

RICE STOCKS
 Rough and Milled
 January 1, 1966

January 25, 1966

Rough rice stocks in all storage positions on January 1, 1966, totaled 46.0 million cwt., 4 percent less than a year earlier, according to the Crop Reporting Board. Rough rice stocks in the Southern area were 5 percent below a year ago while stocks in California were down 3 percent. Of the total rough rice, 15 percent was on farms, 28 percent at mills and attached warehouses and 57 percent in warehouses not attached to mills.

Milled rice stocks in all positions on January 1, totaled 5.1 million cwt., 6 percent above a year earlier and the largest January 1 holdings since 1960. Milled stocks in the Southern area were 10 percent less than a year ago but stocks in California were more than double the January 1, 1965 holdings. Of the total milled stocks, 53 percent was located at mills, 13 percent in detached warehouses and 34 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

JANUARY 1, 1966 WITH COMPARISONS

Area and Position	ROUGH RICE			MILLED RICE		
	JAN. 1, 1965	OCT. 1, 1965	JAN. 1, 1966	JAN. 1, 1965	OCT. 1, 1965	JAN. 1, 1966
	1,000 cwt.	1,000 cwt.	1,000 cwt.	1,000 cwt.	1,000 cwt.	1,000 cwt.
SOUTHERN						
On farms or in farm whses.	4,914	---	4,623	---	---	---
At mills and in attached whses.	11,802	306	10,897	1,778	194	1,844
In whses. (not attached to mills)	18,123	915	17,658	778	10	663
In ports or in transit	13	1	7	1,864	140	1,473
TOTAL SOUTHERN	34,852	1,222	33,185	4,420	344	3,980
CALIFORNIA						
On farms or in farm whses.	2,477	---	2,511	---	---	---
At mills and in attached whses.	2,205	270	1,843	436	466	901
In whses. (not attached to mills)	8,444	55	8,405	---	---	---
In ports or in transit	4	---	11	---	134	252
TOTAL CALIFORNIA	13,130	325	12,770	436	600	1,153
SOUTHERN and CALIFORNIA TOTAL						
On farms or in farm whses.	7,391	---	7,134	---	---	---
At mills and in attached whses.	14,007	576	12,740	2,214	660	2,745
In whses. (not attached to mills)	26,567	970	26,063	778	10	663
In ports or in transit	17	1	18	1,864	274	1,725
UNITED STATES TOTAL	47,982	1,547	45,925	4,856	944	5,133

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

Position	Ownership	Mo.		Miss.		Ark.		La.		Texas		Calif.		Total
		1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	
Mills and	Mills 1/	282	321	11,160	10,266	5,871	6,624	6,496	6,062	10,133	9,920	33,942	33,193	
Warehouses	Government	254	175	223	183	12	4	368	314	1	---	858	676	
	Farmers	150	172	930	819	1,065	895	3,114	2,720	515	328	5,774	4,934	
Total Mills & Whses.		686	668	12,313	11,268	6,948	7,523	9,978	9,096	10,649	10,248	40,574	38,803	
Total On-Farm		15	8,101	999	1,294	1,026	677	1,504	1,917	1,086	2,477	2,511	7,134	
Total Mill, Whse. & On-Farms		15	8,1,697	1,667	13,607	12,294	7,625	9,027	11,895	10,182	13,126	12,759	47,965	45,937

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

Position	Ownership	Mo.		Miss.		Ark.		La.		Texas		Calif.		Total
		1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	
Mills and	Mills 1/	447	465	1,394	1,189	714	819	436	901	2,991	3,374			
Warehouses	Government	---	---	---	---	1	34	---	---	1	34			
Total Mills & Whses.		447	465	1,394	1,189	715	853	436	901	2,992	3,408			

1/ Includes small amount owned by others.