RICE STOCKS
Rough and Milled
August 1, 1966

September 1, 1966

Rough rice stocks in all storage positions on August 1, 1966 totaled 5.5 million cwt., 12 percent more than a year earlier, according to the Crop Reporting Board. August 1 stocks in the Southern area were down 32 percent from a year earlier while California stocks were nearly double holdings a year earlier. Of the total U. S. stocks at mills and elevators, mills owned 90 percent, the Government 9 percent, and farmers 1 percent.

Milled rice stocks in all positions on April 1 totaled 2.0 million cwt., virtually the same as a year earlier. Of the total milled stocks, mills owned 83 percent and 17 percent was in ports or in transit.

These estimates do not include stocks located outside the six major rice producing States (Missouri, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, and California.)

STOCKS OF ROUGH AND MILLED RICE FROM THE 1965 AND EARLIER CROPS, AUGUST 1, 1966 WITH COMPARISONS

Area and Position	ROUGH RICE			MILLED RICE		
	Aug. 1, 1965	Apr. 1, 1966	Aug. 1, 1966	Aug. 1, 1965	Apr. 1, 1966	Aug. 1, 1966
	1,000 cwt.					
SOUTHERN						
On farms or in farm whses.	58	1,587	28	---	---	---
At mills and in attached whses.	1,842	7,873	1,617	1,048	1,744	925
In whses. (not attached to mills)	1,376	9,096	592	41	90	82
In ports or in transit	2	14	---	522	1,614	330
TOTAL SOUTHERN	3,278	18,570	2,237	1,611	3,448	1,337
CALIFORNIA						
On farms or in farm whses.	83	942	314	---	---	---
At mills and in attached whses.	560	1,101	550	384	749	651
In whses. (not attached to mills)	984	5,372	2,374	---	---	---
In ports or in transit	---	---	---	---	180	3
TOTAL CALIFORNIA	1,627	7,415	3,238	384	929	654
SOUTHERN AND CALIFORNIA TOTAL						
On farms or in farm whses.	141	2,529	342	---	---	---
At mills and in attached whses.	2,402	8,974	2,167	1,432	2,493	1,576
In whses. (not attached to mills)	2,360	14,468	2,966	41	90	82
In ports or in transit	2	14	---	522	1,794	333
UNITED STATES TOTAL	4,905	25,985	5,475	1,995	4,377	1,991

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ROUGH RICE STOCKS: 1965 and Earlier Crops on Farms and in Mills and Warehouses, by Ownership, by States, August 1, 1965 and 1966

Position	Ownership	Mo. 1965	Mo. 1966	Miss. 1965	Miss. 1966	Ark. 1965	Ark. 1966	La. 1965	La. 1966	Texas 1965	Texas 1966	Calif. 1965	Calif. 1966	Total 1965	Total 1966
		1,000 cwt.													
Mills and Warehouses	Mills 1/	---	---	---	---	1,255	1,340	166	130	666	263	1,497	2,869	3,584	4,602
	Government	---	---	372	75	280	292	4	2	457	90	---	---	1,113	459
	Farmers	---	---	---	1	11	2	---	2	7	12	47	55	65	72
Total Mills & Whses.		---	---	372	76	1,546	1,634	170	134	1,130	365	1,544	2,924	4,762	5,133
Total On-Farm		---	---	---	6	---	---	---	---	58	22	83	314	141	342
Total Mill, Whse. & On-Farms		---	---	372	82	1,546	1,634	170	134	1,188	387	1,627	3,238	4,903	5,475

MILLED RICE STOCKS: 1965 and Earlier Crops in Mills and Warehouses, by Ownership, by States, August 1, 1965 and 1966

Position	Ownership	Mo. 1965	Mo. 1966	Miss. 1965	Miss. 1966	Ark. 1965	Ark. 1966	La. 1965	La. 1966	Texas 1965	Texas 1966	Calif. 1965	Calif. 1966	Total 1965	Total 1966
		1,000 cwt.													
Mills and Warehouses	Mills 1/	---	---	---	---	445	345	320	260	324	402	384	651	1,473	1,658
	Government	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total Mills & Whses.		---	---	---	---	445	345	320	260	324	402	384	651	1,473	1,658

1/ Includes small amount owned by others.