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Progress report of area coverage under Kharif crops as on 16.09.2022

Area: In lakh hactare

S. No.	Crop	Normal Area (DES)	Area Sown		Increase(+)/ Decrease(-) over 2022
			2022	2021	
1	<b>Rice</b>	<b>397.06</b>	<b>399.03</b>	<b>417.93</b>	<b>-18.90</b>
2	<b>Pulses</b>	<b>140.18</b>	<b>131.92</b>	<b>137.50</b>	<b>-5.58</b>
a	Arhar	47.17	45.73	47.95	-2.22
b	Urdbean	38.94	37.43	38.94	-1.50
c	Moongbean	35.61	33.26	34.64	-1.38
d	Kulthi	2.00	0.34	0.66	-0.32
e	Other pulses	16.47	15.15	15.31	-0.16
3	<b>Coarse-cum-Nu tri cereals</b>	<b>183.57</b>	<b>181.31</b>	<b>174.05</b>	<b>7.26</b>
a	Jowar	19.52	13.96	14.64	-0.68
b	Bajra	73.43	69.89	63.29	6.60
c	Ragi	10.49	8.56	9.59	-1.03
d	Small millets	5.46	5.91	5.27	0.65
e	Maize	74.68	82.99	81.26	1.73
4	<b>Oilseeds</b>	<b>184.11</b>	<b>190.91</b>	<b>192.23</b>	<b>-1.32</b>
a	Groundnut	44.37	45.49	49.08	-3.59
b	Soybean	115.51	120.70	120.78	-0.08
c	Sunflower	1.30	2.01	1.53	0.48
d	Sesamum	12.60	13.12	13.07	0.05
e	Niger	1.72	0.98	0.86	0.12
f	Castor	8.61	8.49	6.79	1.70
g	Other Oilseeds	0.00	0.12	0.13	-0.01
5	<b>Sugai-cane</b>	<b>47.38</b>	<b>55.65</b>	<b>54.97</b>	<b>0.68</b>
6	<b>Jute &amp; Mesta</b>	<b>7.09</b>	<b>6.95</b>	<b>6.96</b>	<b>-0.01</b>
7	<b>Cotton</b>	<b>125.57</b>	<b>127.15</b>	<b>118.24</b>	<b>8.91</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>1084.97</b>	<b>1092.92</b>	<b>1101.87</b>	<b>-8.95</b>

**Rice:** About **399.03 lakh ha** area coverage under rice has been reported compared to corresponding period of last year (**417.93 lakh ha**). Thus **18.90 lakh ha less** area has been covered compared to last year. **Higher area** is reported from the States of Telangana (4.75 lakh ha), Haryana (0.94 lakh ha), Nagaland (0.79 lakh ha), Gujarat (0.55 lakh ha), Rajasthan (0.37 lakh ha), Tamil Nadu (0.27 lakh ha), Himachal Pradesh (0.14 lakh ha), Arunachal Pradesh (0.08 lakh ha), Kerala (0.05 lakh ha), Jammu & Kashmir (0.04 lakh ha) and Maharashtra (0.03 lakh ha). **Less** area is reported from the States of Jharkhand (9.37 lakh ha), Madhya Pradesh (6.32 lakh ha), West Bengal (3.65 lakh ha), Uttar Pradesh (2.4 lakh ha), Bihar (1.97 lakh ha), Assam (0.94 lakh ha), Chhattisgarh (0.92 lakh ha), Tripura (0.27 lakh ha), Andhra Pradesh (0.26 lakh ha), Meghalaya (0.21 lakh ha), Karnataka (0.14 lakh ha), Uttarakhand (0.14 lakh ha), Odisha (0.13 lakh ha), Punjab (0.12 lakh ha), Goa (0.03 lakh ha), Mizoram (0.03 lakh ha) and Sikkim (0.02 lakh ha).

**Pulses:** About **131.92 lakh ha** area coverage under pulses has been reported compared to corresponding period of last year (137.50 lakh ha). Thus **5.58 lakh ha less** area has been covered compared to last year. **Higher** area is reported from the States of Madhya Pradesh (4.0 lakh ha), Uttar Pradesh (0.23 lakh ha), Tamil Nadu (0.12 lakh ha), Assam (0.12 lakh ha), Chhattisgarh (0.09 lakh ha), J&K (0.06 lakh ha) and Nagaland (0.02 lakh ha). **Less** area is reported from the States of Maharashtra (3.52 lakh ha), Telangana (1.72 lakh ha), Jharkhand (1.31 lakh ha), Gujarat (0.81 lakh ha), Karnataka (0.79 lakh ha), Rajasthan (0.67 lakh ha), Andhra Pradesh (0.40 lakh ha), Haryana (0.38 lakh ha), Bihar (0.25 lakh ha), Odisha (0.17 lakh ha), Uttarakhand (0.17 lakh ha), West Bengal (0.06 lakh ha) and Tripura (0.04 lakh ha).