

# RICE STOCKS



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Rough Rice Stocks stored in all positions on August 1, 1978 totaled 21.1 million hundredweight (958 thousand metric tons), 37 percent less than last year's record high 33.4 million cwt. (1.51 million MT). About 3 percent of these stocks are on farms with the remainder in mills, warehouses, ports and in transit.

Rough rice stocks consisted of 46 percent long grain, 9.62 million cwt.; 44 percent medium grain, 9.33 million cwt.; and 10 percent short grain, 2.18 million cwt. Last year's comparison is 39, 52 and 9 percent respectively or 13.0, 17.5 and 2.88 million cwt.

Milled Rice Stocks in all storage positions on August 1, 1978 amounted to 4.35 million hundredweight (197 thousand metric tons), 16 percent less than last year's 5.16 million cwt. (234 thousand MT). These milled stocks consisted of 3.69 million cwt. of whole kernels, 662 thousand cwt. of second heads, screenings and brewers. Last year's comparisons are 3.65 million cwt. and 1.50 million cwt. respectively. Estimates include stocks located in six major rice producing States--Arkansas, California, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, and Texas.

## UNITED STATES RICE STOCKS

DATE	1976					1977					1978				
	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	ON FARMS OR FARM WHSES	IN MILLS AND ATTACHED WHSES	IN WHSES NOT ATTACHED TO MILLS	IN PORTS OR IN TRANSIT	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	ON FARMS OR FARM WHSES	IN MILLS AND ATTACHED WHSES	IN WHSES NOT ATTACHED TO MILLS	IN PORTS OR IN TRANSIT	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	ON FARMS OR FARM WHSES	IN MILLS AND ATTACHED WHSES	IN WHSES NOT ATTACHED TO MILLS	IN PORTS OR IN TRANSIT
ROUGH RICE - 1,000 CWT															
JAN 1	91,046	21,006	16,830	61,263	1,049	100,148	8,269	15,930	51,984	899	77,082				
APR 1	63,281	6,761	15,326	45,266	1,022	68,375	3,157	14,253	34,577	900	52,887				
AUG 1	31,345	709	6,718	25,021	903	33,351	586	6,288	13,411	843	21,128				
OCT 1 1/2	5,719	33	582	5,483	0	6,098									
MILLED RICE - 1,000 CWT															
JAN 1	4,566		2,971	261	1,111	4,343		2,895	503	3,046	6,444				
APR 1	5,103		3,161	260	2,265	5,686		3,718	994	2,857	7,569				
AUG 1	3,892		3,321	134	1,701	5,156		3,118	221	1,008	4,347				
OCT 1 1/2	554		470	0	0	470									
ROUGH RICE - 1,000 METRIC TONS															
JAN 1	4 130	953	763	2 779	48	4 543	375	723	2 358	41	3 497				
APR 1	2 870	307	695	2 053	46	3 101	143	647	1 568	47	2 399				
AUG 1	1 422	32	305	1 135	41	1 513	27	285	608	38	958				
OCT 1 1/2	259	2	26	249	0	277									
MILLED RICE - 1,000 METRIC TONS															
JAN 1	207		135	12	50	197		131	23	138	292				
APR 1	231		143	12	103	258		169	45	130	344				
AUG 1	177		151	6	77	234		141	10	46	197				
OCT 1 1/2	25		21	0	0	21									

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RICE STOCKS BY POSITION, BY STATES AUGUST 1, 1976-78

STATE	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	ON	IN	IN	IN	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	ON	IN	IN	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	
		FARMS OR FARM WHSES	MILLS AND ATTACHED WHSES	WHSES NOT ATTACHED TO MILLS	IN PORTS OR IN TRANSIT		FARMS OR FARM WHSES	MILLS AND ATTACHED WHSES	WHSES NOT ATTACHED TO MILLS		IN PORTS OR IN TRANSIT
	1976	1977					1978				
ROUGH RICE - 1,000 CWT											
ARK	4,244	47	3,703	2,961	0	6,711	14	3,860	866	0	4,740
CALIF	8,716	500	727	10,078	0	11,305	555	991	4,653	0	6,199
LA	4,951	158	*	*	0	*	13	*	*	0	*
MISS	722	1	*	*	0	*	1	*	*	0	*
MO	7	0	0	6	0	6	0	0	*	0	*
TEX	12,705	3	1,080	7,781	903	9,767	3	960	5,538	843	7,344
UNALL	0	0	1,208	4,195	0	5,562	0	477	2,354	0	2,845
U S	31,345	709	6,718	25,021	903	33,351	586	6,288	13,411	843	21,128
MILLED RICE - 1,000 CWT											
ARK	*		967	5	154	1,126		806	5	46	857
CALIF	873		1,428	0	0	1,428		1,663	0	0	1,663
LA	1,059		*	0	*	*		*	0	*	*
MISS	*		*	0	*	*		*	0	*	*
MO	0		0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0
TEX	1,084		404	129	644	1,177		303	216	954	1,473
UNALL	876		522	0	903	1,425		346	0	8	354
U S	3,892		3,321	134	1,701	5,156		3,118	221	1,008	4,347

\* INCLUDED IN UNALLOCATED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

ROUGH RICE STOCKS BY LENGTH OF GRAIN IN ALL POSITIONS, CALIFORNIA AND OTHER STATES AUGUST 1, 1976-78

AREA	LONG			MEDIUM			SHORT			TOTAL		
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
1,000 CWT												
CALIF	0	0	0	5,531	8,647	4,197	3,185	2,658	2,002	8,716	11,305	6,199
OTHER STS 1/	14,260	12,950	9,624	8,048	8,876	5,130	321	220	175	22,629	22,046	14,929
U S	14,260	12,950	9,624	13,579	17,523	9,327	3,506	2,878	2,177	31,345	33,351	21,128

MILLED RICE STOCKS BY LENGTH OF GRAIN IN ALL POSITIONS, CALIFORNIA AND OTHER STATES AUGUST 1, 1976-78

AREA	WHOLE KERNELS (HEAD RICE)			MEDIUM			SHORT			TOTAL		
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
1,000 CWT												
CALIF	0	0	0	576	948	565	99	337	944	675	1,285	1,509
OTHER STS 1/	922	1,618	1,719	1,054	719	443	0	30	14	1,976	2,367	2,176
U S	922	1,618	1,719	1,630	1,667	1,008	99	367	958	2,651	3,652	3,685

AREA	SECOND HEADS 2/			SCREENINGS			BREWERS			TOTAL		
	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978	1976	1977	1978
1,000 CWT												
CALIF	157	97	135	0	0	0	41	46	19	198	143	154
OTHER STS 1/	812	905	374	111	154	65	120	302	69	1,043	1,361	508
U S	969	1,002	509	111	154	65	161	348	88	1,241	1,504	662

1/ ARK, LA, MISS, MO AND TEX. 2/ INCLUDES SCREENINGS IN CALIF.