635	13,308	273	15	33	-	6	15,612	14,898	654	33	15	-	12
Canada	4,062	3,989	39	3	18	-	3	4,920	4,671	243	-	6	-	6
U.S.A.	9,573	9,309	234	12	15	-	3	10,692	10,227	411	33	9	-	12
Latin America and the Caribbean	519	513	3	-	-	-	-	540	507	30	-	-	-	-
Western Europe	251,934	250,608	1,146	36	93	33	18	253,899	243,289	8,932	378	336	33	931
Austria	9,090	9,063	18	-	9	-	-	8,727	8,445	282	-	-	-	-
Belgium	8,847	8,829	18	-	-	-	-	10,149	9,876	261	-	-	-	12
Denmark	3,387	3,345	42	-	-	-	-	3,105	3,018	69	12	-	-	6
Finland	1,902	1,863	33	6	-	-	-	4,116	3,987	114	6	-	-	9
France	34,779	34,608	159	3	6	3	-	30,522	29,604	828	18	33	3	36
Germany	95,430	95,235	138	3	30	21	3	93,528	91,073	1,636	72	69	9	669
Italy	18,267	18,210	48	-	3	6	-	18,069	17,550	501	6	-	-	9
Netherlands	15,387	15,300	69	6	6	3	3	12,219	12,159	36	12	6	3	3
Norway	981	966	15	-	-	-	-	1,257	1,149	93	9	-	-	6
Spain	2,340	2,334	6	-	-	-	-	2,817	2,619	192	9	-	-	6
Sweden	6,414	6,393	21	-	-	-	-	6,405	5,985	417	3	-	-	-
Switzerland	10,200	10,158	42	-	-	-	-	12,474	10,872	1,536	24	-	-	-
United Kingdom	42,474	41,892	519	-	-	-	12	47,766	44,339	2,847	24	12	9	21
Others	2,436	2,412	18	-	-	-	-	2,745	2,613	120	6	6	-	154
Eastern Europe	4,224	4,191	33	-	-	-	-	4,386	4,181	196	9	-	-	-
U.S.S.R.	2,643	2,631	12	-	-	-	-	2,562	2,429	124	9	-	-	-
Others	1,581	1,560	21	-	-	-	-	1,824	1,752	72	9	-	-	-
Middle East	516	495	9	3	9	-	-	744	693	51	-	-	-	-
Africa	2,931	2,889	39	-	3	-	-	3,945	3,734	211	-	-	-	-
Asia	106,668	103,452	2,472	231	246	27	240	116,352	98,637	10,933	612	2,940	1,718	1,512
China (P Rep.)	1,200	1,155	39	-	-	-	-	1,368	1,266	60	36	6	-	-
Hong Kong	4,119	4,020	84	-	6	-	9	4,302	3,870	405	24	3	-	-
India	32,433	31,314	897	66	150	-	6	44,142	35,009	4,174	372	2,820	1,467	300
Indonesia	1,923	1,890	9	-	-	-	24	1,296	1,224	63	3	6	-	-
Japan	20,421	20,166	225	15	12	-	3	19,497	18,462	828	63	21	123	-
Korea (South)	2,490	2,313	135	36	3	3	-	2,835	2,610	192	21	6	6	9
Malaysia	4,809	4,773	33	3	-	-	-	5,232	4,971	216	27	3	6	9
Maldives	8,586	8,328	33	9	39	-	177	7,197	5,310	696	6	-	18	1,167
Pakistan	12,369	12,072	201	81	12	3	-	10,188	8,635	1,425	21	15	92	-
Philippines	1,065	1,041	18	3	-	-	3	1,341	1,278	54	3	6	-	-
Singapore	6,039	5,989	147	3	3	-	-	7,419	6,936	429	18	18	-	18
Thailand	5,295	4,734	519	15	-	18	3	6,381	4,650	1,677	15	24	6	9
Thailand	3,870	3,753	111	-	3	3	-	3,084	2,556	528	3	24	6	9
Others	2,049	2,004	21	-	12	9	9	2,070	1,860	186	3	-	-	-
Australasia	11,823	11,685	114	3	9	3	9	12,033	11,598	333	21	12	18	51
Australia	10,242	10,116	102	3	9	3	9	9,681	9,363	255	9	9	12	33
New Zealand	1,086	1,074	12	-	-	-	-	1,323	1,260	42	12	3	6	-
Others	495	495	-	-	-	-	-	1,029	975	36	-	-	-	18
Total	392,250	387,141	4,089	288	393	66	273	407,511	377,537	21,340	1,053	3,303	1,772	2,506

Table 25.2 (Contd.)- Tourists classified by country of residence and purpose of visit, 1993 - 1998

Country of Residence	1995						1996						Number	
	Total	Pleasure	Private and Official business	Missions and meetings	Visiting friends & relations	Religious and cultural	Others	Total	Pleasure	Private and Official business	Missions and meetings	Visiting friends & relations		Religious and cultural	Others
North America	14,565	14,142	225	180	3	15	-	12,462	12,068	301	3	78	12	-
Canada	5,469	5,397	42	30	-	-	-	4,689	4,493	121	-	66	9	-
U.S.A.	9,096	8,745	183	150	3	15	-	7,773	7,575	180	3	12	3	-
Latin America and the Caribbean	612	603	3	6	-	-	-	336	333	3	-	-	-	-
Western Europe	250,152	244,454	4,446	645	354	69	184	167,343	163,776	2,259	1,050	153	27	78
Austria	6,930	6,849	48	30	3	-	-	5,154	5,133	18	3	-	-	-
Belgium	7,347	7,338	9	-	-	-	-	6,165	6,129	15	21	-	-	-
Denmark	2,982	2,823	24	120	9	-	6	1,626	1,620	3	3	-	-	-
Finland	3,225	3,219	6	-	-	-	-	495	483	6	6	-	-	-
France	30,996	29,856	900	180	24	12	24	21,480	20,793	306	300	21	-	60
Germany	79,698	78,341	1,267	30	60	-	-	45,075	44,364	666	21	15	6	3
Italy	16,378	18,267	42	9	15	45	-	11,988	11,862	93	18	-	12	3
Netherlands	14,274	14,223	48	-	3	-	-	10,995	10,899	69	24	3	-	-
Norway	1,062	1,047	3	-	12	-	-	894	864	21	-	9	-	-
Spain	2,949	2,943	6	-	-	-	-	1,782	1,749	30	-	3	-	-
Sweden	7,563	7,539	18	-	3	3	-	3,282	3,228	45	3	6	-	-
Switzerland	6,334	7,977	315	30	9	3	-	4,347	4,209	120	12	3	3	-
United Kingdom	63,582	61,332	1,640	240	210	6	154	52,095	50,505	655	633	90	3	9
Others	2,832	2,700	120	6	6	-	-	1,965	1,938	12	6	6	-	3
Eastern Europe	4,578	4,537	26	12	3	-	-	4,545	4,356	153	36	-	-	-
U.S.S.R.	2,466	2,431	20	12	3	-	-	2,988	2,805	150	33	-	-	-
Others	2,112	2,106	6	-	-	-	-	1,551	1,551	3	3	-	-	-
Middle East	798	765	-	30	3	-	-	2,376	2,268	60	45	-	-	3
Africa	3,819	3,783	24	9	3	-	-	3,882	3,816	36	15	-	-	15
Asia	118,323	105,149	5,982	2,992	2,880	1,017	303	102,558	91,613	5,954	1,336	2,533	1,059	63
China (P.Rep.)	1,437	1,241	136	60	-	-	-	921	906	6	9	-	-	-
Hong Kong	7,194	6,945	127	116	-	6	-	7,170	7,043	121	6	-	-	-
India	47,448	38,818	3,190	1,420	2,820	900	300	42,822	35,013	4,110	542	2,521	624	12
Indonesia	996	923	13	60	-	-	-	1,563	1,550	-	3	-	0	30
Japan	18,180	17,614	108	410	42	6	-	11,724	11,067	118	269	-	270	-
Korea (South)	2,553	2,415	75	60	-	3	-	1,674	1,461	210	3	-	-	-
Malaysia	4,305	4,007	166	123	-	9	-	3,477	3,351	90	36	-	-	-
Maldives	6,558	6,166	240	131	-	21	-	5,349	5,139	180	27	-	-	3
Pakistan	11,325	10,461	600	240	3	21	-	11,748	10,501	921	320	3	-	3
Philippines	1,389	1,344	36	9	-	-	-	1,101	1,092	6	-	3	-	-
Singapore	5,643	5,442	33	165	3	-	-	4,650	4,535	12	103	-	-	-
Thailand	5,073	4,275	735	21	-	42	-	4,827	4,509	153	12	-	150	3
Taiwan	3,534	3,338	175	9	3	9	-	3,720	3,687	18	-	3	9	3
Others	2,688	2,160	348	168	9	-	3	1,612	1,779	9	6	3	6	9
Australasia	10,254	10,137	66	21	12	18	-	8,763	8,694	15	3	45	-	6
Australia	9,066	8,988	45	12	3	18	-	7,626	7,560	12	3	45	-	6
New Zealand	1,104	1,083	12	3	6	-	-	1,110	1,107	3	-	-	-	-
Others	84	66	9	6	3	-	-	27	27	-	-	-	-	-
Total	403,101	383,570	10,772	3,895	3,258	1,119	487	302,265	286,924	8,781	2,488	2,809	1,098	165

This table is prepared by the Department of Statistics, Government of Tamil Nadu, Chennai.

Table 25.2 (Contd.) - Tourists classified by country of residence and purpose of visit, 1993 - 1998

Country of Residence	1997						1998						Number	
	Total	Pleasure	Private and Official business	Missions and meetings	Visiting friends & relations	Religious and cultural	Others	Total	Pleasure	Private and Official business	Missions and meetings	Visiting friends & relations		Religious and cultural	Others
North America	15,971	15,172		326	63		6	17,529	16,676	250	99	432		72
Canada	6,477	6,164	138	136	36		3	7,542	6,984	90	36	420		12
U.S.A.	9,474	9,008	246	190	27		3	9,987	9,692	160	63	12		60
Latin America and the Caribbean	504	447	12	3			42	408	393	6	9			
Western Europe	212,052	208,564	1,752	926	273	393	144	238,959	227,698	7,744	1,738	1,250	271	258
Austria	5,823	5,781	27	9	6			6,804	6,777	9	12	3		3
Belgium	6,816	6,726	54	27	15		9	4,992	4,944	33	9	3		3
Denmark	1,851	1,785	21	30	15			2,088	2,042	19	3	18		6
Finland	564	540	6	18				867	852	6	3	6		
France	25,392	25,083	174	66	60	3	6	26,874	26,196	360	90	180	27	21
Germany	59,814	58,934	582	256	18	3	15	74,058	70,332	2,721	603	210	90	102
Italy	14,424	13,878	156	24	6	360	9	15,867	15,359	210	160	18	60	60
Netherlands	15,957	15,680	84	148	33		12	22,977	22,476	351	72	36	33	9
Norway	1,242	1,170	9	21	42			2,025	1,899	3	30	90		3
Spain	2,406	2,376	24	6				2,532	2,523	6	3			
Sweden	4,014	3,960	51	3				2,121	2,004	66	27	12		12
Switzerland	8,169	8,032	60	56	18		3	9,048	8,844	123	54	21	6	
United Kingdom	62,997	62,081	474	250	75	21	96	66,432	61,344	3,819	528	650	46	45
Others	2,583	2,538	30	12			3	2,274	2,106	18	144	6		
Eastern Europe	6,429	6,222	126	36	9	6	30	7,239	7,023	165	42			
U.S.S.R.	3,618	3,489	78	27	9	3	12	3,120	2,970	120	24			6
Others	2,811	2,733	48	9		3	18	4,119	4,053	45	18			3
Africa	1,533	1,425	33	12	3	69	60	1,035	966	15	45	9		
Middle East	4,419	4,155	174	18			3	4,032	3,855	114	63			
Asia	113,565	101,251	7,933	1,994	1,566	612	207	99,702	86,122	7,295	1,272	2,439	2,385	189
China (P. Rep.)	1,617	1,560	30	24			3	1,557	1,380	69	60			12
Hong Kong	7,620	7,284	318	9	6		3	3,675	3,376	158	102	6		33
India	47,010	41,162	3,357	910	1,320	183	78	37,356	28,801	4,182	317	2,370	1,590	96
Indonesia	1,023	975	42	6				2,817	2,589	201	24	3		
Japan	13,374	12,489	369	180	3	321	12	13,785	12,258	654	375	9	483	6
Korea (South)	2,706	2,388	51	264			3	1,848	1,713	84	33		18	
Malaysia	5,157	4,908	168	60	3	9	9	4,125	3,957	147	21			
Maldives	6,432	5,923	444	41	21		3	7,242	6,740	390	91	12		9
Pakistan	11,439	9,414	1,521	240	180	30	54	10,782	9,927	789	60	6		
Philippines	1,320	1,269	18	6		18	9	1,218	1,152	9	12		45	
Singapore	5,025	4,715	180	118	9	3	3	5,643	5,343	180	93	15		12
Thailand	4,521	3,900	567	12	3	36	3	3,474	3,291	63	30		90	
Thailand	3,795	3,003	759	15	9	6	3	3,372	3,057	219	33		63	
Others	2,526	2,261	111	109	12	9	24	2,808	2,538	150	27	18	60	21
Australasia	11,712	11,373	126	109	186		18	12,159	12,009	36	27	75	6	6
Australia	10,392	10,077	114	6	180		15	10,329	10,203	36	18	60	6	6
New Zealand	1,293	1,268	12	3	6		3	1,452	1,431		9	12		
Others	27	27						378	375			3		
Total	366,165	348,609	10,542	3,324	2,100	1,080	510	381,063	354,742	15,625	3,295	4,205	2,662	534

Source - Ceylon Tourist Board

Table 25.3 - Tourists arrivals by country of residence 1994 - 1998

Country of Residence	Number				
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
North America	15,612	14,565	12,462	15,951	17,529
Canada	4,920	5,469	4,689	6,477	7,542
U.S.A.	10,692	9,096	7,773	9,474	9,987
Latin America & The Caribbean	540	612	336	504	408
Western Europe	253,899	250,152	167,343	212,052	238,959
Austria	8,727	6,930	5,154	5,823	6,804
Belgium	10,149	7,347	6,165	6,816	4,992
Denmark	3,105	2,982	1,626	1,851	2,088
Finland	4,116	3,225	495	564	867
France	30,522	30,996	21,480	25,392	26,874
West Germany	93,528	79,698	45,075	59,814	74,058
Italy	18,069	18,378	11,988	14,424	15,867
Netherlands	12,219	14,274	10,995	15,957	22,977
Norway	1,257	1,062	894	1,242	2,025
Spain	2,817	2,949	1,782	2,406	2,532
Sweden	6,405	7,563	3,282	4,014	2,121
Switzerland	12,474	8,334	4,347	8,169	9,048
United Kingdom	47,766	63,582	52,095	62,997	66,432
Others	2,745	2,832	1,965	2,583	2,274
Eastern Europe	4,386	4,578	4,545	6,429	7,239
U.S.S.R.	2,562	2,466	2,988	3,618	3,120
Others	1,824	2,112	1,557	2,811	4,119
Middle East	3,945	3,819	3,882	4,419	4,032
Africa	744	798	2,376	1,533	1,035
South Africa	243	279	1,728	786	306
Others	501	519	648	747	729
Asia	116,352	118,323	102,558	113,565	99,702
Bangladesh	999	1,257	924	1,287	1,347
China (P. Rep.)	1,368	1,437	921	1,617	1,557
Hong Kong	4,302	7,194	7,170	7,620	3,675
India	44,142	47,448	42,822	47,010	37,356
Indonesia	1,296	996	1,563	1,023	2,817
Japan	19,497	18,180	11,724	13,374	13,785
Korea (South)	2,835	2,553	1,674	2,706	1,848
Malaysia	5,232	4,305	3,477	5,157	4,125
Maldives	7,197	6,558	5,349	6,432	7,242
Nepal	366	453	321	477	660
Pakistan	10,188	11,325	11,748	11,439	10,782
Philippines	1,341	1,389	1,101	1,320	1,218
Singapore	7,419	5,643	4,650	5,025	5,643
Thailand	6,381	5,073	4,827	4,521	3,474
Taiwan	3,084	3,534	3,720	3,795	3,372
Others	705	978	567	762	801
Australasia	12,033	10,254	8,763	11,712	12,159
Australia	9,681	9,066	7,626	10,392	10,329
New Zealand	1,323	1,104	1,110	1,293	1,452
Others	1,029	84	27	27	378
Total	407,511	403,101	302,265	366,165	381,063

Source - Ceylon Tourist Board

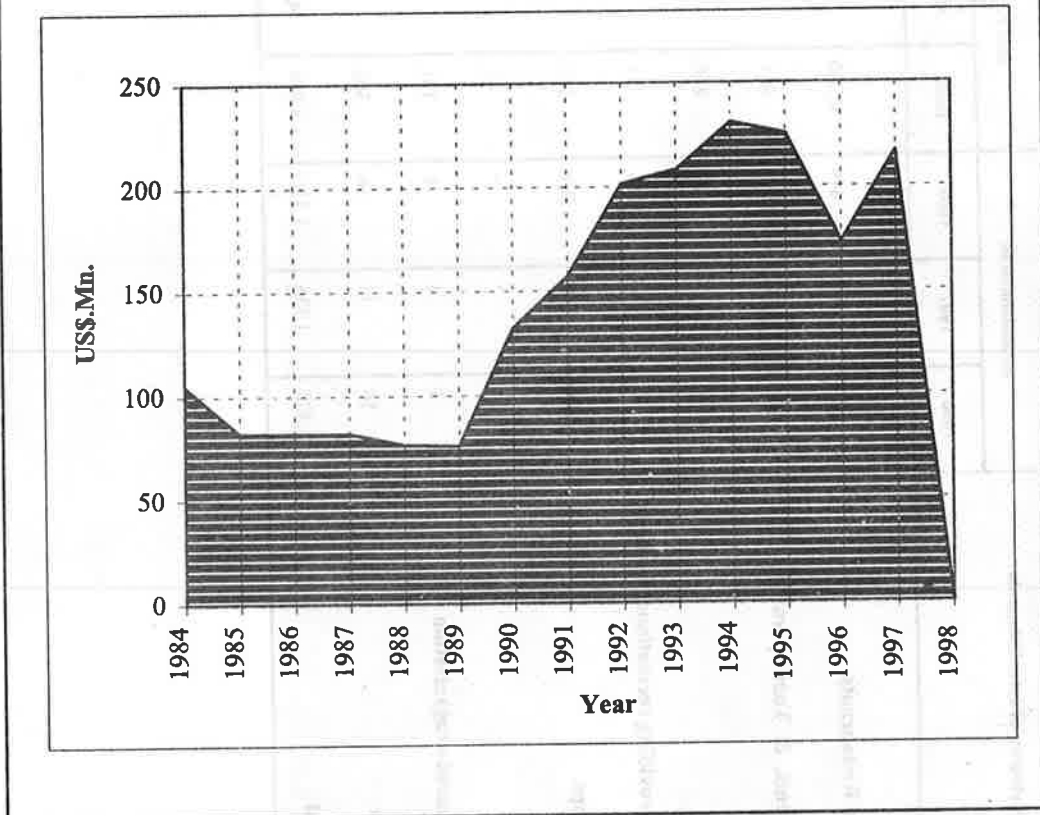
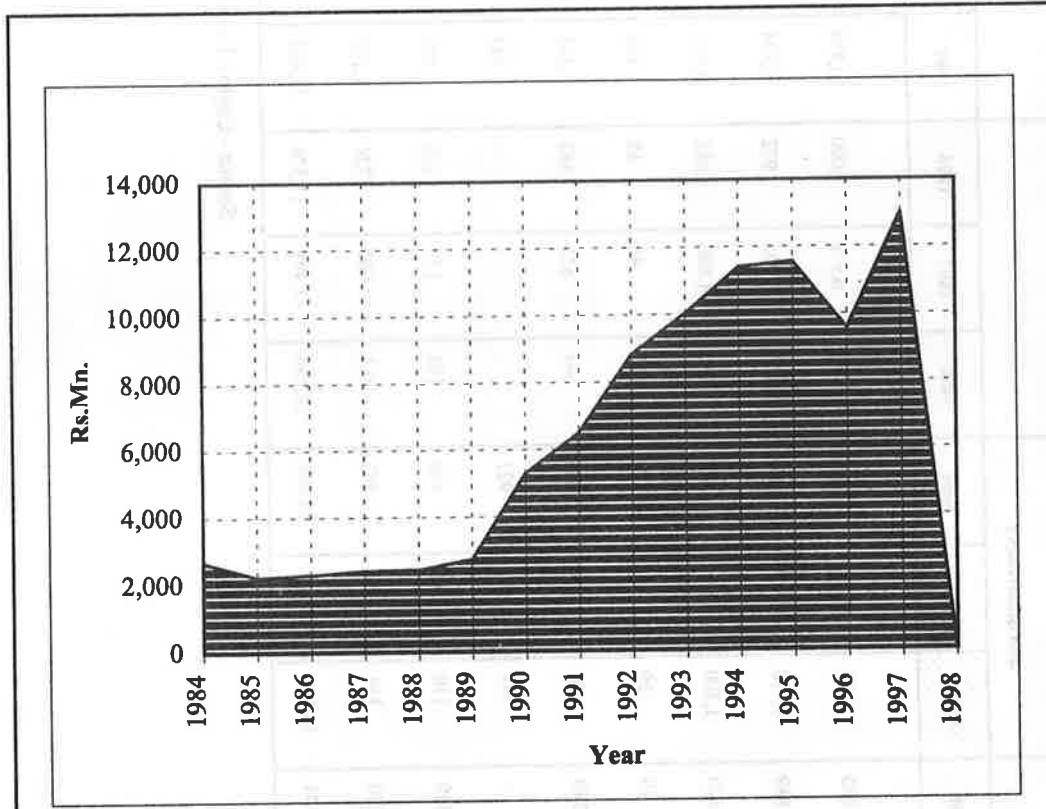
Table 25.4 - Tourist growth trends, 1984 - 1998

Year	Tourist arrivals	Excursionist arrivals	Tourist nights ('000)	Official tourist receipts		Average duration of stay (Nights)	Receipt per tourist per day in US\$	Accommodation capacity (Grated)			Sri Lanka nationals		Employment	
				Rs.Mn.	US\$ Mn.			SDR units Mn.	Rooms	Beds	Annual room occupancy rate (Grated)	Arrivals	Departures	Direct	Indirect (Estimated)
1984	317,734	8,638	2,818	2,669.5	104.9	102.4	37.2	9,627	18,970	35.6	212,365	274,418	24,541	34,357
1985	257,456	9,882	2,365	2,233.3	82.2	80.8	34.8	9,826	19,352	32.7	220,094	239,272	22,723	31,810
1986	230,106	6,266	2,513	2,300.1	82.1	69.9	32.7	9,794	19,301	32.9	220,614	229,386	22,285	31,199
1987	182,620	2,417	2,414	2,415.2	82.0	63.4	34.0	9,921	19,322	31.5	217,127	257,760	20,338	28,473
1988	182,662	6,108	2,305	2,438.3	76.6	57.0	33.3	9,977	19,432	32.1	245,065	298,583	19,960	27,944
1989	184,732	4,064	1,970	2,739.7	76.0	59.3	38.6	9,459	18,464	31.0	259,950	285,510	21,958	30,741
1990	297,888	3,954	3,225	5,303.3	132.4	97.5	41.1	9,556	18,669	47.2	306,367	296,884	24,964	34,950
1991	317,703	2,665	3,633	6,485.8	156.8	114.6	42.8	9,679	18,947	48.4	237,424	310,373	26,878	37,629
1992	393,669	5,651	4,055	8,825.6	201.4	142.9	49.7	10,214	19,907	55.3	339,109	420,749	28,790	40,306
1993	392,250	6,093	4,148	10,036.8	208.0	149.0	50.1	10,365	20,242	57.0	375,740	416,246	30,710	42,994
1994	407,511	8,413	4,251	11,401.6	230.7	161.1	54.2	10,742	20,929	56.6	422,367	448,437	33,956	47,538
1995	403,101	10,556	4,024	11,551.6	225.4	148.6	56.1	11,255	21,680	52.6	459,441	504,420	35,068	49,095
1996	302,265	12,863	2,947	9,559.1	173.0	119.1	57.9	11,600	22,040	40.3	488,055	494,258	31,963	44,748
1997	366,165	18,265	3,680	12,980.3	216.7	160.4	58.6	12,370	22,944	49.1	482,850	530,712	34,006	47,608
1998	381,063	27,629	3,944	14,816.0*	231.5*	170.5*	59.5*	12,772	23,943	52.8	481,793	518,050	34,780	48,692

* Provisional

Source - Ceylon Tourist Board

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Table 25.5 - Direct employment in the tourist industry 1996 - 1998

Category of establishments	Number of establishments			Managerial, Scientific and Professional			Technical, Clerical, allied and Supervisory			Manual and Operative			Total		
	1996	1997	1998	1996	1997	1998	1996	1997	1998	1996	1997	1998	1996	1997	1998
	Hotels and Restaurants	639	641	644	2,290	1,889	1,995	11,521	12,515	12,540	6,563	6,978	7,090	20,374	21,382	21,625
Travel Agents, & Tour operators	317	341	340	951	919	889	1,770	2,420	2,487	1,153	965	972	3,874	4,304	4,348
Airlines	22	22	21	860	870	870	1,300	1,410	1,410	1,793	1,980	1,981	3,953	4,260	4,261
Agencies providing recreational facilities	13	13	15	11	9	10	120	117	108	35	40	58	166	166	176
Tourist shops	300	302	301	328	335	340	676	696	686	541	575	583	1,545	1,606	1,609
Guides	-	-	-	-	-	-	487	487	921	-	-	-	487	487	921
National tourist organisation	1	1	1	121	107	110	110	105	106	188	173	168	419	385	384
State sector	16	16	16	308	325	330	354	394	402	483	697	724	1,145	1,416	1,456
Total	1,308	1,336	1,338	4,869	4,454	4,544	16,338	18,144	18,660	10,756	11,408	11,576	31,963	34,006	34,780

Source - Ceylon Tourist Board

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