



**Quarterly Report on
Crop Statistics and Agricultural Labour Wage
(July-September, 2025)**



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Bangladesh is mainly an agricultural country. Abundant crops are produced in this country due to highly fertile land and favorable climate. The agriculture sector contributed about 10.94 (P) percent to the country's gross domestic product in FY 2024-25 and about 44.68 percent people are engaged in agricultural activities among employed population in country (Source: Labour Force Survey 2024 Report). Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) compiles major and minor crop statistics and agricultural Labour wage on a regular basis. The Agriculture Wing of BBS collects and compiles agricultural related data and publishes them through the Agricultural Statistics Yearbook. National Accounting Wing of BBS has taken the initiative of preparing Quarterly GDP. In this context, agricultural statistics on a quarterly basis is required for estimating quarterly GDP. The purpose of regular publication of agricultural statistics on major and minor crops and agricultural Labour wage on a quarterly basis is expected to meet the needs of current users of agricultural statistics.

2. Method of Crop Production Estimation

The Agriculture Wing regularly estimates the area and production of 6 major crops and 140 minor crops. Production and volume survey are conducted at field level after every harvest/uplift. The production survey activities are conducted at the Union level every month following the crop wise calendar and using prescribed questionnaire/schedule. Both subjective (household-based interview) and objective (direct observation) methods are used to obtain crop estimates. The subjective method denotes the estimates based on impression. The objective method denotes the method of sample survey where the main items of information are collected mostly through measurement and observation. The estimates of rice, wheat, potato and jute are made by objective method and for rest of the crops subjective method of estimation is followed.

2.1 The Subjective Estimation Method

Data collected from field level is processed and district wise reports are prepared and published with the approval of appropriate authorities. These crop estimates are prepared by the field staff of the Upazila Statistics Office based on the assessment of the opinion of interviewed farmers on the current year's crop condition compared to the previous year.

2.2 The Objective Estimation Method

Cultivation of Aus, Aman, Boro, Wheat, Potato and Jute is extensive. To conduct crop estimation surveys for six major crops, BBS uses a total of 10,348 clusters covering an average of 5 acres across the country as sampling frame. Clusters are allocated among the districts in proportion to the size of the district with the restriction that the number of clusters in a district should be at least 150. At least one cluster is selected from each union of an upazila. Clusters are formed from cadastral plots listed in the land records. A cluster may consist of many crop and non-crop plots, each with its own identification number referred to as ID number. For each cluster, BBS maintains and updates the list of farmers holding fields within the cluster as well as other relevant agricultural information.

3. Method of Agricultural Labour Wage Estimation

BBS prepares statistics on agricultural wage rates on a monthly basis. To collect the agricultural wage rate, the agricultural Labour rate of the upazila is calculated based on the interview of 10 agricultural day Labourers on a sample basis from each upazila. If agricultural day Labourers are not available, information is taken from farmers who have hired daily Labourers for agricultural work. Male and female workers aged 15 years and above are charged separate rates of wages. After obtaining the wage rates of all the districts, the agricultural wage rates of Bangladesh are calculated based on this.



Crop Production Estimation (July-September, 2025)

Cereals

Name of Crops	2024-25		2025-26	
	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)
1	2	3	4	5
Maize (Summer)	214127	632599	185687	569790
Sorghum/Jowar (summer)	73	39	174	87

Oil Seed

Name of Crops	2024-25		2025-26	
	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)
1	2	3	4	5
Sesame (Summer)	68661	27125	65131	26616

Condiments & Spices

Name of Crops	2024-25		2025-26	
	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)
1	2	3	4	5
Chilies (Summer)	50624	166355	51388	198464

Sugar

Name of Crops	2024-25		2025-26	
	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)
1	2	3	4	5
Date palm (Fruit)	21189	37864	14779	36993
Green palm (Taler shas)	20631	79092	14638	108746
Palm (Ripe Tal)	13301	141549	11250	137028

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Vegetables

Name of Crops	2024-25		2025-26	
	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)
1	2	3	4	5
Arum (Lati)	18748	51105	19082	77662
Ribbed gourd (Jhinga)	26536	80284	26422	94432
Bitter gourd (Karala)	29229	85632	29516	107981
Green Papaya	24361	340449	21328	367366
Snak gourd (Cicinga)	19918	54759	20604	72343
Cucumber	26736	116681	27101	152144
Wax gourd (Chalkumra)	26380	106633	26635	139046
Pointed gourd (Patal)	26051	141200	25533	171351
Malabar Spinach (Puisak)	28728	122362	28703	217120
Brinjal (Summer)	49504	258545	49225	326246
Danta	27772	95091	27670	122732
Spiny gourd (Kakrol)	13932	45208	13939	52222
Lady's finger	31248	105783	31288	134200

Fruits

Name of Crops	2024-25		2025-26	
	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)
1	2	3	4	5
Pine Apple	32046	208274	33770	361625
Mango	344217	1871940	354230	1952729
Black Berry	13262	48050	13184	48629
Water Apple (Jamrul)	3320	12148	3522	12581
Jack fruit	108741	1020821	107956	1112515
Dragon fruit	2093	12522	2773	22458
Guava	44520	266405	42784	278834
Pomelo	12483	74050	13120	76752
Lime & Lemon	21325	111959	20257	118428
Water fruit	467	1960	479	2077

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Other Food

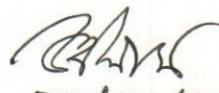
Name of Crops	2024-25		2025-26	
	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)
1	2	3	4	5
Potato	1222928	11573615	-	-

Fodder Group

Name of Crops	2024-25		2025-26	
	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)	Area (In Acre)	Production (M.T)
1	2	3	4	5
Fodder (Summer)	12821	212214	15087	261899
Mulberry	592	20333	574	19940

Agricultural Labour Wage (National)

Name of the Month	(Wage in taka)							
	With Food						Without Food (in TK)	
	One meal		Two meal		Three meal		Male	Female
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female			
July, 2025	577	416	541	407	534	399	621	461
August, 2025	573	413	534	382	522	375	616	460
September, 2025	567	410	525	376	513	374	608	448


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