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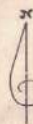
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PREFACE

This Statistical Pocket Book is the first of its kind published by the Central Bureau of Statistics. An attempt has been made to put together all the available statistics on Area, Population, Climate, Agriculture, Livestock, Poultry, Forest, Mining, Power, Industry, Prices, Education, Health, Government Finance, National Income and Foreign Trade etc. It is hoped that this pocket book meets long felt gap in the availability of statistical material in a concise form.

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We shall be happy to receive comments from the users for improvements in the pocket book which is proposed to be issued regularly by this Bureau.

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PREFACE TO THE SECOND EDITION

It is a matter of great satisfaction that this pocket book has been well received in the quarters concerned as a result of which this second edition is being issued so shortly.

In this edition improvements have been made wherever necessary and due thanks are extended to those who have given valuable comments and suggestions to this effect.

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NEPAL AND ITS PEOPLE

Situation, shape, area and natural divisions

1. Nepal is a sovereign independent Kingdom situated on the southern slopes of mid-Himalayas, the formidable range of eternal snows. The nearest sea coast is about 700 miles from its border. It is located between 26.20° North latitude and 30.10° North latitude and 80.15° East longitude. It has an area of 54,362 square miles. The average length from Mechi river in the east to the Mahakali river in the west is 550 miles. The north south width is not uniform. At its widest it is 150 miles while at its least it is 90 miles, a yielding a mean with of 120 miles.

2. Nepal's northern boundary merges with the Tibet region of People's Republic of China. On the east it borders with State of Sikkim and the North Bengal Division of India. On the southern side it touches the Indian States of Uttar Pradesh and Bihar.

3. The major part of the country is of high mountains and rolling hills. It accounts for about 83 percent of the total land area--the remaining 17 per cent is occupied by the flat lands of Tarai. Altitude varies from 500 feet above sea level in Tarai in the south to more than 29,000 feet in north Himalayas. On the basis of altitude alone, the country can be divided into three natural regions.

(a) **Himalayan Region:** This region lies at an altitude of 16,000 to 29,000 feet above the sea level with the snow line running at 16,000 feet. The Himalayan ranges like Kumbhakarna, Juggal,

Mustang, Ganesh, Annapurna and Machhapuchhre fan out from the east to the west. In this region the world's famous peaks of Mount Everest (29,028 feet), Kanchanjungha (28,208 feet), Makalu (27,790 feet), Dhaulagiri (26,810 feet), and Annapurana (26,504 feet) are located.

(b) Mountain Region: This region is formed by the Mahabharat range that soars upto 16,000 feet. It is also known as Mid-Himalayas. To the south of it lies the Churia range whose altitude varies from 2,000 to 5,000 feet. The two ranges enclose between them valleys of various width and altitude from 2,000 to 3,000 feet. They are known as Doons or Inner Tarai. The Mountain region accounts for about 68 per cent of the total land area.

(c) Tarai Region: The Tarai region which has a width of about 16 to 20 miles and as altitude of maximum 1,000 feet occupies about 17 per cent of the total land area of the country. The eastern Tarai is wider and spreads continuously while the western Tarai is narrow and irregular. The forests of Char Koshe Jhadi, famous for big games, lies from east to west. It is named after the belief that its average width is 4 Kosh (8 miles).

Rivers and Lakes

4. Situated on the southern slopes of the Himalayas, Nepal has a large number of rivers, lakes and ponds. In summer the melting snow adds to their volume and ensure perennial flow of the bigger rivers in particular. The river system of the country is made up of three main rivers and their subsidiaries. The greatest and the most out-standing river is the Koshi river. It is actually a confluence of 7 rivers, Koshi, Sunkosi, Arun, Tamor,

Tama Koshi, Indravati and Likhu. It is therefore, known as Sapta Koshi or Seven Koshis. This river drains eastern part of Nepal. The Gandaki river is also composed of 7 rivers. Its subsidiaries are Trisuli, Kali, Seti, Madi and Darodi etc. At the point where all the subsidiaries meet, the river takes its name as Narayani. This river drains central Nepal. The third river is the Karnali which drains western part of Nepal. Among the lakes, the biggest and the best known occur in the Pokhara Valley. They are Phewa, Roopa, Begnasa, Dipang and Medi. Phewa is the biggest lake of the Valley and is quite famous. Rara lake situated at a height of about 11,000 feet, is another beautiful lake of the Kingdom.

Climate

5. The weather conditions vary from region to region. In the Tarai and the Inner Tarai, the temperature in the summer touches 100°F . In winter, the Tarai belt is just cool with temperature around 50°F . Kathmandu Valley which is situated at an altitude of 4,423 feet has a summer temperature not exceeding 85°F , while the winter temperature drops to 45°F . Most of the rainfall in Nepal is during summer season. In the Churia and Mahabharat ranges, the annual rainfall during summer varies from 60 to 100 inches while in the Kathmandu Valley it is about 58 inches. Pokhara Valley gets more than 150 inches of rainfall during the summer season.

Economic Resources

6. The most important economic resources of Nepal are the forests which cover about one third of the total land area. The principle products of forests are timber, rafters, beams and faggots.

Besides, forests supply different varieties of goods for the manufacture of furniture, indigenous paper and match boxes. Some of the minor products of the forests are herbs, drugs, fruits, tanning agents, bamboo, resin and terpentine.

7. Nepal is pre-dominantly an agricultural country. About 93 per cent of the total population derives its livelihood from agriculture and allied activities. The main crops are paddy, maize, millet, barley, wheat, potato, jute, sugarcane and oil seeds. In addition, tobacco is also an important product of cash crop. Tea is limitedly produced in the country and it is one of the most important products of Ilam District. After agriculture, another occupation is the cottage industries. Handloom textiles form major item in this category.

Race and Religion

8. Nepal has a composite population stemming from various racial strands. The inhabitants of the higher altitudes, the Sherpas, Tamangs, Kirantis, Limbus and Bhotiyas are drawn from Mongoloid stock. The mid mountains are populated by Tamangs, Magars, Gurungs, Sunuwars, Newars, Brahmins and Chhetriyas. In the Inner Tarai region, Tharu, Danuwar, Chepang, Magar and Indian immigrants hold a dominant position. In recent times the development of means of transportation have, however, enabled the people to move from the hills to Tarai and now one finds a mixture of different races in various parts of the country. The people mainly follow the Hindu and Buddhist religions.

Administrative Division

9 Administratively the country is divided into the following 14 Zones and 75 Districts.

(1) **MECHI ZONE:-** This lies on the extreme east of Nepal. It is bounded by India and Sikkim on the east, Koshi Zone on the west, the Tibet region of the People's Republic of China on the north and India on the south. It is spread over an area of 2,799 sq. miles, having 4 districts namely Taplejung, Panchthar, Ilam and Jhapa. The Zonal headquarter is at Ilam.

(2) **SKOHL ZONE:-** It is sandwiched between Mechi Zone on the east and Sagarmatha Zone on the west. It is bounded on the north by the Tibet region of People's Republic of China and by India on the south. It has an area of 3,176 sq. miles. It is made of five districts namely, Sankhuwasabha, Tehrathum, Dhan-kuta, Sunsari and Morang. The Zonal headquarter at present is at Biratnagar.

(3) **SAGARMATHA ZONE:-** It is the second largest Zone having an area of 4,873, sq. miles. Its boundaries are the Tibet region of the People's Republic of China on the north, India on the South, Koshi Zone on the east and Janakpur Zone on the West. It has seven districts. They are Solukhumbu, Okhaladhunga, Khotang, Bhojpur, Udayapur, Siraha and Saptari. The Zonal headquarter at present is at Rajbiraj.

(4) **JANAKPUR ZONE:-** It also spreads out to the Tibet Region of the People's Republic of China on the north and India on the South. It has an area of 3,770 sq. miles. Its eastern boundary is co-terminous with the Sagarmatha Zone, while it is set off on the west by the Bagmati and Narayani Zones. Dolakha, Ramechhap, Sindhuli, Mahottari, Sarlahi and Dhanusa are its six districts. Its headquarter at present is at Jaleswar.

(5) **BAGMATI ZONE:-** It is the most developed and significant zone from any standpoint. Its area is 3,693 sq. miles. Its boundaries are demarcated by Tibet region of the People's Republic of China on the north, Narayani and Janakpur Zones on the south, Janakpur on the east and Gandaki Zone on the west. The eight districts included in it are Rasuwa, Dhading, Nuakot, Sindhupalchok, Kavrepalanchok, Kathmandu, Lalitpur and Bhaktapur. Its headquarter is in Kathmandu which is also the capital of the kingdom.

(6) **NARAYANI ZONE:-** It lies south of the Bagmati and Gandaki Zones. It is bounded on the east and west by Janakpur and Lumbini Zones respectively and by India on the south. It has an area of 3,264 sq. miles. Chitwan, Makwanpur, Bara, Parsa and Routahat are its five districts. Its headquarter at present is at Birganj.

(7) **GANDAKI ZONE:-** It is situated in the middle of Nepal. Its boundaries are the Tibet region of the People's Republic of China on the north, Lumbini and Narayani Zones on the south, Bagmati Zone on the east and Dhawalagiri Zone on the west. It has seven districts. They are Manang, Lamjung, Parbat, Kaski, Gorkha, Syanja and Tanahun. It has an area of 4,688 sq. miles. Its headquarter is at Pokhara.

(8) **LUMBINI ZONE:-** This Zone is bounded by Gandaki and Dhawalagiri Zones on the north, India on the south, Narayani Zone on the east and Rapti Zone on the west. Its six districts are Gulmi, Arghakhanchi, Palpa, Kapilbastu, Rupandehi and Nawalaparasi. It has an area of 3,650 sq. miles. Presently Butwal is the headquarter of this zone.

- (9) **DHAWALAGIRI ZONE:-** It has four districts Dolpa, Mustang, Myagdi and Baglung forming a total area of 4,612 sq. miles. Tibet region of the People's Republic of China constitutes its northern boundary while it is marked off on the south, east and west by Lumbini and Rapti Zone Gandaki Zone, and Karnali Zone respectively. It comprises of the hilly region only. Its headquarter is at Baglung.
- (10) **RAPTI ZONE:-** This Zone has an area of 3,913 sq. miles. It has five districts. They are Rukum, Rolpa, Salyan, Pyuthan and Dang Deukhuri. Its headquarter is at Tulasipur. It is bounded on the north, by the Karnali and Dhawalagiri Zones, India on the south, Dhawalagari and Lumbini Zones on the east and Bheri Zone on the west.
- (11) **KARNALI ZONE:-** It is the largest of all Zones with an area of 5,005 sq. miles. It is bounded on the north by Tibet region of the People's Republic of China, B heri and Rapti Zones on the south. Dhawalagiri Zone on the east and Seti Zone on the west. It comprises of four districts mamely Humla, Tibrikot, Jumla and Mugu. The Zonal headquarter is at Jumla.
- (12) **BHERI ZONE:-** The Bheri Zone has an area of 3,606 sq. miles. Its frontiers are the Karnali Zone on the north, India on the south, Rapti Zone on the east and Seti Zone on the west. Dailekh, Jajarkort, Surkhet, Bardiya and Banke are its five districts. The Zonal headquarter is at Nepalganj.
- (13) **SETI ZONE:-** This Zone spreading from north to south has an area of 4,861 sq. miles. It is bounded on north by Tibet region of the People's Republic of China and the Karnali Zone,

India on the south, Bheri and Karnali Zones on the east and the Mahakali Zone on the west. It consists of the five districts namely Bajhang, Bajura, Doti, Achham and Kailali. Its headquarter at present is at Dhangarhi.

(14) MAHAKALI ZONE:- Spread from the Tarai to the Himalayas, it is the most westerly Zone and the smallest of all having an area of 2,753 sq. miles. Its boundaries are the Tibet region of the People's Republic of China on the north, India on the South, the Seti Zone on the east and India on the west. It is composed of four districts, namely, Darchula, Baitadi, Dadeldhura and Kanchapur. Its headquarter at present is at Mahendra Nagar.

Development Regions

10. For appropriate balanced economic growth and proper attention to regional planning the country is divided into four development regions. The eastern region Dhankuta comprises three Zones namely Mechi, Koshi and Sagarmatha. The Central region Kathmandu is composed of Janakpur, Narayani and Bagmati Zones. Western region Pokhara has also three Zones namely Gandaki, Lumbini and Dhawalagiri. The fourth and far western region of which headquarter is at Surkhet has the remaining five Zones namely Rapti, Karnali, Bheri, Seti and Mahakali. These regions are responsible for the development work of their Zones, and are guided by National Planning Commission.

I. AREA AND POPULATION

1. AREA POPULATION AND DENSITY BY DEVELOPMENT REGIONS AND ZONES

Development Regions and zones	Area (sq. miles)	Population (000)	Density (Per sq. mile)
Eastern Dev. Region	10,848	2,797	257
Mechi	2,799	618	221
Koshi	3,176	866	273
Sagarmatha	4,873	1,313	269
Central Dev. Region	10,727	3,866	360
Janakpur	3,770	1,266	336
Narayani	3,264	1,103	338
Bagmati	3,693	1,497	405
Western Dev. Region	12,950	2,466	190
Lumbini	3,650	1,166	319
Gandaki	4,688	1,023	218
Dhawalagiri	4,612	277	60
Far western Dev. Region	20,138	2,427	121
Rapti	3,913	706	180
Bheri	3,606	575	159
Karnali	5,005	188	38
Seti	4,861	597	123
Mahakali	2,753	361	131
Nepal	54,362	11,556	213

Source:- Area: A Brief geography of Nepal Issued by Department of publicity, H. M. G.
Population: Central Bureau of Statistics.

1. AREA AND POPULATION

2. POPULATION OF ZONES AND DISTRICTS BY SEX, 1971

Zones and Districts	Total	Male	Female
1. Mechi	617,760	317,873	299,887
Taplejung	84,715	42,227	42,488
Panchther	145,809	72,331	73,478
Illam	139,538	70,429	69,109
Jhapa	247,698	132,886	114,812
2. Koshi	866,260	441,372	424,888
Sankhuwa Sabha	114,313	56,134	58,179
Terhathum	119,307	59,033	60,274
Dhankuta	107,649	53,105	54,544
Morang	301,557	157,992	143,565
Sunsari	223,434	115,108	108,326
3. Sagarmatha	1,313,480	655,218	658,262
Solukhumbu	105,324	52,580	52,744
Bhojpur	194,506	95,060	99,446
Khotang	163,297	79,715	83,582
Okhaldhunga	122,862	59,485	63,377
Udaypur	112,622	55,942	56,680
Saptari	312,565	159,140	153,425
Siraha	302,304	153,296	149,008
4. Janakpur	1,265,755	635,478	630,277
Dolakha	130,022	63,180	66,842
Ramechhap	157,349	75,727	81,622
Sindhuli	147,409	73,601	73,808
Dhanusha	330,601	168,671	161,930
Mahotari	324,831	165,022	159,809
Sarlahi	175,543	89,277	86,266

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1. AREA AND POPULATION

2. POPULATION OF ZONES AND DISTRICTS BY SEX, 1971

Zones and Districts	Total	Male	Female
<i>Contd.</i>			
5. Bagmati	1,496,971	762,324	734,647
Sindhu Palchok	206,384	105,102	101,282
Rasuwa	17,517	8,863	8,654
Nuwakot	172,718	87,645	85,073
Dhading	236,276	119,545	116,731
Kavre Palanchok	245,165	122,077	123,088
Lalitpur	154,998	78,629	76,369
Kathmandu	353,756	183,913	169,843
Bhaktapur	110,157	56,550	53,607
6. Narayani	1,103,027	566,824	536,203
Makwanpur	163,766	83,095	80,671
Chitwan	183,644	94,404	89,240
Rautahat	320,093	164,369	155,724
Bara	233,401	120,141	113,260
Parsa	202,123	104,815	97,308
7. Gandaki	1,023,110	498,118	524,992
Gorkha	178,265	88,706	89,559
Manang	7,436	3,904	3,532
Lamjung	140,226	68,555	71,671
Kaski	151,749	73,590	78,159
Parbat	118,689	56,930	61,759
Tanahun	158,139	76,819	81,320
Syanga	268,606	129,614	138,992
8. Lumbini	1,165,701	586,134	579,567
Nawalparasi	146,548	75,319	71,229
Palpa	212,633	104,909	107,724

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2. POPULATION OF ZONES AND DISTRICTS BY SEX, 1971

Zones and Districts	Total	Male	Female
Lumbini Contd.			
Gulmi	227,746	110,296	117,450
Arghakhanchi	130,212	63,864	66,348
Rupendehi	243,346	126,157	117,189
Kapilbastu	205,216	105,589	99,627
9. Dhaulagiri	276,729	135,631	141,098
Mustang	26,944	13,510	13,434
Dolpa	19,110	9,515	9,595
Myagdi	57,946	28,352	29,594
Baglung	172,729	84,254	88,475
10. Rapti	705,813	347,353	358,460
Rukum	96,243	47,540	48,703
Rolpa	162,955	79,759	83,196
Salyan	141,457	68,926	72,531
Pyuthan	137,338	66,617	70,721
Dang Deukhuri	167,820	84,511	83,309
11. Karnali	188,012	96,361	91,651
Humla	29,524	15,376	14,148
Mugu	25,718	13,248	12,470
Tibrikot	10,017	5,107	4,910
Jumla	122,753	62,630	60,123
12. Bheri	575,071	293,680	281,391
Jajarkot	86,564	44,122	42,442
Dailekh	156,072	77,702	78,370
Surkhet	104,933	52,321	52,612
Banke	125,709	66,586	59,123
Bardiya	101,793	52,949	48,844

Contd.

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2. POPULATION OF ZONES AND DISTRICTS BY SEX, 1971

Zones and Districts	Total	Male	Female
<i>Contd.</i>			
13. Seti	597,124	297,702	299,422
Bajura	61,342	30,290	31,052
Bajhang	108,623	54,781	53,842
Achham	132,212	63,623	68,589
Doti	166,070	81,628	84,442
Kailali	128,877	67,380	61,497
14. Mahakali	361,170	183,135	178,035
Darchula	68,868	35,092	33,776
Baitadi	128,696	65,328	63,368
Dandeldhura	94,743	46,080	48,663
Kanchanpur	68,863	36,635	32,228
<u>Nepal</u>	<u>11,555,983</u>	<u>5,817,203</u>	<u>5,738,780</u>

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

Year	Total	Male	Female
1961	8,413	4,636	4,777
1966	10,276	5,077	5,199
1971	13,268	5,573	7,695
1976	18,595	8,152	10,443
1981	23,778	11,850	11,928

Source:- "Population Projections for Nepal 1961-81"
Central Bureau of Statistics, June 1965.

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3. POPULATION OF TOWN PANCHAYATS BY SEX, 1971

Town Panchayat	Total	Male	Female
Ilam	7,299	3,753	3,546
Bhadrapur	7,499	4,429	3,070
Biratnagar	45,100	26,025	19,075
Dharan	20,503	10,995	9,508
Rajbiraj	7,832	4,502	3,330
Janakpur	14,294	7,814	6,480
Bhaktapur	40,112	20,834	19,278
Kathmandu	150,402	81,484	68,918
Lalitpur	59,049	30,375	28,674
Hetaunda	16,194	8,546	7,648
Birgunj	12,999	7,442	5,557
Pokhara	20,611	9,993	10,618
Tansen	6,434	3,393	3,041
Bhairhawa	17,272	9,299	7,973
Butawal	12,815	6,915	5,900
Nepalgunj	23,523	12,852	10,671

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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4. DECENNIAL GROWTH OF POPULATION

(In Thousand)		(In Thousand)	
Year	Population	Percentage variation over the previous period	
1911	5,639	-	
1921	5,574	(-)1.2	
1931	5,533	(-)0.7	
1941	6,284	13.6	
1952/54	8,473	34.8	
1961	9,413	11.1	
1971	11,556	22.8	

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

5. PROJECTED POPULATION OF NEPAL 1961-1981

(In Thousand)			
Year	Total	Male	Female
1961	9,413	4,636	4,777
1966	10,276	5,077	5,199
1971	11,248	5,571	5,677
1976	12,393	6,152	6,241
1981	13,778	6,850	6,928

Source:- "Population Projections for Nepal 1961-81"
Central Bureau of Statistics, June 1968.

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6. DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION BY IMPORTANT RELIGIONS

(In Thousand)		(In Thousand)		
Religion	1952/54	1961	1971	
Hinduism	7,530	8,254	10,330	
Budhism	727	871	867	
Islam	215	281	351	
Other religions and religion unstated	1	7	8	
Total	8,473	9,413	11,556	

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

(In Thousand)		Year	
Male	Female	Total	
4,656	4,777	9,433	1961
5,077	5,199	10,276	1966
5,277	5,277	10,554	1971
6,155	6,247	12,402	1976
6,850	6,929	13,779	1981

Source:- Population Projections for Nepal 1961-81
Central Bureau of Statistics, Kathmandu

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7. LITERATE AND ILLITERATE POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, 1971

		(In Thousand)			
Age Group (years)	Total	Total	Literate		Illiterate Both Sexes
			Male	Female	
6 - 9	1,275.2	141.4	106.7	34.7	1,133.8
10-14	1,297.2	309.0	251.7	57.3	988.2
15-19	1,047.5	229.3	193.8	35.5	818.2
20-24	969.7	164.7	144.2	20.5	805.0
25-29	930.3	123.3	111.2	12.1	807.0
30-34	811.4	85.3	78.3	7.0	726.1
35-39	744.8	72.8	67.9	4.9	672.0
40-44	609.5	53.2	49.7	3.5	556.3
45-54	861.9	74.6	70.6	4.0	787.3
55-64	551.9	37.8	35.8	2.0	514.1
65 and above	354.5	21.4	20.3	1.1	333.1
Total (Age 6 & above)	9,453.9	1,312.8	1,130.2	182.6	8,141.1

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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8. ECONOMICALLY ACTIVE AND INACTIVE POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, 1961 AND 1971

(In Thousand)

Age Group	Total	Economically Active	Economically Inactive
1961 (15 years and above)	5,660	4,307	1,353
15 - 24	1,596	1,331	265
25 - 34	1,520	1,215	305
35 - 44	1,055	823	232
45 - 59	967	715	252
60 and above	490	214	276
Age not Stated	32	9	23
1971 (10 years and above)	8,179	4,853	3,326
10 - 14	1,298	655	643
15 - 24	2,017	1,261	756
25 - 34	1,741	1,124	617
35 - 44	1,355	893	462
45 - 59	1,119	714	405
60 and above	649	206	443

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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9. ECONOMICALLY ACTIVE POPULATION CLASSIFIED BY INDUSTRY

1971

(In Thousand)

Industry	Persons Engaged	Percentage distribution
Agriculture, hunting etc.	4,579	94.4
Manufacturing	52	1.1
Construction	5	0.1
Electricity, gas etc.	2	-
Trade and Commerce	67	1.4
Transport, storage etc.	10	0.2
Services	138	2.8
Total	4,853	100.00

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

10. ECONOMICALLY ACTIVE POPULATION CLASSIFIED BY OCCUPATION

1971

Occupation	Persons Engaged	Percentage Distribution
Professional & Technical etc.	25	0.5
Farming & Related	4,580	94.4
Production worker	106	2.2
Sales & Related	60	1.2
Services	34	0.7
Administration	1	-
Clerical	47	1.0
Total	4,853	100.00

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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11. ECONOMICALLY ACTIVE POPULATION CLASSIFIED BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS, 1961 AND 1971

(In Thousand)

Employment Status	Percentage Distribution			
	1961	1971	1961	1971
Employer	31	22	0.7	0.5
Employee	697	453	16.2	9.3
Self Employer	3,287	4,170	76.3	85.9
Un paid family workers	270	208	6.3	4.3
Not Stated	22	-	0.5	-
Total	4,307	4,853	100.00	100.00

Note:- Economically Active population includes persons at age 10 and above in 1971 Census where 15 and above in 1961 Census.

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

Occupation	1961	1971
Professional & Technical etc.	23	32
Managerial & Related	1,300	1,444
Production workers	302	343
Sales & Related	60	73
Services	34	47
Administrative	1	1
Others	41	50
Total	1,761	1,987

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

II. CLIMATE

12. RAINFALL IN IMPORTANT PLACES

(In milimeter)

Name of the place	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969
Tilam	1,530	1,655	1,493	2,447	1,330
Dhankuta	683	1,073	840	985	622
Chatra	2,058	2,936	2,069	2,536	1,394
Namche Bazar	784	875	722	1,084	709
Beni Bazar	1,165	1,463	1,208	1,396	1,314
Udaypur Garhi	2,798	2,054	1,570	2,212	1,217
Lahan	1,602	1,617	1,276	1,337	1,231
Bindhuli Garhi	2,690	3,141	2,186	2,287	1,956
Kathmandu	-	-	1,349	1,519	1,110
Birjhet	2,394	2,171	1,423	1,930	1,620
Jumla	491	509	723	498	926
Dhangarhi	937	1,005	1,319	1,917	1,777

Source:- Department of Hydrology & Meteorology Ministry of Water and Power.

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13. MEAN TEMPERATURE IN IMPORTANT PLACES

(In centigrade)

Name of the place	1967		1968		1969		1970	
	Max.	Mini.	Max.	Mini.	Max.	Mini.	Max.	Mini.
Taplejung	20	11	20	11	21	12	N.A.	N.A.
Barakshetra	29	19	29	19	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Okhaldhunga	21	11	21	12	21	12	21	12
Namche Bajar	11	1	12	1	11	2	N.A.	N.A.
Bhojpur	20	13	20	13	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Kathmandu	25	11	25	11	26	12	24	11
Gorkha	25	15	25	15	25	15	N.A.	N.A.
Pokhara	26	15	26	16	26	16	25	14
Butwal	31	20	30	20	31	20	29	21
Jomsom	19	6	19	5	19	5	N.A.	N.A.
Sallyan	23	14	23	14	N.A.	N.A.	23	15
Dailekh	N.A.	N.A.	23	14	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

Source:- Department of Hydrology & Meterology Ministry of Water and Power.

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14. NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS, AGRICULTURAL HOUSEHOLDS AND AREA IN AGRICULTURAL HOLDINGS BY REGION, 1961.

Region	Number of households	Number of Agricultural households	(In Thousand)	
			Area of holdings (In Matomuris)	
			Land Wet	Land Dry
Eastern Hills	323	305	3,836	11,292
Eastern Inner Tarai	35	31	1,843	2,094
Eastern Tarai	451	359	46,509	15,105
Kathmandu Valley	86	58	1,417	865
Mid Inner Tarai	40	34	1,788	2,602
Western Hills	351	329	3,500	12,374
Western Inner Tarai	14	13	3,006	1,765
Western Tarai	86	72	9,981	4,077
Far Western Hills	273	261	1,847	6,688
Far Western Tarai	44	32	10,447	3,718
Nepal	1,703	1,494	84,174	60,580

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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15. AREA IN AGRICULTURAL HOLDINGS BY MAJOR TENURE CLASSIFICATION AND BY REGION, 1961

(In Thousand)

Region	Area (in matomuris)					
	Total		Owned by holder		Rented from Others	
	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry
Eastern Hills	3,836	11,292	2,209	9,325	1,627	1,967
Eastern Inner Tarai	1,843	2,094	1,228	1,871	615	223
Eastern Tarai	46,509	15,105	30,323	12,065	16,186	3,040
Kathmandu Valley	1,417	865	826	664	591	201
Mid Inner Tarai	1,788	2,602	1,375	2,333	413	269
Western Hills	3,500	12,374	2,825	11,559	675	815
Western Inner Tarai	3,006	1,765	1,666	1,093	1,340	672
Western Tarai	9,981	4,077	5,391	2,810	4,590	1,267
Far Western Hills	1,847	6,688	1,416	5,997	431	691
Far Western Tarai	10,447	3,718	6,893	2,654	3,554	1,064
Nepal	84,174	60,580	54,152	50,371	30,022	10,209

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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16. AREA OF AGRICULTURAL HOLDINGS AND ARABLE LAND BY REGION, 1961

Region	(In Thousand)			
	Area in Matomuris			
	Area of holdings		Area of Arable Land	
	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry
Eastern Hills	3,836	11,292	3,779	10,036
Eastern Inner Tarai	1,843	2,094	1,781	1,912
Eastern Tarai	46,509	15,105	45,702	13,164
Kathmandu Valley	1,417	865	1,381	753
Mid Inner Tarai	1,788	2,602	1,691	2,497
Western Hills	3,500	12,374	3,457	10,409
Western Inner Tarai	3,006	1,765	2,985	1,582
Western Tarai	9,981	4,077	9,871	3,510
Far Western Hills	1,847	6,688	1,772	5,914
Far Western Tarai	10,447	3,718	10,075	2,655
Nepal	84,174	60,580	82,494	52,432

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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17. NUMBER OF HOLDINGS REPORTING AREA IRRIGATED ACCORDING TO FACILITIES OF WATER SUPPLY BY SIZE OF HOLDING, 1962

(In Thousand)

(In Thousand)

				Area in Matomuris				
Size of Holding				Ferennial water supply		Seasonal water supply		
				Number of households	Area of wet land	Number of households	Area of wet land	Area of dry land
1 Matomuri	to	8 Matomuri		7	19	34	78	2
8	"	16	"	24	100	87	364	6
16	"	24	"	28	181	91	615	7
24	"	32	"	24	212	77	752	14
32	"	40	"	19	205	61	781	22
40	"	80	"	48	867	154	3,395	109
80	"	160	"	23	888	92	4,560	257
160	"	240	"	8	672	40	4,067	205
240	"	320	"	4	557	20	2,929	120
320	"	400	"	2	495	12	2,322	79
400	"	800	"	5	1,458	20	6,049	187
800	"	1600	"	1	882	7	4,181	109
1600	"	4000	"	2	771	2	2,232	45
4000	"	8000	"	..	119	..	533	55
8000	and above			..	448	..	287	3
Nepal				195	7,874	697	33,145	1,220

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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18. QUANTITY OF PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL CROPS, 1961-62 TO 1971-72

(In Thousand metric Tones)

Crops	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66
Paddy	2,108	2,108	2,109	2,201	2,207
Maize	843	853	849	854	856
Wheat	138	138	139	126	147
Millet	63	N.A.	64	63	120
Sugar Cane	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	126	192
Jute	37	36	36	39	39
Oil Seed	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	51	51
Tobacco	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	9	9
Potato	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	266	277
Barley	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	26	28
	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Paddy	2,007	2,119	2,178	2,241	2,305
Maize	824	746	765	795	833
Wheat	159	205	233	265	193
Millet	120	113	121	125	130
Sugar Cane	147	169	189	216	236
Jute	38	46	43	49	53
Oil Seed	56	52	54	57	55
Tobacco	5	6	7	7	7
Potato	300	245	250	263	273
Barley	28	23	23	24	..

Source:- Ministry of Food and Agriculture.

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19. AREA AND PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL CROPS BY REGIONS, 1967-68 AND 1970-71 (Area in hectares and production in metric tonnes)

(In Thousand)

Region	1967-68		1970-71	
	Area	Production	Area	Production
I. PADDY				
Eastern Tarai	640	1,108	650	1,187
Western Tarai	276	469	282	507
Inner Tarai	69	130	71	149
Eastern Hill	73	188	77	213
Western Hill	97	224	102	248
Nepal	1,154	2,119	1,182	2,304
II. MAIZE				
Eastern Tarai	38	54	43	64
Western Tarai	53	79	59	89
Inner Tarai	52	99	55	107
Eastern Hill	124	236	130	257
Western Hill	143	278	159	316
Nepal	412	746	446	833
III. WHEAT				
Eastern Tarai	46	39	55	37
Western Tarai	41	36	51	37
Inner Tarai	10	9	12	9
Eastern Hill	24	40	39	38
Western Hill	62	81	71	72
Nepal	182	205	228	193
IV. BARLEY				
Eastern Tarai	5	3	5	4
Western Tarai	2	1	2	1
Inner Tarai	1	1	1	1
Eastern Hill	2	3	3	3
Western Hill	15	15	16	16
Nepal	25	23	27	25

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19. AREA AND PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL CROPS BY REGIONS, 1967-68 AND 1970-71 (Area in hectares and production in metric tonnes)

		(In Thousand)		
Region	1967-68		1970-71	
	Area	Production	Area	Production
V. MILLET				
Eastern Tarai	11	9	11	10
Western Tarai	6	5	7	6
Inner Tarai	4	4	4	4
Eastern Hill	30	35	32	37
Western Hill	51	60	61	73
Nepal	102	113	115	130
VI. SUGARCANE				
Eastern Tarai	5	84	7	131
Western Tarai	4	57	4	67
Inner Tarai	..	5	1	7
Eastern Hill	1	6	1	9
Western Hill	1	17	1	22
Nepal	11	169	14	236
VII. JUTE				
Eastern Tarai	45	44	52	51
Western Tarai
Inner Tarai	2	2	3	2
Eastern Hill
Western Hill
Nepal	47	46	55	53

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19. AREA AND PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL CROPS BY REGIONS, 1967-68 AND 1970-71 (Area in hectares and production in metric tones)

(In Thousand)				(In Thousand)	
1970-71		1967-68		1970-71	
Region	Area	Area	Production	Area	Production
V. MILLET					
Eastern Tarai	21	9	23	9	
Western Tarai	26	15	28	15	
Inner Tarai	33	21	36	22	
Eastern Hill	9	4	10	5	
Western Hill	8	3	9	4	
Nepal	97	52	106	55	
VIII. OILSEEDS					
Eastern Tarai	7	6	7	6	
Western Tarai	1	..	1	..	
Inner Tarai	1	..	1	..	
Eastern Hill	..	..	..	..
Western Hill	..	..	..	..
Nepal	9	6	9	6	
IX. TOBACCO					
Eastern Tarai	6	34	7	40	
Western Tarai	3	19	4	24	
Inner Tarai	2	13	2	14	
Eastern Hill	21	123	23	130	
Western Hill	11	56	13	66	
Nepal	43	245	49	274	
X. POTATO					

Source:- Ministry of Food and Agriculture.

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20. NUMBER OF COWS AND BULLS BY SIZE OF HOLDINGS, 1962

(In Thousand)

Size of Holding	Number of			
	Households	Cows	Households	Bulls
1 Matomuri to 8 Matomuri	63	123	52	88
8 " 16	119	247	113	206
16 " 24	114	259	119	230
24 " 32	98	243	105	218
32 " 40	76	193	82	178
40 " 80	201	583	230	534
80 " 160	126	439	158	424
160 " 240	56	211	74	232
240 " 320	30	124	39	146
320 " 400	18	87	22	99
400 " 800	31	203	38	229
800 " 1600	10	104	11	113
1600 " 4000	3	44	3	52
4000 " 8000	..	6	..	7
8000 " and above	..	6	..	5
Holdings with Land	945	2,872	1,046	2,761
Holdings without Land	18	62	15	33
Nepal	963	2,934	1,061	2,794

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

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21. NUMBER OF BUFFALOES, HORSES AND MULES BY SIZE OF HOLDINGS, 1962

(In Thousand)

Size of Holdings				Number of					
				House holds	She Buffaloes	House holds	He Buffaloes	House holds	Horses Mules etc.
1 Matomuri	to	8 Matomuri		58	95	6	7	1	1
8	..	16	..	106	198	14	16	1	1
16	..	24	..	100	206	17	19	1	1
24	..	32	..	79	169	15	18	1	1
32	..	40	..	61	145	14	16	1	1
40	..	80	..	151	389	44	54	5	6
80	..	160	..	78	222	31	44	6	8
160	..	240	..	27	80	14	25	3	4
240	..	320	..	17	48	9	17	2	3
320	..	400	..	10	30	6	13	1	2
400	..	800	..	20	65	13	34	4	5
800	..	1600	..	7	31	5	17	2	2
1600	..	4000	..	3	16	2	7	1	1
4000	..	8000	..	..	2	..	2	..	..
8000	..	and above		..	1	..	2	..	..
Holding with Land				717	1,697	190	291	29	36
Holding without Land				5	13	2	3	1	1
Nepal				722	1,710	192	294	30	37

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

III. AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY.

22. NUMBER OF GOATS, SHEEP AND PIGS BY SIZE OF HOLDINGS, 1962

				(In Thousand)					
Size of Holding				Number of					
				House holds	Goats	House holds	Sheep	House holds	Pigs
1 Matomuri to 8 Matomuri				52	138	3	8	19	25
8	..	16	..	100	284	8	23	29	38
16	..	24	..	96	301	9	30	25	33
24	..	32	..	81	277	9	28	20	28
32	..	40	..	63	232	7	28	13	19
40	..	80	..	165	675	19	91	33	50
80	..	160	..	99	416	11	77	17	33
160	..	240	..	41	157	3	26	8	15
240	..	320	..	22	83	1	9	4	8
320	..	400	..	13	50	1	7	3	6
400	..	800	..	22	90	2	19	5	13
800	..	1600	..	7	32	2	10	2	6
1600	..	4000	..	2	9	..	2	..	1
4000	..	8000	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
8000	..	and above		..	..	..	..	..	..
Holding with Land				763	2,745	75	358	178	275
Holding without Land				10	49	1	7	2	10
Nepal				773	2,794	76	365	180	285

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics

III. AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY.

23. ESTIMATED LIVESTOCK POPULATION

Item	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Cows	3,010	3,074	3,136	3,198
Oxen	2,850	2,911	2,969	3,028
She-Bufferaloes	2,802	2,862	2,919	2,977
He-Bufferaloes	475	485	495	505
She-Sheep	1,500	1,533	1,567	1,601
He-Sheep	475	485	496	507
Pig	300	307	313	320
He-Goat	450	460	470	480
She-Goat	1,650	1,686	1,723	1,761

Source:- Ministry of Food and Agriculture.

III. AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY.

24. PRODUCTION OF VARIOUS LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

(In Thousand metric Tones)

Item	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Meat	41	42	44	45	46
Buffalo	18	18	18	19	19
Sheep	2	2	3	2	3
Goat	2	3	3	3	3
Pig	4	4	4	4	4
Poultry	15	15	16	17	17
Milk	N.A.	N.A.	549	564	583
Buffalo	N.A.	N.A.	375	386	400
Cow	N.A.	N.A.	170	174	178
Others	N.A.	N.A.	4	4	5
Milk Products	28	38	50	59	64
Cheese	20	30	42	50	55
Butter & Ghee	8	8	8	9	9

Source:- Ministry of Food and Agriculture.

III. AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

25. NUMBER OF POULTRY BY SIZE OF HOLDING, 1962

(In Thousand)

Size of Holding				Number of							
				House holds	Fowls	House holds	Pigeons	House holds	Ducks	House holds	Other Birds
1 Matomuri to 8 Matomuri				77	345	4	15	1	2	..	1
8	..	16	..	113	547	9	28	1	3	..	1
16	..	24	..	96	501	12	36	1	3	..	1
24	..	32	..	75	418	10	32	1	3	..	1
32	..	40	..	53	309	9	30	1	2	..	1
40	..	80	..	119	824	39	112	3	10	1	2
80	..	160	..	53	459	21	113	5	15	1	2
160	..	240	..	19	194	13	83	6	16	..	1
240	..	320	..	10	114	8	62	4	12	..	1
320	..	400	..	6	66	5	41	3	9	..	..
400	..	800	..	11	161	11	113	5	20	1	2
800	..	1600	..	4	82	3	45	2	10	..	..
1600	..	4000	..	1	19	1	20	..	3	..	..
4000	..	8000	..	..	3	..	2	..	1	..	..
8000	..	and above		..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..
Holding with Land				637	4,043	145	733	33	110	3	13
Holding without Land				6	84	3	44	1	5	..	2
Nepal				643	4,127	148	777	34	115	3	15

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

IV. FOREST

26. AREA BY LAND CLASS & FOREST DIVISION IN THE TARAI

(In Thousand Acres)

Division	Forest	Crop Land	Grass	Orchard	Others	Total
Mechi	218	240	8	..	25	491
Biratnagar	236	410	29	..	48	723
Hanuman Nagar	306	431	17	4	71	829
Janakpur	302	530	10	6	52	900
Birganj	554	431	14	5	49	1,054
Chitwan	65	2	..	..	2	69
Lumbini	363	310	21	1	49	744
Kapilvastu	233	212	11	1	15	472
Dang (Part)	241	38	4	..	20	303
Banke	407	104	10	1	21	543
Bardia	322	112	24	..	30	488
Kailali	455	148	17	..	26	646
Kanchanpur	316	44	46	2	18	426
Mahakali (Part)	61	2	..	..	3	66
Total	4,079	3,014	211	21	429	7,754

Source:- Department of Forest.

IV. FOREST

27. AREA OF COMMERCIAL & NON-COMMERCIAL FOREST BY FOREST DIVISION IN TARAI

(In Thousand Acres)

Division	Commercial	Non-Commercial	Total
Mechi	174	44	218
Biratnagar	206	30	236
Hanuman Nagar	194	112	306
Janakpur	174	128	302
Birganj	445	109	554
Chitwan	24	41	65
Lumbini	294	69	363
Kapilvastu	195	38	233
Dang (Part)	126	115	241
Banke	292	115	407
Bardia	266	56	322
Kailali	352	103	455
Kanchanpur	282	34	316
Mahakali (Part)	37	24	61
Total	3,061	1,018	4,079

Source:- Department of Forest.

IV. FOREST

28. REVENUE FROM FOREST PRODUCTS.

(In Rupees Thousand)

Item	1966-67	1968-69	1969-70
Timber	14,460	16,494	7,778
Log Sales	5,733	4,872	2,599
Royalty Sales	6,042	10,692	3,823
Privileged Sales	2,685	930	1,356
Other	954	3,759	8,610
Fuel Wood	249	571	316
Minor Forest Product	249	225	272
Grazing	19	239	61
Hunting	6	146	15
Miscellaneous	431	2,578	7,946
Grand Total	15,414	20,253	16,388

Source:- Department of Forest.

V. MINERAL PRODUCTION

29. QUANTITY OF PRODUCTION OF VARIOUS MINERALS, 1965-66 TO 1969-70

Minerals	Unit	Fiscal-Year				
		1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Beryl	Kg.	-	-	-	1,866	359
Chips	tonne	-	23	54	85	29
Copper (Metal)	Kg.	-	-	-	196	945
Copper (Ore) <u>1/</u>	Kg.	12,247	-	10,730	1,166	20,388
Garnet <u>2/</u>	Kg.	-	-	187	-	7,500
Lignite	tonne	4,651	-	757	597	224
Limestone	Cu.m.	3,587	4,072	2,568	3,288	2,887
Limestone (Cement Gr.)	Cu.m.	-	-	1,873	850	761
Lime (Hydrated)	,,	2,901	-	1,792	918	94
Marble (Graggy)	Sq.m.	1,858	2,787	2,323	2,108	3,100
Marble (Polished)	,,	-	-	-	1,382	1,553
Mica, crude	Kg.	8,585	4,200	12,802	74,638	42,178
Paving stone	Sq.m.	-	-	743	1,594	232
Salt	Kg.	8,244	-	8,522	933	7,709
Slate	Sq.m.	38,353	13,573	12,861	17,000	37,219
A) Stone <u>2/</u>	Cu.m.	32,430	38,748	30,748	63,852	22,189
B) Gravel & Boulder <u>2/</u>	,,	28,082	15,489	1,841	1,99,291	1,418
Talc	Tonne	1,547	-	-	-	112
Tourmaline	Kg.	-	-	19	86	35

Notes:- 1 May include copper (metal) also

2 Exclusive of production by government projects

Source:- Nepal Bureau of Mines.

V. MINERAL PRODUCTION

30. VALUE OF PRODUCTION OF & ROYALTIES OBTAINED FOR VARIOUS MINERALS

(In Rupees Thousand)

Year	Value of Production	Royalties Obtained
1960-61	-	30
1961-62	-	51
1962-63	-	61
1963-64	-	54
1964-65	875	77
1965-66	1,546	982
1966-67	1,122	448
1967-68	1,319	963
1968-69	5,486	1,155
1969-70	4,112	520

Source:- Nepal Bureau of Mines.

VI. POWER

31. INSTALLED CAPACITY AND ENERGY GENERATED BY ZONES, 1968-69 AND 1969-70

Zones	1968-69		1969-70	
	Installed Capacity (KW)	Electric Generated (000, KWH)	Installed Capacity (KW)	Electric Generated (000, KWH)
Mechi	155	322	297	617
Kosi	6,418	15,682	6,239	14,256
Sagarmatha	128	507	104	370
Janakpur	620	863	613	994
Bagmati	19,458	36,693	27,844	45,254
Narayani	8,150	4,291	7,352	5,064
Lumbini	1,197	1,668	1,385	2,436
Gandaki	1,074	674	1,032	722
Dhoulagiri	2	5	-	-
Rapti	4	7	-	-
Karnali	1	2	-	-
Bheri	508	476	463	482
Seti	18	36	16	33
Mahakali	5	10	-	-
Total	37,738	61,237	45,347	70,230

Source:- Department of Electricity.

VI. POWER.

32. INSTALLED CAPACITY OF DIFFERENT POWER GENERATING UTILITIES. 1968-69 AND 1969-70

Item	(In KW)	
	1968-69	1969-70
H.M.G.	6,030	6,030
Electric Utilities	24,549	29,287
Industrial Agencies	4,850	7,810
Private Sector	2,303	2,221
Total	37,732	45,348

Source:- Department of Electricity.

VI. POWER

33. PRINCIPAL HYDRO POWER STATIONS (Inclusive of those under Construction)

Name of Station	Name of Utilities	Type	Installed Capacity (KW)	Unit Capacity (KW) no of units	Year of Commission
Trisuli	N.E.C.	run-off river	18,000	3,000x ⁶ 3,000x ¹ (stand by)	1969/70
Panauti	N.E.C.	run-off river	2,400	800x ³	1963/64
Pharpiing	N.E.C.	storage reservoir	500	250x ²	1911
Sundarijal	N.E.C.	Storage reservoir	640	320x ²	1934
Sunkoshi	H.M.G.	run-off river	10,050	3,350x ³	Under Construction
Gandak	H.M.G.	canal drop	15,000	5,000x ³	Under Construction
Pokhara	H.M.G.	storage	1,000	250x ⁴	1968/69
Tinau	Butwal	run-off	50	50x ¹	First Stage
	Power	river	450	225x ²	(50 KW) is
	Company		450	225x ²	Completed
Dhankuta	H.M.G.	run-off river	240	120x ²	Under Construction

N E C = Nepal Electricity Corporation.
Source:- Department of Electricity.

VI. POWER

34. NUMBER OF CONSUMERS BY MAJOR ELECTRIC UTILITIES 1967-68 TO 1970-71

Types of Consumer and Electric Utilities	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Morang Hydro Electric Corp.				
Industrial	1,122	1,428	1,445	1,542
Domestic	30	34	39	47
Commercial	1,019	1,394	1,390	1,487
Street Light	-	-	8	-
Dharan Electric Corp.				
Industrial	1	-	8	8
Domestic	341	346	348	348
Commercial	6	7	8	8
Street Light	334	334	334	334
Nepal Electricity Corp.				
Industrial	-	4	5	5
Domestic	1	1	1	1
Commercial	21,552	28,299	34,311	40,587
Street Light	383	427	481	522
Pokhara Hydro Power Center				
Industrial	20,339	26,794	32,649	38,835
Domestic	3	7	20	21
Commercial	827	1,031	1,161	1,209
Street Light	400	658	892	1,092
Total				
Industrial	1	6	13	16
Domestic	399	651	873	1,064
Commercial	-	-	6	11
Street Light	-	1	-	1

Source:- Department of Electricity.

VII. INDUSTRY

35. NUMBER OF ESTABLISHMENTS BY DISTRICTS, 1965

District	Total Establishments	Size by the Number of Persons Engaged				
		up to 9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 and over
Jhapa	57	38	7	12	-	-
Sunsari	38	31	4	3	-	-
Morang	83	36	16	18	8	5
Sapatari	65	47	9	8	-	1
Siraha	34	32	-	1	-	-
Dhanusa	89	72	9	1	4	3
Mohotari	54	50	3	1	-	-
Sarlahi	50	48	-	-	2	-
Rautahat	37	35	1	-	1	-
Bara	60	43	12	4	1	-
Parasa	83	63	9	7	4	-
Makwanpur	6	5	1	-	-	-
Chittaun	20	16	3	-	1	-
Nawalparasi	29	26	2	1	-	-
Rupandehi	76	62	9	3	2	-
Kapilvastu	90	77	9	4	-	-
Banke	42	33	5	2	1	1
Bardia	11	9	1	1	-	-
Kailali	32	26	6	-	-	-
Kanchanpur	10	8	2	-	-	-
Kathmandu	197	156	22	11	4	4
Lalitpur	62	48	10	2	1	1
Bhaktapur	32	29	3	-	-	-
Total	1,257	990	143	79	30	15

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

VII. INDUSTRY

36. NUMBER OF PERSONS ENGAGED BY PRINCIPAL ECONOMIC ACTIVITY, 1965

Principal Economic Activity	No. of Establishments	Category of Persons Engaged			
		Total	Adminis- trative	Technical	Operatives
Rice Husking	752	3,976	1,182	523	2,271
Flour Making	26	58	17	3	38
Bakery	7	91	19	2	70
Sugar Refineries	7	707	120	13	574
Crystal Sugar	3	14	2	-	12
Oil Extracting	41	222	57	43	122
Tea Packing	3	28	1	-	27
Biri Making	113	615	185	26	404
Cigarettes Factory	3	387	147	75	165
Yarn & Textiles	11	371	72	33	266
Jute Processing	3	3,124	281	49	2,794
Cap Making	10	10	10	-	-
Saw Mills	17	429	144	72	213
Furniture Excl. Metal	40	354	50	8	296
Furniture, Metallic	5	31	6	-	25
Printing Press	39	705	140	22	543
Soaps	6	56	16	1	39
Matches	6	448	86	31	331
Bricks & Tiles	80	1,330	210	122	998
Cement Products	4	93	40	5	48
Lime Kilns	8	77	17	-	60
Metallic Vessels	3	135	28	3	104
Repairing Works	31	278	31	10	237
Curious & Jewelleris	5	52	12	-	40
Ice & Ice-cream	5	3	-	-	3
Miscellaneous	29	803	222	117	464
Total	1,257	14,397	3,095	1,158	10,144

VII. INDUSTRY

37. VALUE ADDED AND OTHER IMPORTANT AGGREGATES BY PRINCIPAL ECONOMIC ACTIVITY, 1965.

(In Rupees Thousand)

Principal Economic Activity	No. of Establishments	Wages & Salaries	Fixed Assets	Gross Output	Value Added
Rice Husking	752	7,523	39,154	2,97,011	27,495
Flour Making	26	53	442	7,359	1,133
Bakery	7	141	404	946	235
Sugar Refineries	7	899	2,441	5,020	589
Crystal Sugar	3	24	57	324	38
Oil Extracting	41	369	2,545	16,275	2,607
Tea Packing	3	26	11	159	139
Biri Making	113	3,825	432	9,292	3,503
Cigarettes Factory	3	1,419	20,752	9,131	3,414
Yarn & Textiles	11	619	7,882	5,146	1,722
Jute Processing	3	7,705	14,887	30,682	5,376
Caps Making	10	35	30	191	54
Saw Mills	17	1,153	2,750	5,153	1,476
Furniture Excl. Metal	40	757	614	2,064	937
Furniture, Metallic	5	76	169	168	93
Printing Press	39	864	3,172	2,242	648
Soaps	6	104	70	1,167	115
Matches	6	728	1,905	3,422	1,260
Bricks & Tiles	80	1,941	655	6,828	2,949
Cement Products	4	141	162	711	371
Lime Kilns	8	30	5	177	29
Metallic Vessels	3	313	1,023	4,688	1,747
Repairing Works	31	585	1,687	1,518	723
Curious & Jewelleris	5	128	20	261	180
Ice & Ice- crem	5	2	19	45	25
Miscelleaneous	29	1,706	7,985	6,672	3,390
Total	1,257	31,166	1,09,273	4,16,652	60,248

VII. INDUSTRY

38. PRODUCTION OF SELECTED INDUSTRIAL COMMODITIES

Commodities	Unit	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72*
Jute	Metric Tones	3,958	10,507	13,502	12,604
Sugar	Metric Tones	9,656	16,238	14,534	10,045
Stainless-steel-					
utensils	Metric Tones	2,419	933	356	132
Soap	Metric Tones	256	1,110	814	852
Iron-Goods	Tones	2,500	2,900	3,000	-
Wool	k.g.	11,067	-	-	-
Tea	k.g.	17,325	20,000	20,480	19,231+
Processed Skin	k.g.	99,815	1,38,889	1,52,000	1,61,321
Shoes	Pairs	32,102	41,983	65,757	56,619
Matches	Thousands Gross	468	516	491	511
Nylon-Botton	Thousands Gross	278	366	302	176
Cigarettes	Million Stick	1,677	1,466	2,083	1,684
Cotton & Sinthe-					
tic Cloth	Thousand Meters	3,541	2,354	984	63
Alcohol	Litre	39,999	2,18,980	1,22,141	-

Source:- Economic review (1971-72) issued by Finance ministry.

* Inflated from 9 months to 12 months.

+ Govt. tea gardens only.

VIII. PRICES

39. INDEX NUMBER OF CONSUMER PRICES BY GROUPS AND SUB-GROUPS, 1971-72 (BASE YEAR 1962-63)

Groups and Sub-Groups	Weight	Kathmandu	Lalitpur	Bhaktpur
Food	7,000	180	178	170
Cereals	4,033	168	162	153
Pulses	278	188	189	169
Oils & Fats	550	173	170	169
Sugar & Sweets	259	169	169	169
Beverage	462	289	290	286
Meat Fish & Egg	590	166	178	165
Vegetables & Spices	828	190	194	186
Non-Food	3,000	144	156	146
Tobacco & Alcohol	323	168	191	181
Clothes & Shoes	442	203	213	158
Fuel & Light	1,034	115	135	136
Household Operation	653	142	145	142
Education & Recreation	254	166	169	165
Health & Personal Care	236	104	112	84
Transportation	58	150	150	250
General	10,000	169	171	163

Source:- General Bureau of Statistics.

VIII. PRICES

40. INDEX NUMBER OF CONSUMER PRICES FOR KATHMANDU, 1963-64 TO 1971-72 (BASE YEAR 1962-63)

Year	General	Food	Non-Food
1963-64	107	110	101
1964-65	120	125	108
1965-66	137	115	118
1966-67	139	151	112
1967-68	138	148	114
1968-69	144	153	122
1969-70	159	169	135
1970-71	166	182	133
1971-72	169	180	144

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

41. INDEX NUMBER OF CONSUMER PRICES FOR LALITPUR, 1963 TO 1971-72 (BASE YEAR 1962-63)

Year	General	Food	Non-Food
1963-64	108	110	104
1964-65	122	127	111
1965-66	135	143	118
1966-67	139	139	113
1967-68	139	148	119
1968-69	137	147	124
1969-70	157	167	135
1970-71	166	180	164
1971-72	171	178	156

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

VIII. PRICES

42. INDEX NUMBER OF CONSUMER PRICES FOR BHAKTAPUR, 1963-64 to 1971-72 (BASE YEAR 1962-63)

Year	General	Food	Non-Food
1963-64	111	112	109
1964-65	121	126	112
1965-66	139	147	119
1966-67	140	141	116
1967-68	140	148	123
1968-69	143	148	131
1969-70	158	167	138
1970-71	163	173	141
1971-72	163	170	146

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

43. WHOLE SALE PRICES OF IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

(In Rupees per Metric Tone)

Year	Paddy	Maize	Wheat	Millet	Tobacco	Jute	Oil Seed
1964-65	777	965	1,152	723	5,358	1,447	-
1965-66	985	1,235	1,572	1,167	7,849	1,818	1,466
1966-67	972	947	1,371	916	7,134	1,234	1,466
1967-68	1,019	1,296	1,958	1,300	8,133	1,470	-
1968-69	1,199	1,110	1,565	1,032	8,155	2,064	1,987
1969-70	1,313	1,210	1,554	1,189	9,327	1,940	1,940
1970-71	1,255	1,194	1,442	1,127	9,459	2,013	2,188

Source:- Ministry of Food and Agriculture.

IX. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

44. LENGTH OF ROADS CLASSIFIED BY TYPE AND MAJOR CATEGORY

(In Kilometres)

Name of the Road	Kachi	Pitch	Total
High Ways	829	977	1,806
Mahendra Raj Marga	639	365	1,004
Araniko Raj Marga	50	62	112
Prithvi Raj Marga	-	176	176
Siddhartha Raj Marga	-	184	184
Dhangadhi Dadeldhura	140	-	140
Tribhuban Raj Path	-	190	190
Main Road	135	96	231
Kathmandu Town	135	96	231
Regional Roads	886	127	1,013
Hills & Tarai	886	127	1,013
Total	1,850	1,200	3,050

Source:- Department of Roads.

IX. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

45. LENGTH OF ROADS CLASSIFIED BY TYPE AND BY ZONES

(In Kilometers)				
Zones	Kachi	Pitch	Total	
Mechi	135	45	180	
Kosi	152	130	282	
Sagarmatha	191	147	338	
Janakpur	174	114	288	
Narayani	245	135	380	
Baghmati	235	309	544	
Gandaki	132	167	299	
Lumbini	145	120	265	
Dhawalagiri	30	-	30	
Rapti	208	-	208	
Karnali	40	-	40	
Seti	21	-	21	
Bheri	100	-	100	
Mahakali	42	33	75	
Total	1,850	1,200	3,050	

Source:- Department of Roads.

1964-65	1,777	1,157	2,934	
1965-66	1,805	1,167	2,972	
1966-67	1,872	1,171	3,043	
1967-68	1,909	1,200	3,109	
1968-69	1,998	1,038	3,036	
1969-70	1,943	1,189	3,132	
1970-71	1,955	1,127	3,082	

Source: Ministry of Food and Agriculture.

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46. OPERATING AND TRAFFIC STATISTICS: ROYAL NEPAL AIRLINES CORPORATION

Item	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Revenue Hours flown	8,412	7,884	8,561	7,709
Revenue Kilometres Flown (000 Km.)	2,290	2,178	2,474	2,332
Available Tonnes Kilometres (000)	6,941	6,885	8,977	8,557
Revenue Passengers Carried (000)	166	168	190	183
Cargo Carried (000lbs)				
Mail	171	252	259	218
Freight (Tonnes)	7,618	5,307	5,349	4,852
Operating Revenue (Rs 000)	21,433	21,549	26,086	25,143
Operating Expenditure (Rs 000)	21,044	21,437	25,546	29,839
Operating Revenue Per A.T.Km. Rs.	3.09	3.13	2.90	2.82
Operating Cost Per A.T.Km. Rs.	3.03	3.11	2.85	3.49
Number of Employees	727	752	774	880

Source:- Royal Nepal Airlines Corporation.

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47. NUMBER OF POST OFFICES BY ZONES, 1969 TO 1972

Zones	1969	1970	1971	1972
Mechi	30	35	43	53
Koshi	46	48	53	62
Sagarmatha	37	41	50	59
Janakpur	33	37	46	51
Narayani	26	31	38	46
Bagmati	59	64	81	92
Gandaki	38	41	50	62
Lumbini	42	44	49	58
Bhaulagiri	13	18	24	28
Rapti	19	20	24	29
Karnali	10	11	13	16
Bheri	16	17	17	19
Seti	18	18	22	27
Mahekali	16	18	21	29
Total	403	443	531	631

Source:- Postal Services Department.

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48. TRAFFIC AND REVENUE OF THE POSTAL SERVICES, 1969 TO 1972

		(In Thousand)			
Item		1969	1970	1971	1972
Traffic					
(a) Registered articles					
Handled		N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	4,121
(b) Un-registered Articles					
Handled		N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	32,797
Earnings (Rs)					
Sales of Stamps and stationary etc.		3,794	4,653	4,817	5,357

Source:- Postal Services Department.

49. NUMBER OF OFFICES INTERNATIONAL TRAFFIC AND EARNINGS OF TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES, 1968 TO 1972

Item	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Offices					
Telephone	2	3	3	8	9
wireless & Telegram	65	75	75	75	77
Traffic (International)					
Telephone Calls (000)	24	25	42	48	48
wireless and Telegram					
Messages (000)	135	173	190	183	182
Earnings (In Rupees)					
Wireless, Telephone and Telegram Revenues (000)	2,628	4,343	-	6,684	7,500
Telex Revenues (000)	-	-	-	-	80

Source:- Nepal Telecommunication Board.

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50. NUMBER OF WIRELESS SETS BY ZONE, 1968 TO 1972

Zone	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Mechi	4	4	4	4	4
Koshi	5	6	6	6	6
Sagarmatha	7	7	7	7	7
Janakpur	4	5	5	5	5
Narayani	4	4	4	4	6
Bagmati	3	17	17	17	17
Gandaki	7	7	7	7	7
Lumbini	9	9	9	9	9
Dhawalagiri	2	4	4	4	4
Rapti	5	6	6	6	6
Karnali	2	4	4	4	4
Seti	3	5	5	5	5
Bheri	6	7	7	7	7
Mahakali	4	4	4	4	4
Total	65	89	89	89	91

Source:- Nepal Telecommunication Board.

X. EDUCATION

51. STATISTICS ON PRIMARY EDUCATION

Item	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Schools	6,631	6,880	7,256
School Age Population	13,71,271	14,01,439	14,10,440
Enrollment	4,42,251	4,48,754	4,49,141
Boys	3,75,721	3,81,844	3,82,680
Girls	66,530	66,910	66,461
Teacher	16,407	17,563	18,250
Trained	3,673	4,309	6,168
Untrained	12,734	13,254	12,082
Model Primary School	15	18	20
Pupil Teacher Ratio	27	26	25

Source:- Ministry of Education.

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52. NUMBER OF PRIMARY SCHOOLS BY ZONES

Zone	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Mechi	373	507	496
Koshi	519	563	541
Sagarmatha	731	718	776
Janakpur	566	562	574
Bagmati	811	828	879
Narayani	564	566	671
Gandaki	848	871	903
Lumbini	637	649	675
Dhawalagiri	227	237	253
Rapti	376	381	417
Karnali	109	112	115
Bheri	312	311	329
Seti	315	317	363
Mahakali	243	258	264
Total	6,631	6,880	7,256

Source:- Ministry of Education.

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53. STATISTICS ON SECONDARY EDUCATION

Item	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Schools	841	959	1,036
Middle Schools	493	544	578
High Schools	348	415	458
Enrollment			
(a) Estimated	78,304	94,731	96,704
Boys	67,525	78,674	84,099
Girls	10,779	16,057	12,605
(b) Reported	61,265	63,545	66,392
Boys	52,831	53,972	58,370
Girls	8,434	9,573	8,022
Teachers	3,876	4,060	5,257
Trained	939	835	1,582
Untrained	2,937	3,225	3,675
Pupil Teacher Ratio	20.20	23.33	18.40

Source:- Ministry of Education.

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54. NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN SECONDARY EDUCATION BY ZONES, 1969-70*

Zones	Total	Boys	Girls
Mechi	3,832	3,291	541
Koshi	8,405	6,607	1,798
Sagarmatha	7,666	7,082	584
Janakpur	7,412	6,919	493
Bagmati	7,174	5,642	1,532
Narayani	5,583	4,966	617
Gandaki	9,787	9,005	782
Lumbini	8,256	7,287	969
Dhawalagiri	2,110	1,921	189
Rapti	1,331	1,221	110
Karnali	111	108	3
Bheri	1,976	1,680	296
Seti	1,428	1,359	69
Mahakali	1,321	1,282	39
Total	66,392	58,370	8,022

*Data not complete and based on reporting Schools only.

Source:- Ministry of Education.

X. EDUCATION

55. STATISTICS ON HIGHER EDUCATION

Item	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Institution	36	44	49
University	1	1	1
Degree College	23	25	29
Inter College	12	18	19
Enrollment			
(a) Estimated	11,800	15,000	17,200
Boys	9,603	12,200	14,077
Girls	2,197	2,800	3,123
(b) Reported	11,800	13,097	17,025
Boys	9,603	10,443	13,922
Girls	2,197	2,654	3,103
Lecturers	819	960	1,058
Male	745	880	984
Female	74	80	74

Source:- Ministry of Education.

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56. NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN HIGHER EDUCATION BY ZONE, 1969-70*

Zones	Total	Boys	Girls
Mechi	155	133	22
Koshi	2,421	1,983	438
Sagarmatha	486	437	49
Janakpur	839	800	39
Bagmati	10,800	8,525	2,275
Narayani	637	553	84
Gandaki	646	607	39
Lumbini	469	381	88
Dhawalagiri	41	33	8
Rapti	156	154	2
Karnali	-	-	-
Bheri	261	219	42
Seti	114	97	17
Mahakali	-	-	-
Total	17,025	13,922	3,103

*Data not complete and based on reporting Colleges only.

Source:- Ministry of Education

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57. NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN HIGHER EDUCATION BY SUBJECT, 1969-70*

Subject	Total	Boys	Girls
Art	9,713	7,307	2,406
Science	2,544	2,199	345
Commerce	3,714	3,472	242
Education	191	137	54
Law	249	245	4
Sanskrit	476	465	11
Magic	121	87	34
Agriculture	-	-	-
Fine art and Sculpture	17	10	7
Total	17,025	13,922	3,103

*Data not complete and based on reporting Colleges only.

Source: Ministry of Education.

XI. HEALTH

58. NUMBER OF DOCTORS, HEALTH ASSISTANTS, BAIDYAS, NURSES AND MID-WIVES, 1972-73

Particulars	Under Directorate of Health services H. M. G. Nepal	Mission Hospitals	Other institutions
Doctors	277	38	-
Homeo Doctors	2	-	-
Nurses	191	67	34
Mid-wives	321	61	45
Health assistants and senior auxiliary health workers	80	-	-
Auxiliary health workers	535	-	-
Kaviraj (gazetted)	87	-	-
Kaviraj Baidyas (Non-gazetted)	47	-	-

Note:- Includes only 5 Mission hospitals.

Source:- Directorate of Health Services H. M. G. Nepal

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59. NUMBER OF HEALTH POSTS, HEALTH CENTRES AND AYURVEDIC DISPENSARIES BY ZONE, 1971-72 and 1972-73

Zones	1971-72			1972-73		
	H. P.	H. C.	A. D.	H. P.	H. C.	A. D.
Mechi	4	3	5	11	3	6
Koshi	18	2	-	26	2	3
Sagarmatha	30	4	7	34	5	8
Janakpur	29	4	7	30	3	7
Bagmati	16	5	12	16	4	15
Narayani	40	1	4	40	1	4
Gandaki	19	3	13	42	2	14
Lumbini	8	2	7	8	2	7
Dhaulagiri	4	3	3	8	3	4
Rapti	10	2	4	10	2	5
Karnali	3	1	1	7	1	1
Bheri	1	3	3	4	2	3
Seti	5	3	6	7	3	6
Mahakali	6	2	2	8	2	2
Total	193	38	74	251	35	85

Note:-

H. P. = Health Post

H. C. = Health Centre

A. D. = Ayurvedic Dispensary

Data relates to directorate of health services only.

Source:- Directorate of Health Services H. M. G. Nepal.

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60. NUMBER OF HOSPITALS AND BEDS BY ZONE, 1971-72 and 1972-73

Zones	1971-72		1972-73	
	Hospitals	Beds	Hospitals	Beds*
Mechi	2	40	2	40
Koshi	6	200	6	205
Sagarmatha	3	51	3	76
Janakpur	4	100	4	115
Bagmati	14	1,035	15	1,050
Narayani	5	130	5	130
Gandaki	4	125	5	140
Lumbini	9	167	9	172
Dhaulagiri	1	15	1	15
Rapti	1	15	1	15
Karnali	1	15	1	15
Bheri	2	58	3	80
Seti	2	30	2	30
Mahakali	1	15	1	15
Total	55	2,006	58	2,098

Note:-

Data includes all hospitals and beds under directorate of health services as well as other managements excepting Khokana leprosarium, Mahunga leprosarium of H. M. G., Mission leprosy hospital in Pokhara and one Ayurvedic and one Homeo hospital.

*Provisional.

Source:- Directorate of Health Services, H. M. G. Nepal

XII. MONEY, BANKING AND CREDIT

61. MONEY SUPPLY

		(In Rupees Million)			
Item		Mid-Month July			December
		1957	1962	1967	1972
A. Currency held by					
1. Commercial Bank		6.2	5.6	13.8	21.9
2. Government		10.0	3.3	8.6	10.4
3. Private Sector		67.8	156.2	368.6	595.5
B. Currency in Circulation (1+2+3)		84.0	165.1	391.0	627.8
C. Demand Deposits					
4. In Rastra Bank ¹		.7	44.2	76.8	43.7
5. In Commercial Bank ²		23.5	43.8	108.7	201.8
6. Of private Sector (4+5)		24.2	88.0	185.5	245.5
D. Money supply (3+6)		92.0	244.2	554.1	841.0
E. Ratio of Currency to money supply (3 as percent of D)		73.7	64.0	66.5	70.8

1. Since Mid August 1970, Foreign liabilities have been excluded.

2. Since Mid August 1968, Foreign liabilities have been excluded.

Source: Nepal Rastra Bank.

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62. NEPALESE CURRENCY IN CIRCULATION OUT SIDE THE RASTRA BANK

Item	(In Rupees Million)			
	Mid-Month July		December	
	1957	1962	1967	1972
1. Net Issue of Notes	54.9	133.6	365.0	605.0
2. Notes held in Banking Department	15.2	8.8	18.1	32.2
3. Notes in Circulation (1-2)	39.7	124.8	346.9	572.8
4. Net Issue of Coins (Including Subsidiary Coins)	59.3	63.6	72.8	81.2
5. Coins held in Banking Department	15.0	7.2	1.7	1.6
6. Coins held in Issue Department	-	16.1	27.0	24.6
7. Coins in Circulation (4-5-6)	44.3	40.3	44.1	55.0
8. Nepalese Currency in Circulation (3+7)	84.0	165.1	391.0	627.8

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

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63. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE NEPAL RASTRA BANK-ISSUE DEPARTMENT

Item	(In Rupees Million)			
	Mid Month July			December
	1969	1970	1971	1972
Assets				
Gold Coins and Bullion	495.8	559.3	600.0	605.0
Silver	62.2	62.1	37.4	36.2
Foreign Currency Coins	23.5	23.5	23.5	24.2
Foreign Securities	.5	.5	.5	-
Nepalese Coins	383.3	446.9	512.4	520.0
Liabilities				
Notes held in Banking Department	26.3	26.3	26.2	24.6
Notes in Circulation	495.8	559.3	600.0	605.0
	29.8	36.6	36.9	32.2
	466.0	522.7	563.1	572.8

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

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64. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE NEPAL RASTRA BANK-BANKING DEPARTMENT

(In Rupees Million)				(In Rupees Million)			
December 1972	December 1971	Item	Mid Month July 1970	Mid Month July		December	
				1969	1970	1971	1972
Assets				459.7	541.7	658.5	683.0
Notes				29.8	36.6	36.9	32.2
Rupees and Subsidiary Coins				5.6	4.1	2.7	1.6
Foreign Currency in hand				38.0	39.2	64.3	59.5
Balances held Abroad				50.0	68.9	159.6	236.5
Bills Purchased and Discounted				12.2	18.2	24.9	27.6
(a) Internal				2.8	3.4	1.5	2.8
(b) External				9.4	14.8	23.4	24.8
Government Treasury Bills Foreign				217.4	247.5	185.6	93.8
Loans and Advances ¹				42.5	5.8	10.4	29.1
Investment ²				10.0	69.7	125.1	145.7
Claims on Banks				1.7	21.0	10.8	3.4
Other Assets				52.5	30.7	38.2	53.6

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64. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE NEPAL RASTRA BANK-BANKING DEPARTMENT

(In Rupees Million)				(In Rupees Million)			
December	Mid Month July			Mid Month July			December
	Item						
1971	1971	1970	1969	1969	1970	1971	1972
Liabilities				459.7	541.7	658.5	683.0
Capital				10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Reserve				53.7	72.0	85.7	154.9
(a) Reserves Fund				22.0	22.5	23.0	23.7
(b) Other Funds				31.7	49.5	62.7	131.2
Deposits				386.6	432.7	448.0	398.4
(a) Central Government				93.6	184.6	144.9	-
(b) Government Offices				145.5	93.0	152.8	184.4
(c) Banks and Others				147.5	155.1	150.3	214.0
Bills Payable				.9	2.6	3.6	1.7
Other Liabilities				8.5	24.4	111.2	118.0

1. Since Mid-May 1969 also includes a non-interest bearing bond Issued by H. M. G. to Rastra Bank under I. M. F. Repurchase obligation.

2. It includes Rs. 5, Millions of Asian Development Bank's bond since Mid-August 1971.

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

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65. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF COMMERCIAL BANKS

(In Rupees Million)

Item	Mid Month July			December
	1969	1970	1971	1972
Assets	391.6	519.2	606.5	837.2
Cash in hand	35.2	36.1	38.2	31.3
(a) Nepalese Notes and Coins	20.6	20.7	26.9	21.9
(b) Foreign Notes and Coins	14.6	15.4	11.3	9.4
Balances with Banks	111.5	120.8	152.1	261.7
(a) Rastra Bank	46.8	58.2	102.0	113.5
(b) Commercial Banks	2.3	4.0	2.6	3.2
(c) Foreign Banks	62.4	58.6	47.5	145.0
Claims on Government	10.0	17.9	17.2	69.6
Claims on Government Enterprises	6.6	27.3	18.4	22.7
Claims on Private Sector	188.7	251.8	315.5	356.4
Foreign Bills Discounted	23.6	18.5	17.7	24.2
Other Assets	16.0	46.8	47.4	71.3
Liabilities	391.6	519.2	606.5	837.2
Deposits	297.9	379.4	445.3	652.7
(a) Current	151.2	183.2	183.7	219.5
1) Private Sector	127.0	142.4	166.5	201.8
2) Government	21.4	36.4	14.2	12.9
3) Interbank	2.8	4.4	3.0	4.8
(b) Fixed	109.3	143.7	193.3	338.3
(c) Savings	37.4	52.5	68.3	94.9

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65. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF COMMERCIAL BANKS

(In Rupees Million)

Item	Mid Month July			December
	1969	1970	1971	1972
Foreign Liabilities ¹	11.6	9.7	13.9	17.5
Borrowings from the Rastra Bank	1.7	21.0	10.8	3.4
Paid-up Capital	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
General Reserve	7.1	7.5	7.7	8.4
Other Liabilities	65.3	93.6	120.8	147.2

1. Includes non-resident deposits and other non-resident liabilities.

Source:- Quarterly Economic Bulletin Volume VII Number 3 Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

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66. OUTSTANDING CREDIT OF THE COMMERCIAL BANK CLASSIFIED BY TYPE OF SECURITY

		(In Rupees Million)			
		Mid Month July			
Type of Security		1969	1970	1971	1972
Foreign Trade Credit		69.2	91.3	125.1	165.6
1. Export Credit ¹		32.0	40.3	66.3	88.1
(a) Export Bills		29.2	29.1	35.3	74.0
(b) Jute and Hessian		2.8	11.2	31.0	14.1
2. Import Credit		37.2	51.0	58.8	77.5
(a) Imported Goods		15.0	21.0	25.7	37.0
(b) Cloth and Yarns		22.2	30.0	33.1	40.5
Other Credit		159.7	224.1	243.7	320.3
1. Investment on H.M.G. Treasury Bills		-	-	-	-
2. Investment on H.M.G. Bonds		10.0	17.9	17.2	65.8
3. Investment on shares		.5	.5	.5	1.0
4. Credit against H.M.G. Bonds		.5	.4	4.1	7.0
5. Bills Purchased and Discounted		32.9	29.4	30.9	36.8
6. Gold and Silver		19.7	26.2	35.8	48.6
7. House and Land		3.5	3.9	3.8	4.1
(a) Current		151.2	183.2	183.7	219.3
1) Private Sector		127.0	142.4	166.5	201.0
2) Government		24.4	36.4	14.2	12.3
3) Interbank		2.8	4.4	3.0	4.0
(b) Fixed		109.3	143.7	193.3	338.3
(c) Savings		57.4	52.5	68.3	94.3

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66. OUTSTANDING CREDIT OF THE COMMERCIAL BANK CLASSIFIED BY TYPE OF SECURITY ¹

(In Rupees Million)

Type of Security	Mid Month July			
	1969	1970	1971	1972
8. Fixed deposits receipts Share and Other documents	4.2	13.8	9.2	16.7
9. Grains and Other agricultural Production ²	52.8	70.5	83.5	72.8
10. Un-secured Credits ³	2.6	5.5	8.9	4.7
11. Miscellaneous ⁴	33.0	56.0	49.8	62.8
Total	228.9	315.4	368.8	485.9

1. Including overdrafts against bank guarantee and advances against bills for Collection.

2. Figures Classified into credit for exports and imports are not available separately.

3. Includes dues from Companies in liquidation, dues from sundry parties (suitsfield), advances to staff and other advances.

4. Figures Classified into Credit for exports and imports are not available separately.

Source:- Quarterly Economic Bulletin Volume VII Number 3 Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

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67. OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE GIVEN BY NEPAL INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, CLASSIFIED BY INDUSTRY

(In Rupees Million)

Purpose	Mid Month July				January
	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Direct Loans	36.3	42.0	51.6	50.5	53.9
Manufacturing	14.7	13.5	18.7	14.1	15.9
Transport	4.1	6.5	6.6	7.3	7.9
Electricity	2.1	1.7	4.7	4.0	3.5
Hotel	10.7	10.9	15.4	18.6	18.9
Services	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.9	4.9
Miscellaneous	.6	6.1	2.6	2.6	2.7
Guarantee for Loans	4.4	4.0	3.1	3.0	3.0
Hotel	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
Manufacturing	2.0	1.8	.9	.8	.8
Miscellaneous	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Stock Participation	4.0	4.8	5.6	5.7	5.8
Electricity	2.3	2.3	2.8	3.2	3.2
Manufacturing	1.2	1.8	.6	1.6	2.2
Miscellaneous	.5	.7	2.2	.9	.4

Source:- Quarterly Economic Bulletin Volume VII Number 3 Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

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68. OUTSTANDING LOANS ADVANCED BY AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT BANK, CLASSIFIED BY INDUSTRY

(In Rupees Thousand)

Industry	Mid-month			
	1970 July	1971 July	1972 October	1973 January
1. Agricultural production and farm improvement ¹	12,014	18,745	29,511	37,116
2. Agro cottage industry	1,534	2,640	-	-
3. Agro Business	1,955	3,618	4,870	5,035
4. Marketing and ware house construction	2,681	3,278	6,719 ³	7,213 ³
5. Miscellaneous ²	-	3,077	3,295	3,441
Total	18,184	31,358	44,395	52,805

1. Includes Irrigation.

2. Includes Fruit farming and Tea fanning.

3. Includes agro and Cottage Industry.

Source:- Quarterly Economic Bulletin Volume VII Number 3 Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

XII. MONEY, BANKING AND CREDIT

69. CREDIT OPERATIONS OF THE FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

(In Rupees Thousand)				(In Rupees Thousand)		
				1971-72		
Item				Loans Disbursed	Loans Recovered	Loans Out standing
1. Nepal Industrial						
Development Corp.				7,683	8,789	50,468
(a) Manufacturing				445	4,570	14,096
(b) Transport				2,086	1,348	7,291
(c) Electricity				829	1,541	4,027
(d) Hotel				3,461	365	18,540
(e) Services				606	730	3,932
(f) Miscellaneous				257	235	2,582
2. Agricultural						
Development Bank				23,463	13,499	41,365
(a) Agricultural Production and Farm Improvement ¹				17,257	10,195	26,843
(b) Agro and Cottage Industry				2,367	1,132	3,709
(c) Agro Business				2,052	928	4,727
(d) Marketing & Ware house Construction				712	903	2,842
(e) Miscellaneous ²				1,075	341	3,244

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XII. MONEY, BANKING AND CREDIT

69. CREDIT OPERATIONS OF THE FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

(In Rupees Thousand)

Item	1971-72		
	Loans Disbursed	Loans Recovered	Loans Out standing
3. Land Reform Saving Corporation	37,886	16,677	43,666
(a) Institutions	22,702	12,856	18,393
(b) Individuals	1,171	538	4,056
(c) Ward/Village Committees	10,544	1,025	15,410
(d) Co-operative	1,160	632	1,423
(e) Miscellaneous	2,309	1,621	4,384
4. Provident Fund Corporation	12,955	5,587	36,286
(a) Hotel	-	-	5,000
(b) Transport Organisation	-	-	5,586
(c) To Govt. Employees	10,226	4,508	16,576
(d) Miscellaneous	2,729	1,079	9,124

1. Includes Irrigation.

2. Includes fruit farming and tea farming.

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

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70. INTEREST RATE STRUCTURE OF THE BANKING AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Item	Lending rates of the Financial institutions in Agricultural Sector		Rastra Banks Refinance rate to Financial institutions in Agricultural Sector	
	Before 14, April 1971	Effective 14, April 1971	Before 14, April 1971	Effective 14, April 1971
1. Short term Credit				
(a) To Institutions (for all purposes)	8.0	7.0	5.5	3.0
(b) To Individuals	9.5-10.0	-	5.5	-
(i) Fertilizers, pesticides and improved Seeds	-	10.0	5.5	6.0
(ii) Agricultural Marketing	-	9.5	5.5	5.5
(iii) Working capital for Agro-Industries	-	8.5	5.5	4.5
(iv) Dealers in Chemical Fertilizers, pesticides, Improved seeds and Agricultural Implement	-	7.5	5.5	5.5
2. Medium Term Credit				
(a) To Institutions	7.5	6.0	-	2.5
(b) To Individuals	9.5	-	-	-
(i) Cotton and Other priority Cash Crops	9.5	6.5	-	2.5

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XII. MONEY, BANKING AND CREDIT

70. INTEREST RATE STRUCTURE OF THE BANKING AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Item	Lending rates of the Financial institutions in Agricultural Sector		Rastra Banks Refinance rate to Financial institutions in Agricultural Sector	
	Before 14. April 1971	Effective 14. April 1971	Before 14. April 1971	Effective 14. April 1971
(ii) Tea, Herbs, Horticulture, Minor irrigation, Poultry, Animal husbandary and Fishery, Processing Industries, and Agricultural implements Accessories and spares	9.5	7.5	5.0	3.5
(iii) Other purposes (including Tractors)	9.5	9.0	5.0	5.5
(iv) Barn house	-	6.5	-	2.5
3. Long term Credit				
(a) To Institutions	5.0	3.5	-	2.0
(b) To Individuals	7.5 - 9.0	-	-	-
(i) Ware housing, Tea and Fruit plantation and processing	7.5 - 9.0	5.5	-	3.0
(ii) Other purposes	7.5 - 9.0	6.5	-	4.0

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

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71. INTEREST RATE STRUCTURE OF THE BANKING AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Item	Lending rates of the Nepal Industrial Development Corporation		Rastra Banks Refinance rate to Nepal Industrial Development Corporation	
	Effective 15. June 1971	Effective 29. May 1972	Effective 15. June 1971	Effective 29. May 1972
Large-scale Industries	7.5	-	5.0	-
Cottage and Small-Scale Industries				
(a) Short term	-	7.5	-	4.5
(b) Long term	-	4.5	-	2.0

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank

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72. RASTRA BANK'S REFINANCE RATE TO COMMERCIAL BANKS

Item	Before 14. April 1971	Effective 14. April 1971
Export Bills	6.0	5.0
A.B.C. (Against Export Documents)	-	5.5
Industrial Requisites	6.0	6.0
Agricultural Requisites	6.0	5.5
Development Requisites	-	5.5
Credit to priority Industries (Except Overdrafts)	6.0	4.5
Sugar	-	2.5

(Effective April 13, 1972)

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank

XIII. GOVERNMENT FINANCE

73. REVENUE OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT

Revenue Head	(In Rupees Million)			
	1968-69 Actual	1969-70 Actual	1970-71 Revised	1971-72 Budget
Taxes	368.3	411.3	390.1	481.5
Customs	183.6	193.5	150.3	219.6
Excise	28.0	38.1	49.4	58.1
Land	79.4	87.7	88.0	88.0
Registration	6.4	15.6	15.9	16.5
Income	16.7	19.6	19.8	22.5
Sales	48.0	51.1	60.6	65.0
Others	6.2	5.7	6.1	11.8
Other Revenue	44.7	52.7	61.6	79.2
Forest	21.1	17.7	12.5	22.5
Industries	7.3	6.4	6.6	8.0
Intrest & Dividends	8.2	18.9	33.4	37.5
Public Administration	4.6	4.8	6.4	8.0
Miscellaneous	3.5	4.9	2.7	3.2
Total	413.0	464.0	451.7	560.7

Source:- Ministry of Finance.

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74. REGULAR EXPENDITURE OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT CLASSIFIED BY VARIOUS SERVICES

				(In Rupees Million)			
	Item			1968-69 Actual	1969-70 Actual	1970-71 Revised	1971-72 Budget
	Economic Services			26.3	31.2	44.2	49.0
	Agriculture			0.7	0.8	6.5	7.1
	Irrigation			-	-	1.7	2.5
	Land Reform			-	-	5.4	4.4
	Survey			-	-	0.9	1.2
	Forest			4.2	4.6	3.7	4.7
	Industry and Mines			0.6	1.3	1.5	1.7
	Communication			6.5	6.1	9.1	10.0
	Transport			2.4	2.3	10.6	12.7
	Electricity			0.2	0.5	3.1	4.0
	Construction			7.6	10.1	-	-
	Others			4.1	5.5	1.7	0.7
	Social Services			26.2	33.0	67.7	76.9
	Education			13.8	16.4	29.4	37.6
	Health			7.0	11.8	14.2	17.4
	Drinking Water			-	-	1.0	1.2
	Panchayat			-	-	14.4	11.4
	Others			5.4	4.8	8.7	9.3
	Defence & Internal Security			74.9	79.5	95.0	100.4
	Defence			48.1	50.2	60.2	63.2
	Police & Jail			26.8	29.3	34.8	37.2
	Administration and Constitutional bodies			65.6	75.4	123.3	141.3
	Fiscal Administration			14.0	17.1	17.9	15.4
	Others			51.6	58.3	105.4	125.9
	Total			193.0	219.1	330.2	367.6

Source:- Ministry of Finance.

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75. DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT CLASSIFIED BY VARIOUS SERVICES

		(In Rupees Million)			
Item		1968-69 Actual	1969-70 Actual	1970-71 Revised	1971-72 Budget
Economic Services		278.5	388.4	409.3	629.3
Agriculture		20.8	35.3	49.6	64.3
Irrigation		-	-	19.8	44.3
Land Reform		9.0	8.9	4.8	3.7
Survey		-	-	6.1	7.4
Forest		4.7	8.2	7.7	18.7
Industry & Mines		12.3	17.8	41.3	83.9
Communication		6.8	8.7	12.4	10.0
Transport		5.5	27.1	238.6	349.8
Electricity		23.2	38.9	26.8	39.0
Construction		165.6	226.9	-	-
Others		30.6	16.6	2.2	8.2
Social Services		50.9	61.3	66.3	105.9
Education		23.7	25.8	23.4	39.9
Health		17.4	24.0	25.7	34.8
Drinking Water		-	-	9.3	9.4
Publicing & Broadcasting		1.2	1.7	-	-
Panchayat		8.6	9.8	6.7	18.1
Others		-	-	1.2	3.7
Fiscal Administration & Planning		14.8	15.0	13.4	34.6
Statistics & Survey		7.4	7.6	-	-
Planning & Statistics		-	-	5.6	6.5
Administrative Reform		-	-	0.8	2.3
Training project		0.2	0.2	-	-
Planning & Admt. Reform		0.9	1.4	-	-
Miscellaneous		6.3	5.8	7.0	25.8
Total		344.2	464.7	489.0	769.8

Source:- Ministry of Finance.

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76. OVERALL BUDGETARY POSITION OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT

				(In Rupees Million)			
	Item	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72		
		Actual	Actual	Revised	Budget		
Expenditure		537.2	683.8	819.2	1,137.4		
Regular		193.0	219.1	330.2	367.6		
Development		344.2	464.7	489.0	769.8		
Income		598.9	707.7	722.5	913.0		
Revenue		413.0	464.0	451.7	560.7		
Foreign Aid		185.9	243.7	270.8	352.3		
Savings (+) Deficit (-)		+61.7	+23.9	-96.7	-224.4		
Sources to meet Deficit.							
External Debt.		-	7.6	42.2	95.2		
Internal Debt.		19.6	20.0	30.0	90.0		
Balance Transfer							
Increase (-)		-81.3	-51.5	24.5	39.2		

Source:- Ministry of Finance.

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77. DEVELOPMENT AID RECEIVED FROM ABROAD CLASSIFIED BY COUNTRIES

(In Rupees Million)

Country	1968-69 Actual	1969-70 Actual	1970-71 Revised	1971-72 Budget
India	106.5	139.5	126.0	150.0
U.S.A.	38.5	43.7	59.0	67.2
China	37.6	48.5	60.0	69.1
U.S.S.R.	1.2	4.5	3.5	6.0
U.K.	1.3	5.1	7.0	13.0
Others	0.8	2.4	15.3	47.0
Total	185.9	243.7	270.8	352.3

Source:- Ministry of Finance.

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78. PATTERN OF OWNERSHIP OF GOVERNMENT BONDS

		(In Rupees Million)				
Government Bond Holders		Mid-Month July				Mid-Month
		1965	1970	1971	1972	Jan, 1973
A. Development Bonds ¹		20.6	57.5	87.5	137.5	137.5
1. Nepal Rastra Bank ²		3.0	.1	13.6	8.5	2.0
2. Commercial Banks		3.3	17.5	27.3	65.8	66.3
3. Financial Institutions ³		.8	11.7	12.5	22.8	24.2
4. Provident Funds ⁴		3.4	4.3	5.1	6.4	9.2
5. Government Business Enterprises ⁵		.5	1.4	1.9	1.9	1.9
6. Private Business Enterprises		.6	.5	.8	.8	.8
7. Individuals		6.9	18.3	21.4	26.6	29.3
8. Non-profit organizations ⁶		2.1	3.7	4.9	4.7	3.8
B. Land Compensation Bonds ⁷		.5	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9
1. Provident Fund Corporation ⁸		.2	.8	.8	.9	.9
2. Individuals		.3	.7	.8	.9	1.0
3. Non-profit organisations		-	-	-	-	-
C. Forest Compensation Bonds ⁹		5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5
1. Provident Fund Corporation		4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
2. Individuals		1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5

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78. PATTERN OF OWNERSHIP OF GOVERNMENT BONDS

(In Rupees Million)

Government Bond Holders	Mid-Month July				Mid-Month
	1965	1970	1971	1972	Jan. 1973
D. Non-interest Bearing Prize Bonds 2028					
1. Individuals	.9	.9	.9	-	-
	.9	.9	.9	-	-

1. First series of 6 per cent Development Bonds with a maturity period of 5 years floated on February 12, 1964; Second series of 6 per cent Development Bonds with a maturity period of 5 years floated on May 27, 1965. Third series of 7 per cent Development Bonds with a maturity period of 10 years floated on March 14, 1966.
2. Fourth series of 7 per cent Development Bonds with a maturity period of 6 years floated June 14, 1968. Fifth series of 7 per cent Development Bonds sold at 2 per cent discount rate with a maturity period of 8 years floated on February 12, 1969. Sixth series of $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent Development Bonds with a maturity period of 8 years floated on January 14, 1970. Seventh series of $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent Development Bonds with a maturity period of 8 years floated on June 15, 1971. Eighth series of $8\frac{1}{2}$ per cent Development Bonds with a maturity period of 10 years floated in June 1972.
2. Includes Development Bonds of a negligible amount held on account of cashier's security deposits.
3. Includes Nepal Industrial Development Corporation, Agricultural Development Bank & National Insurance Corporation.
4. Include Provident Fund Corporation and Other Provident Funds.
5. Include Government owned profit seeking enterprises.
6. Include profit seeking enterprises in the Private Sector.
7. Include Private and Semi-public Charitable Education and Religious Organisations.
8. 3 per cent Compensation Bonds with a maturity period of 10 years issued for the acquisition Birta Land.
9. 1 per cent Compensation Bonds with a maturity period of 20 years issued for the acquisition of private forests.

Source:- Quarterly Economic Bulletin Volume VII. Number 3 Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

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79 GOVERNMENT BALANCES WITH THE RASTRA BANK AND AT TREASURY OFFICES

(In Rupees Million)

Item	Mid-Month July					
	1957	1962	1967	1970	1971	1972
TOTAL CASH BALANCES	53.2	90.3	83.0	294.2	306.8	324.9
1. With the Rastra Bank						
(a) Central Government	34.8	86.5	74.3	277.6	297.7	313.6
(b) Government Offices	26.4	18.9	-	184.6	144.9	98.2
	8.4	67.6	74.3	93.0	152.8	215.4
2. At Treasury Offices						
(a) In Rupee (Notes and Coins)	18.4	3.8	8.7	16.6	9.1	11.3
(b) In Indian Rupee	10.0	3.3	8.6	16.6	9.1	11.3
(Notes and Coins) ¹	8.4	.5	.1	-	-	-

1. Indian notes and Coins held at Treasury Offices are Converted into Nepalese rupees at prevailing official exchange rates.

Source:- Quarterly Economic Bulletin Volume VII. Number 3 Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank

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80. FOREIGN EXCHANGE HOLDINGS OF THE BANKING SYSTEM

		(In Rupees Million)			
Item	Year	Mid-Month July			
		1969	1970	1971	1972
Rastra Bank		784.9	904.1	1020.7	1104.0
Gold Bullion and Coins		62.2	62.1	37.4	36.2
I.M.F. Gold tranche					
Position		24.6	24.7	27.2	31.7
S.D.R.S.		-	-	10.8	24.3
Foreign Exchange		698.1	817.3	945.3	1011.8
(a) Convertible		524.1	602.2	719.1	833.2
(b) In convertible		174.0	215.1	226.2	178.6
Commercial Banks					
Foreign Exchange		100.7	92.6	76.5	122.3
(a) Convertible		39.3	42.2	40.0	60.8
(b) In convertible		61.4	50.4	36.5	61.5
Total		885.6	996.7	1097.2	1226.3

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

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81. NEPALESE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF CONVERTIBLE FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Item	Year			(In Rupees Million)
	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73 (1st. Quarter)
Income	281	255	302	96
Gorkha Ramettances	46	49	66	5
Tourists Expenditure	13	17	21	8
Interest on Investments abroad	41	41	43	22
Visible Exports	109	87	89	49
Diplomatic Missions	9	11	17	2
Foreign Aid	22	7	22	12
Miscellaneous	41	43	44	-2
Expenditure	189	171	254	67
Interest on Borrowing	2	6	3	-
Others	10	7	18	4
Visible Imports *	135	79	113	52
Diplomatic Missions	14	14	16	2
Miscellaneous	28	65	104	9
Surples (+)	+92	+84	+48	+29

* Includes the goods imported under the bonus scheme.

Note:- Foreign Currencies have been converted into rupees at buying rates.

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

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82. SALE AND PURCHASE OF INDIAN CURRENCY BY THE BANKING SYSTEM

Sector	(In Rupees Million)			
	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72
Nepal Rastra Bank				
Sales	1135.95	1276.19	1398.29	3086.67
Purchase	2796.17	2632.76	2632.67	3891.60
Balance	+1660.22	+1356.57	+1234.38	+804.93
Nepal Bank Limited				
Sales	3240.69	3637.27	3856.78	4038.13
Purchase	2757.28	3301.89	4085.30	3992.12
Balance	-483.41	-335.38	+228.52	-46.01
Rastriya Banijya Bank				
Sales	1104.70	1472.95	1362.23	1493.89
Purchase	949.64	1386.31	1500.83	1620.62
Balance	-155.06	-86.64	+138.60	+126.73
Total				
Sales	5,481.34	6,386.41	6,617.30	8,618.69
Purchase	6,503.09	7,320.96	8,218.80	9,504.34
Balance	+1,021.75	+934.55	+1,601.50	+885.65

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

XIV. EXTERNAL PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE

83. DIRECT EXTERNAL DEBT OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT¹

(In Rupees Thousand)

Item	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72
1. Borrowings in				
(a) Pound Sterling ²	919	8,746	20,077	38,449
(b) Rouble ³	290	7,722	3,227	11,155
(c) Indian Rupees ⁴	-	-	-	-
(d) U.S. Dollar ⁵	629	611	-	-
(e) Canadian Dollar ⁶	-	413	6,189	17,982
(f) Deutsche Mark ⁷	-	-	10,661	-
2. Repayment of Principal in				
(a) Pound Sterling	8,218	28,067	2,9959	9,312
(b) Rouble	629	15,609	-	2,684
(c) India Rupee	6,767	11,460	-	485
(d) U.S. Dollar	822	998	1,841	910
(e) Canadian Dollar	-	-	1,154	1,289
(f) Deutsche Mark	-	-	-	-
3. Payment of Interest and Fees in				
(a) Pound Sterling	1,704	2,028	571	2,182
(b) Rouble	895	1,211	-	-
(c) Indian Rupee	493	332	47	-
(d) U.S. Dollar	316	485	515	376
(e) Canadian Dollar	-	-	9	1,787
(f) Deutsche Mark	-	-	-	-
4. Net Borrowings in (1-2)				
(a) Pound Sterling (1a-2a)	-7,299	-19,321	17,082	35,765
(b) Rouble (1b-2b)	-339	-7,887	3,227	10,670
(c) Indian Rupee (1c-2c)	-6,767	-11,460	-1,841	-910
(d) U.S. Dollar (1d-2d)	-193	-387	-1,154	-1,289
(e) Canadian Dollar (1e-2e)	-	413	6,189	17,982
(f) Deutsche Mark (1f-2f)	-	-	10,661	-
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83. DIRECT EXTERNAL DEBT OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT

(In Rupees Thousand)

Item	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72
5. Outstanding Borrowings in	40,934	21,613	38,695	74,587
(a) Pound Sterling (cumulative of 4a)				
(b) Rouble (cumulative of 4b)	15,624	5,737	8,964	19,634
(c) Indian Rupee (cumulative of 4c)	14,211	2,751	910	-
(d) U.S. Dollar (cumulative of 4d)	13,099	12,712	11,558	10,396
(e) Canadian Dollar (cumulative of 4e)	-	413	6,602	24,584
(f) Deutsche Mark (cumulative of 4f)	-	-	10,661	10,661
	-	-	-	9,312

- Figures from the year 1969-70 onward has been revised and may not agree with the previously published figures, as various new loans contracted and partially utilized during the year were not indicated in the previous figures.
- Lender: (a) U. K. Government, agreed amount, Pound Sterling 2,375 thousand and Pound Sterling 100 thousand.
- Lender: (a) U. S. S. R. Government, agreed amount, Rouble 2,500 thousand.
- Lender: (a) Export/Import Bank 1960, agreed amount, \$1 million.
(b) Indian Loan 1964, out of agreed amount IC, 10 million, 7 million for N. I. D.C. and 3 million for Department of Cottage Industries.
- Lender: (a) IDA, Agreed amount \$1,700 thousand and \$2,500 thousand.
(b) ADB, Agreed amount \$6,010 thousand, \$4,000 thousand, \$4,500 thousand.
- Lender: Canadian Government, Agreed amount Canadian Dollar 1,200 thousand.
- Lender: (a) KFW, Agreed amount DM 5,000 thousand.

Source:- Quarterly Economic Bulletin Volume VII Number 3 Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

XIV. EXTERNAL PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE
84. INDIRECT EXTERNAL DEBT OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT¹

(In Rupees Thousand)				
	Year			
	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72
1. Borrowings in				
(a) U.S. Dollar ²	1,107	4,487	10,931	425
(b) Deutsche Mark ³	-	-	-	-
(c) Indian Rupee ⁴	531	916	1,144	254
(d) Japanese Yen ⁵	576	3,571	9,787	-
2. Repayment of Principal in				
(a) U.S. Dollar	418	633	642	710
(b) Deutsche Mark	-	175	184	194
(c) Indian Rupee	418	458	458	516
(d) Japanese Yen	-	-	-	-
3. Payment of interest and Fees in				
(a) U.S. Dollar	988	995	1,165	1,968
(b) Deutsche Mark	171	136	109	351
(c) Indian Rupee	222	243	208	299
(d) Japanese Yen	605	616	848	1,318
4. Net Borrowings in (1-2)				
(a) U.S. Dollar (1a-2a)	689	3,854	10,289	-285
(b) Deutsche Mark (1b-2b)	-	-175	-184	-194
(c) Indian Rupee (1c-2c)	113	458	686	-262
(d) Japanese Yen (1d-2d)	576	3,571	9,787	-
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84. INDIRECT EXTERNAL DEBT OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT¹

Item	(In Rupees Thousand)			
	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72
5. Outstanding Borrowings in				
(a) U.S. Dollar (cumulative of 4a)	22,597	26,876	37,165	38,318
(b) Deutsche Mark (cumulative of 4b)	3,454	3,279	3,095	2,091
(c) Indian Rupee (cumulative of 4c)	4,481	5,364 ⁶	6,050	6,591
(d) Japanese Yen (cumulative of 4d)	14,662	18,233	28,020	28,655
	-	-	-	171

1. External loans borrowed by the Nepal Industrial Development Corporation and repayment guaranteed by His Majesty's Government.
2. Lenders: US/AID (367-H003/1963, and DLF (125/1961): Agreed amount \$1 million and \$400 thousand respectively.
3. Lenders: Kreditanstalt Fur Wiederaufbau: Agreed amount: DM 2 million (1964) and DM 2 million (1966).
4. Lenders: US/AID 367-D004/1963, (367-D006/1966): Agreed amounts \$0.6 million equivalent of Indian rupee; \$2 million equivalent of Indian rupee respectively.
5. Lenders: Japan Government: Agreed amount 360.0 million.
6. Total outstanding borrowings have been increased due to the change in conversion rates also.

Source:- Quarterly Economic Bulletin Volume VII Number 3 issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

XIV. EXTERNAL PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE

85. VALUE OF EXPORTS BY INDUSTRY

Industry	(In Rupees Million)		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
0. Food and live animals	202.0	252.7	296.3
1. Tobacco & Beverages	1.2	3.1	2.2
2. Crude materials, inedibles except Fuel	103.7	167.2	120.5
3. Mineral fuels & lubricatings	0.0	0.1	0.0
4. Animal & Vegetable oils & fats	1.0	0.5	1.6
5. Chemicals	0.6	1.9	1.3
6. Manufactured goods Classified Chiefly by materials	78.0	135.8	47.9
7. Machinery and transport equipments	0.4	0.2	0.2
8. Miscellaneous Manufactured articles	5.7	10.3	19.0
9. Commodities & transactions not Classified according to kind	0.4	0.4	0.2
Total	393.0	572.2	489.2

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

XIV. EXTERNAL PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE

86. VALUE OF IMPORTS BY INDUSTRY

Industry	(In Rupees Million)		
	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
0. Food and live animals	85.8	104.4	157.2
1. Tobacco & Beverages	7.5	8.1	11.0
2. Crude materials, inedibles except fuels	44.4	50.8	52.4
3. Mineral fuels & lubricatings	42.3	72.9	87.9
4. Animal & vegetable oils & fats	9.9	6.9	8.1
5. Chemicals	32.2	52.3	64.8
6. Manufactured goods Classified Chiefly by materials	178.6	336.3	336.9
7. Machinery and transport equipments	37.4	58.8	78.9
8. Miscellaneous Manufactured articles	38.7	56.6	56.9
9. Commodities & transactions not Classified according to kind	1.0	0.8	0.6
Total	477.8	747.9	854.7

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

XIV. EXTERNAL PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE

87. VALUE OF EXPORTS OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Commodities	(In Rupees Million)				
	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Rice	78.7	167.7	124.0	149.4	175.2
Raw Jute	56.8	46.6	44.8	70.8	42.6
Clarified Butter	24.3	19.6	19.8	24.6	23.6
Mustard Seeds, red	21.9	21.9	14.1	16.3	12.4
Pulses: split	17.9	16.6	-	-	-
Maize	13.2	9.7	14.3	7.2	18.8
Potato	11.9	2.8	-	-	-
Rice unmilled	11.5	17.2	16.8	16.5	18.6
Oil Cake	9.5	8.8	5.6	6.7	10.3
Jute Products nec.	3.7	5.9	31.4	40.5	28.4
Raw Leather	-	-	0.8	2.9	10.7
Herbs	-	-	1.5	3.5	4.0

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics

XIV. EXTERNAL PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE

88. VALUE OF IMPORTS OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

	(In Rupees Million)				
Commodities	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Cotton fabrics, Woven	228.0	106.8	101.2	180.1	180.5
Cigarettes	40.6	5.6	-	-	-
Medicines	18.5	13.1	19.5	23.7	35.9
Diesel oil	18.3	6.3	12.8	18.1	28.2
Petrol (Gasoline)	17.7	16.9	9.5	20.1	22.9
Kerosene oil	17.3	20.3	13.1	20.9	24.4
Coal	14.8	11.5	-	-	-
Colour paints	3.8	2.1	-	-	-
Motor, Jeep, Truck etc.	10.7	3.3	-	-	-
Tea Coffee	9.9	3.7	6.7	11.4	11.2
Spices	-	-	7.7	10.3	13.4
Salt	-	-	7.7	9.0	8.1
Shoes	-	-	6.3	11.1	9.0
Bakery & Toffi	-	-	6.2	6.2	10.6

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

XIV. EXTERNAL PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE
89. EXPORTS OF GOODS TO OVERSEAS COUNTRIES

Item	(In Rupees Million)			
	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72
Raw Jute	68.4	42.6 ¹	33.3	61.5
Jute Cuttings	10.5	-	2.7	2.1
Jute goods	26.4	22.9	23.0	38.1
Musk	4.1	2.9	2.9	.9
Bristle	14.3	16.7	8.0	2.4
Feather	.3	.9	-	-
Curio goods	1.9	4.0	1.9	1.1
Mica	9.3	9.3	.9	-
Carpet	.6	1.2	.8	.8
Miscellaneous (Oil seeds, Candies, Monkeys, Goat's skin, Cow bezards etc.)	10.2	14.2	11.5	7.7
Total	146.0	114.7	85.0	114.6

1. Jute Cuttings are included.

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

XIV. EXTERNAL PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE

90. IMPORTS OF GOODS FROM OVERSEAS COUNTRIES

Item	(In Rupees Million)			
	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72
Machineries and Spare Parts	5.5	12.2	4.7	18.3
Raw Materials	20.3	29.1	5.0	11.5
Buildings, Constructional, Electerical and Household Materials	5.1	5.8	5.9	11.9
Vehicles:				
Cars, Trucks, Scooters and Motor-cycles etc.	1.8	3.5	7.3	11.1
Readymade Garments, Cloth, Socks and Carpets	4.8	11.7	26.0	26.7
Radios, Transistors, Record-players etc.	0.8	2.2	0.9	0.9
Beverages and Tobacco	3.3	1.8	2.1	4.2
Medicine and Medicinal Goods	0.6	3.1	1.6	4.7
Agricultural Tools and Implements, Fertilisers and other Materials	3.6	4.6	1.5	7.7
Stationery Goods	0.1	0.6	2.2	3.7
Laboratory Equipments	1.7	9.8	1.6	1.8
Food and Food Articles	8.5	2.5	0.8	17.2
Watch and Watch-Materials	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.0
Photogtaphic Goods	0.2	0.9	0.4	1.1
Miscellaneous	33.2	34.0	24.1	17.7
Total	89.8	122.0	84.3	138.5

1. Includes import of development goods and import under bonus.

Source:- Nepal Rastra Bank.

XV. PLANS

91. PROVISION AND EXPENDITURE OF THE FIRST PLAN (1956-1961) BY INDUSTRY

Industry	Provision	Expenditure
Village Development	42.50	26.70
Agriculture and Forest	32.00	6.90
Transport, Communication & Construction	124.00	94.90
Electricity	30.00	13.30
Industry, Mines & Tourism	25.00	10.40
Health	25.00	16.00
Education	19.00	21.20
Irrigation & Drinking water	20.00	13.10
Miscellaneous	12.50	11.80
Total	330.00	214.30

Source:- Third Year Plan (1962-1965) issued by Ministry of Economic Planning H. M. G.

XV. PLANS

92. PROVISION AND EXPENDITURE OF THE SECOND PLAN (1962-1965) BY INDUSTRY

(In Rupees Million)

Industry	Provision	Expenditure
General reformation	79.20	51.81
Land reformation Administration	2.50	3.77
Cadastral Survey	10.00	7.57
Agriculture debt	3.00	-
Reform in Administrative System	5.00	.72
Panchayat	20.00	31.28 ¹
Survey & Statistics	23.00	2.76 ²
Training	12.50	1.48 ³
Broadcasting	3.20	4.23
Transport, Communication & Electricity	234.50	230.87
Road	112.50	63.41 ⁴
Aviation	25.00	22.80
Post & Communication	6.00	7.33
Electricity	91.00	137.33
Agriculture, Irrigation & Forest	81.60	87.31
Irrigation	40.00	50.25
Agriculture	28.20	22.46
Forest and Botany	13.40	14.60

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XV. PLANS

92. PROVISION AND EXPENDITURE OF THE SECOND PLAN (1962-1965) BY INDUSTRY

(In Rupees Million)

Industry	Provision	Expenditure
Industry & Tourism	102.00	103.70
Industry	90.00	93.62 ⁵
Cottage Industry	10.00	9.28
Tourism	2.00	.80
Social Services	102.70	95.31
Education	40.00	48.99
Health	37.00	45.82
Drinking Water	24.00	- ⁶
Sports & Recreation	1.70	.50
Miscellaneous	-	27.82 ⁷
Total	600.00	596.82

1. Including Corporations.
2. Water resources survey only. Other surveys are included in their own heads.
3. Accountant Training & Engineering School only. Other Trainings are included in their own heads.
4. Rail & ropeway are also included.
5. Including mines.
6. Included in Irrigation.
7. Expences on various projects under Contingency heads including Building.

Source:- Third Plan (1965-1970) issued by Ministry of Economic Planning, H. M. G.

XV. PLANS

93. PROVISION OF THE THIRD PLAN (1965-1970) BY INDUSTRY AND SECTOR

		(In Rupees Million)			
	Industry	Public Sector	Panchayat Sector	Private Sector	Total
Transport, Communication & Electricity		875.00	36.00	20.00	931.00
Agriculture & rural Development		377.50	120.00	150.00	647.50
Industry & Mines		125.00	12.00	300.00	437.00
Social Services		292.50	72.00	50.00	414.50
Miscellaneous		70.00	-	-	70.00
Total		1,740.00	240.00*	520.00*	2,500.00

* Rs 40 Millions for Panchayat Sector and 170 Millions for Private Sector is to be obtained from Public resources.

Source: Third Plan (1965-1970) issued by Ministry of Economic Planning, H. M. G.

XV. PLANS

94. PROVISION OF THE FOURTH PLAN (1970-1975) BY INDUSTRY AND SECTOR

(In Rupees Million)

Industry	Public Sector	Panchayat Sector	Private Sector	Total
Transport & Communication	1050.00	52.00	150.00	1252.00
Agriculture, Irrigation, Forest, Banaspati and Land Reform	662.80	39.00	470.00	1171.80
Trade Industry, Electricity & Mines	470.00	-	250.00	720.00
Panchayat, Education, Health & others social services	352.50	29.00	-	381.50
Statistics	14.70	-	-	14.70
Total	2550.00*	120.00**	870.00	3540.00

*. Rs 20 Million is included for Agriculture Development Bank and for Nepal Industrial Development Corporation to increase its share capital.

** Rs 20 Million is to be obtained from Public resources.

Source: Fourth Plan (1970-1975) issued by National Planning Commission, H.M.G.

XV. PLANS

95. TARGET AND ACHIEVEMENT OF MAJOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS IN THE THIRD PLAN

(In Thousand Metric Tons)

Item	Target	Achievement			
	1969-70	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69
Cereals					
Paddy	2,368	2,207	2,207	2,217	2,322
Maze	918	856	824	875	900
Wheat and Barly	425	175	187	216	256
Millet and Bugwheat	65	120	120	112	120
Total	3,776	3,358	3,338	3,420	3,598
Cash Crop					
Sugarcane	252	192	147	167	188
Oil seed	60	51	56	56	57
Tobacco	24	9	5	5	6
Jute	54	39	38	39	N-A
Total	390	291	246	267	251

Source:- Fourth Plan (1970-1975) issued by National Planning Commission, H.M.G

XVI. GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

96. ESTIMATES OF GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT BY INDUSTRY (AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES)

(In Rupees Million)

Item	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Agriculture	4,883	5,357	5,927	6,040
Mining	1	5	4	1
Manufacturing	137	212	195	215
Construction	134	144	192	213
Transport & Communication	120	141	192	234
Cottage Industry	488	536	593	604
Financial Institutions	87	106	128	139
Ownership of Dwelling	698	714	729	745
Pub. Adm. & Defence	154	166	199	215
Electricity	10	16	18	20
Wholesale & Retail Trade	243	354	363	372
Services	219	235	256	279
Total	7,174	7,986	8,796	9,077

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

XIV. GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

97. PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT BY INDUSTRY (AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES)

Item	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Agriculture	66.07	67.09	67.39	66.54
Mining	0.01	0.06	0.05	0.01
Manufacturing	1.91	2.65	2.22	2.37
Construction	1.87	1.80	2.18	2.35
Transport & Communication	1.67	1.77	2.18	2.58
Cottage Industry	6.80	6.71	6.74	6.65
Financial Institutions	1.21	1.33	1.46	1.53
Ownership of Dwellings	9.73	8.94	8.28	8.21
Pub. Administration and Defence	2.15	2.08	2.26	2.37
Electricity	0.14	0.20	0.20	0.22
Wholesale and Retail Trade	3.39	4.43	4.13	4.10
Services	3.05	2.94	2.91	3.07
Total	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

XVI GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

98. ESTIMATES OF GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT CONSTANT PRICES

(In Rupees Million)

Year	Agriculture	Non-Agriculture	Total
1964-65	3,654	1,948	5,602
1965-66	4,082	1,912	5,994
1966-67	3,914	1,992	5,906
1967-68	3,935	2,008	5,943
1968-69	4,053	2,155	6,208
1969-70	4,193	2,193	6,386
1970-71	4,219	2,163	6,382

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

XVI. GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

99. ESTIMATES OF PER-CAPITA GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT CURRENT AND CONSTANT PRICES

(Population Figures in Million)

Year	Population	Per Capita G. D. P. at Current Price	Per Capita G. D. P. at Constant Price
1964-65	10.10	555	555
1965-66	10.26	672	583
1966-67	10.46	613	565
1967-68	10.65	674	558
1968-69	10.85	736	572
1969-70	11.04	797	578
1970-71	11.29	804	565

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics

XVI. GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

100. ESTIMATES OF CAPITAL FORMATION BY SECTOR

(In Rupees Million)

Year	Total	Manufacturing	Construction
(a) At Current Prices			
1964-65	313.1	63.0	250.1
1965-66	289.4	56.4	233.0
1966-67	277.1	34.4	242.7
1967-68	318.6	38.3	280.3
1968-69	359.5	66.6	292.9
1969-70	483.6	93.4	390.2
(b) At Constant Prices			
1964-65	313.1	63.0	250.1
1965-66	277.6	53.9	223.7
1966-67	254.0	30.7	223.3
1967-68	270.2	33.2	237.0
1968-69	324.7	55.8	268.9
1969-70	396.6	76.9	319.7

Source:- Central Bureau of Statistics.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

101. NUMBER OF TOURISTS BY MAJOR NATIONALITY, 1966 to 1970

Nationality	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970
U.S.A	5,505	7,848	9,550	12,818	14,346
G. Britain	1,574	2,436	3,192	4,413	5,211
France	1,144	1,736	2,427	3,290	5,280
Germany	1,103	1,464	2,159	2,846	4,600
Australia	332	603	1,027	1,590	2,229
Japan	289	551	794	1,439	2,314
Canada	294	434	700	980	1,512
Switzerland	296	420	698	851	1,421
Italy	133	324	459	827	1,466
Denmark	306	353	293	826	1,192
Others	1,591	1,924	2,910	5,021	6,397
Total	12,567	18,093	24,209	34,901	45,970

Source:- Department of Tourism.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

102. NUMBER OF TOURISTS BY SEX AND MAJOR NATIONALITY, 1970

Nationality	Total	Male	Female
U.S.A.	14,346	7,231	7,115
France	5,280	2,946	2,334
U.K.	5,211	3,139	2,072
Germany	4,600	2,916	1,684
Japan	2,314	1,790	524
Australia	2,229	1,061	1,168
Canada	1,512	794	718
Italy	1,468	856	612
Switzerland	1,421	889	532
Denmark	1,192	670	522
Sweden	789	435	354
Netherlands	718	422	296
Belgium	567	319	248
Austria	512	328	184
Others	3,811	2,360	1,451
Total	45,970	26,156	19,814

Source:- Department of Tourism.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

103. FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNING FROM TOURISM, 1961-62 to 1970-71

(In Thousand)

Year	U. S. Dollar	Sterling	D. Mark	Swiss Franc	Japanese Yen.
1961-62	62	6	-	-	-
1962-63	98	8	1	1	79
1963-64	148	16	1	1	56
1964-65	175	12	13	10	21
1965-66	230	58	21	7	11
1966-67	564	67	153	24	8
1967-68	655	53	124	17	119
1968-69	770	78	71	12	1,136
1969-70	1,015	107	114	36	743
1970-71*	1,379	103	171	123	612

* In addition 45 Thousand French Franc and one Thousand Canadian dollars were also earned during the year.

Source:- Department of Tourism.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

104. NUMBER OF NEWSPAPERS BY LANGUAGES AND DISTRICTS

	Daily			Weekly	
	Nepali	English	Newari	Nepali	English
Kathmandu	16	6	1	20	2
Lalitpur				1	-
Bhaktapur				1	-
Morang	3	-	-	4	-
Sunsari				3	-
Saptari				1	-
Mahotari				8	-
Bara				1	-
Jhapa				4	-
Kaski				3	-
Bhojpur				1	-
Nawalparasi	1	-	-	2	-
Baglung				2	-
Makawanpur				1	-
Total	20	6	1	52	2

Source:- Department of Information.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

105. NUMBER OF FARM FAMILIES AND THE AMOUNT OF LOAN DESIRED FOR PRODUCTION BY PURPOSE, 1969-70

Particulars	(Amount in Rs.)					
	Total		Hills		Tarai	
	Number of farm families	Amount of loan desired	Number of farm families	Amount of loan desired	Number of farm families	Amount of loan desired
Seeds	405	65,892	111	8,766	294	57,126
Fertilizers	275	52,238	164	22,522	111	29,716
Pesticides	150	14,868	73	2,728	77	12,140
Other operational costs	430	1,07,413	100	25,280	330	82,133
Others	3	820	-	-	3	820
Total	1,263	2,41,231	448	59,296	815	1,81,935

Source:- Agricultural Credit Survey, Nepal Summary and Recommendations volume IV Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

106. AVERAGE SHORT-TERM DESIRED PRODUCTION CREDIT PER REPORTING FARM FAMILIES-BY PURPOSE, 1969-70

(Amount in Rs.)

Particulars	Hills	Tarai
Total Average	777	1,392
Large	1,407	2,181
Medium	515	1,244
Small	411	751
Seeds Average	207	292
Large	457	457
Medium	117	320
Small	46	98
Fertilizers Average	205	405
Large	216	934
Medium	291	180
Small	109	100
Pesticides Average	99	206
Large	200	198
Medium	66	346
Small	30	76
Other operational costs Average	266	398
Large	534	592
Medium	41	398
Small	226	204
Others Average	-	91
Large	-	-
Medium	-	-
Small	-	273

Source:- Agricultural Credit Survey, Nepal Summary and Recommendations Volume IV Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

107. DEMAND FOR LONG-TERM LOANS-BY PURPOSE, 1969-70

(In number)

Size Group/ Region	Total	Tractor	Purchase of land	Irrigation	Improvement on land	Others
Large	191	27	72	55	28	9
Hills	53	-	24	1	22	6
Tarai	138	27	48	54	6	3
Medium	162	4	92	36	25	5
Hills	56	-	37	-	16	3
Tarai	106	4	55	36	9	2
Small	910	1	706	105	91	7
Hills	381	-	319	6	54	2
Tarai	529	1	387	99	37	5

Source:- Agricultural Credit Survey, Nepal Summary and Recommendations Volume IV Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

108. OVERALL AVERAGE HOLDING OF ASSETS PER FARM FAMILY, 1969-70

(Amount in Rs.)

Item	Amount		
	Total	Hills	Tarai
Land	11,670	10,342	12,316
Building	2,095	2,355	1,969
Bullock	634	188	851
Milch animal	580	721	511
Other livestock	173	141	188
Machineries, tools and transport equipments	274	85	366
Shares and deposits in Co-operative societies and banks	21	19	21
Loans and advances	192	356	113
Compulsory savings deposits	107	31	144
Cash in hand	304	139	384
Other assets	724	664	754
Total	16,774	15,041	17,617

Source:- Agricultural Credit Survey, Nepal Summary and Recommendations volume IV
Issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

XVII. MISCELLANEOUS

109. EXCHANGE RATES

Country	Unit	Buying Rate	Selling Rate
Burma	Kyats 100	Rs 187.50	Rs 191.00
Canada	\$ 1	Rs 10.47	Rs 10.63
India	IRs 100	Rs 139.00	Rs 139.15
Switzerland	SFr 1	Rs 3.28	Rs 3.32
Japan	Rs 100	Yen 2667.00	Yen 2607.00
U.S.A.	\$ 1	Rs 10.10	Rs 10.20
United Kingdom	£ 1	Rs 24.28	Rs 24.78
West Germany	DM 1	Rs 3.97	Rs 4.05

Note:-

These days the exchange rates of Pound sterling, West German mark, Swiss franc, Japanese yen and Canadian dollar are in floating position.

The exchange rate of these Currencies given in this table is of December 18, 1973.

Source: Nepal Rastra Bank.

XVIII. INTERNATIONAL COMPARISON

110. ESTIMATED POPULATION OF THE FIRST TEN COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD

(Figures in Million)

Countries	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
China	733.54	746.84	760.26	773.66	787.18
India	498.75	511.21	523.98	537.05	550.37
U.S.S.R.	235.99	238.32	240.55	242.77	245.07
U.S.A.	198.63	200.62	202.60	204.80	207.01
Indonesia	110.08	115.15	117.61	121.20	124.89
Pakistan	107.26	109.52	111.83	114.19	116.60
Japan	99.87	101.00	102.20	103.39	104.66
F.R. of Germany	57.70	58.02	58.71	59.43	59.18
U.K.	54.99	55.30	55.55	55.73	-
Nigeria	51.12	52.39	53.70	55.07	56.51
Nepal	10.46	10.65	10.85	-	11.56*

* Final figure according to population Census, 1971.

Source: Demographic Yearbook 1971, issued by United Nations Organisation.

Source: Agricultural Credit Survey, Nepal: Summary and Recommendations, 1971, issued by Nepal Rural Bank.

XVIII. INTERNATIONAL COMPARISON

III. AREA POPULATION AND DENSITY OF THE FIRST TEN COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD

(Based on 1971 data)

Countries	Population (000)	Area (Km) ²	Density
China	7,87,176	95,96,961	82
India	5,50,374	32,80,483	168
U.S.S.R.	2,45,066	2,24,02,200	11
U.S.A.	2,07,006	93,63,123	22
Indonesia	1,24,894	14,91,564	84
Pakistan	1,16,598	9,46,719	123
Japan	1,04,661	3,70,073	283
F.R. of Germany	59,175	2,47,973	239
U.K.	55,566	2,44,044	228
Nigeria	56,510	9,23,768	61
Nepal	11,556	1,40,797	82

Source:- Demographic Yearbook issued by United Nations Organisation.

XVIII. INTERNATIONAL COMPARISON

112. ESTIMATES OF TOTAL AND PER CAPITA NATIONAL INCOME IN MARKET PRICES BY REGION, 1969

Region	Total (In Billions of U. S. Dollars)	Per capita (In U. S. Dollars)
Africa	60.0	170
North America	914.5	4,080
Caribbean and Latin America	121.4	450
Asia		
1. Middle-east	39.9	390
ii. East and South-east	262.1	240
iii. East and South-east excluding Japan	118.0	120
Europe	616.0	1,850
1. European Economic Community	388.1	2,070
ii. European free trade Association	189.2	1,890
iii. Other Europe	38.7	850
Oceania	35.9	1,900

Note:- The total was arrived at after making a rough estimates for territories not listed for the region. The estimates for aggregates have been rounded to hundreds, and per capital estimates to tens.

Source:- Yearbook of National Accounts Statistics. 1971 Volume III, issued by United Nations.

XVIII. INTERNATIONAL COMPARISON

113. ESTIMATES OF NATIONAL INCOME OF SOME COUNTRIES, IN MARKET PRICES

(In Millions of U. S. Dollars)

Country	1968	1969	1970
Nigeria	4,024	4,475	N.A.
Canada	58,374	64,707	68,812
U.S.A.	7,82,035	8,38,224	8,75,379
India	41,540	46,219	N.A.
Indonasia	8,573	9,551	10,828
Japan	1,24,362	1,44,064	1,71,385
Pakistan	13,659	14,738	N.A.
France	1,14,427	1,27,060	1,32,344
F.R. of Germany	1,20,650	1,36,954	1,66,112
Netherlands	22,808	25,461	28,075
U.K.	95,062	1,01,376	1,11,010
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Nepal	708	804	887

- Note:*
1. The estimates of U.S.A., Canada, U.K. and Netherlands are based on present System of National Accounts.
 2. The figures of Nigeria and Nepal have been adjusted and roughly estimated by the United Nations Statistical Office.
 3. In India, Pakistan and Nepal, 12 Months beginning 1 april, 1 July and 16 July of the year stated respectively.

Source: Yearbook of National Accounts Statistics, 1971 volume III, Issued by United Nations.

XVIII INTERNATIONAL COMPARISON

114. ESTIMATES OF PER CAPITA NATIONAL INCOME OF SOME COUNTRIES IN MARKET PRICES

(In Millions of U. S. Dollars)			(In U. S. Dollars)		
1970	Country	1968	1969	1970	
Nigeria		77	83	N.A.	
Canada		2,810	3,068	3,214	
U.S.A.		3,898	4,137	4,274	
India		79	86	N.A.	
Indonasia		75	81	89	
Japan		1,231	1,410	1,658	
Pakistan		125	132	N.A.	
France		2,292	2,525	2,606	
F.R. of Germany		2,005	2,251	2,696	
Netherlands		1,792	1,978	2,156	
U.K.		1,720	1,825	1,993	
Nepal		66	74	80	

Note:-

1. The estimates of U. S. A., Canada, U.K. and Netherlands are based on present system of National Accounts.
2. The figures of Nigeria and Nepal have been adjusted and roughly estimated by the United Nations Statistical Office.
3. In India, Pakistan and Nepal, 12 Months beginning 1 April, 1 July and 16 July of the year stated respectively.

Source:- Yearbook of National Accounts Statistics, 1971 volume III, issued by United Nations.

Introductory Notes

Section I. Area and Population:-

Table 1: The total area of Nepal is 54, 362 sq. miles. As Zones are not surveyed properly, the sum of zonal areas does not tally with the country total.

Table 2:- This table shows total population of Nepal by 14 Zones and 75 districts and by sex.

Table 3:- This table shows the total population of 16 Town Panchayats called Nagar Panchayats. The towns having population 10 thousand or more with certain exceptions, are called, Nagar Panchayats. Here we have 4 towns having population less than 10 thousand, even though they are treated as town Panchayats.

Table 4:- This table indicates the decennial growth of population over the period 1911-1971. It will be noticed that there is a decline in the total population during the periods 1911-21 and 1921-1931.

Table 5:- This is the table of projected population of Nepal. This projection was done in June 1968 with the basic data of 1961 census and provides projected figures for 1966, 1971, 1976 and 1981.

Table 6:- Distribution of population by important Religion is shown in this table for different periods. Hinduism ranks first followed by Buddhism and Islam. All other religions are grouped together.

Table 7:- Literate and illiterate people include total population of 6 years and over. The figures shown are by age groups based on 1971, population census.

Table 8:- Persons able to do some productive work and doing so are treated as economically active. Persons able to do some productive work but not doing so for some reasons are treated as economically inactive. These are separately shown according to 1961 and 1971 population censuses. In 1961 Census, persons of age 15 years and above were treated as economically active while in 1971 Census this category includes persons of age 10 years and above.

Table 9, 10 and 11:- These tables present total economically active population classified by industry, occupation and employment status respectively. A percentage distribution for each group is also presented.

Section II. Climate

This section presents rainfall and mean temperature of some important places in Nepal. Table 12 presents rainfall in millimeter from 1965 to 1969 and table 13 mean temperature in centigrade from 1967 to 1970.

Section III. Agriculture, Livestock and Poultry

This section has 12 tables. The source of data is mentioned in each table. Most of the tables are taken from, Agriculture Census 1962. Others are from Ministry of Food and Agriculture. All the tables taken from Census are framed according to geographical regions or size of Agricultural holdings. Area is given in Matomuris (Nepalese Unit for measuring agricultural area) which equals to 0.012718 hectare or 0.031427 acre.

Table 14:- Data relating to area of holdings, number of agricultural households and number of total households in that locality is included in this table.

Table 15:- In this table total dry and wet areas are shown according to major tenure classification.

Tables 16 and 17:- Table 16 presents data on area of holdings and arable land by region. While table 17 deals with irrigation facilities by size of holdings.

Table 18 and 19:- Data relating to production of 10 principal crops is given for 1961-62 to 1970-71 in table 18. Table 19 provides information on area and production for these 10 crops by regions for the years 1967-68 and 1970-71.

Tables 20, 21, and 22:- These tables relate to livestock population in the country. In these tables number of cows, bulls, buffaloes, horses, mules, goats, sheep and pigs are shown by size of holdings.

Tables 23 and 24:- Estimated livestock population is shown in table 23 and total production of various livestock products in table 24 respectively.

Table 25:- Number of poultry by size of holding is presented in this table.

Section IV. Forest

Area by land class and forest divisions in the Tarai is presented in table 26. The break up the total forest area into commercial and non-commercial is given in table 27 while table 28 provides data on Revenue from forest products.

Section V. Mineral Production

Data on mineral production from 1965-66 to 1969-70 is given in table 29 and data on value of total mineral production and royalties earned by the Government are shown in table 30.

Section VI. Power

Table 31 to 34 present power statistics. Installed capacity and energy generated by Zones are shown in table 31, installed capacity of different power generating utilities is given in table 32, number of principal Hydro Power Stations with installed capacity are presented in table 33 and data on number of consumers by major Electric utilities are shown in table 34.

Section VII. Industry

Data on industry shown in tables 35, 36 and 37 are based on preliminary results of the Census

of Manufacturing Establishment, 1965 This is the only industrial census undertaken in the kingdom so far. Data on number of establishments by size and districts is given in table 35 while number of persons engaged by category of persons and by principal economic activity is given in table 36. Information on value added and other important aggregates are provided in table 37. Annual productions of selected industrial commodities for four years is given in table 38.

Section VIII. Prices

Data relating to prices are collected in several towns in the country. But price indices are compiled only for Kathmandu, Lalitpur and Bhaktapur. The weights for various commodities are based on the Family Budget Survey conducted in 1963 in these towns. Base year of the indices is 1962-63 and the index is calculated according to Laspyre's formula. Table 39 presents group and subgroup indices for 1971-72. Table 40, 41 and 42 provide general, food and non-food indices of Kathmandu, Lalitpur and Bhaktapur respectively. A table (43) is also provide on wholesale prices of important agricultural commodities.

Section IX. Transport and communication.

This section has 7 tables on transport and communication statistics. Table 44 and 45 provides data on length of roads by type and major category and by type and Zones respectively. Table 46 contains data on operating and traffic statistics of Royal Nepal Airlines Corporation. Number of post offices by Zones and traffic and revenue of the postal services are shown in tables 47 and 48. Table 49 presents data on telecommunication services. The last table in this section contains data on number of wire-less sets by Zones.

Section X. Education

In this section first two tables deal with Primary Education, the next 2 on Secondary Education and last three tables of Higher Education.

Section XI. HEALTH

This section contains 3 tables on health statistics. Data on number of Doctors, Health Assistants, Baidyas etc does not include private practitioners in their own clinics. These numbers are of those who are employed in Government Hospitals, Missions or some private institutions.

Section XII. Money, Banking and Credit

The 12 tables in this section provide data on financial transactions. All the tables are taken from quarterly Economic Bulletin volume VII number 3, issued by Nepal Rastra Bank.

Section XIII. Government Finance

This section furnishes information on finances of His Majesty's Government. It contains revenue, regular expenditure, development expenditure, budget situation, development aid and pattern of ownership of government bonds. Table 79 provides data on government balances with the Rastra Bank and at treasury offices.

Section XIV. External Payment and Foreign Trade

This is another section showing financial activities in the country. Last 6 tables in the section supply information on export and import of the country.

Section XV. Plans

This section presents informations on provision and expenditure of first two plans and provision of third and fourth plans. Last table provides data on target and achievement of major agricultural products in the Third Plan.

Section XVI. Gross Domestic Product

Estimates of gross domestic product and its percentage by industry, estimates of Gross domestic product at constant prices, per capita income and capital formation at current and constant prices are given in this section.

Section XVII. Miscellaneous

Data on Tourism, Newspapers and some information from Agriculture Credit Survey are presented in this section.

Section XVIII. International Comparison

This is the last section of this publication. It provides two tables for estimated population, area and density of the first ten countries. Another table presents estimates of total and per capita National Income in market prices by region for 1969. The last two table provide statistics on estimates of National Income and per capita National Income of some countries in Market prices.

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