

# RICE STOCKS



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**ROUGH RICE STOCKS:** Storage of rough rice in all positions on August 1, 1979 totaled 25.1 million hundredweight (1.14 million metric tons), 19 percent more than last year's 21.1 million hundredweight (958 thousand metric tons) but 25 percent less than the record high 33.4 million hundredweight (1.51 million metric tons) on hand two years ago. Of the total stocks on August 1, 1979 about 2 percent are on farms and the remainder are in mills, warehouses, ports and in transit. Long grain stocks amounted to 11.0 million hundredweight (501 thousand metric tons), 44 percent of total; medium grain totaled 10.8 million hundredweight (489 thousand metric tons), 43 percent of total; and short grain stocks were 3.31 million hundredweight (150 thousand metric tons) or 13 percent of total.

**MILLED RICE STOCKS:** On August 1, 1979 there were 4.58 million hundredweight (208 thousand metric tons) of milled rice stored at mills and warehouses, 5 percent more than last year but 11 percent less than two years ago. The current milled rice stocks consist of 3.15 million hundredweight (143 thousand metric tons) of whole kernels and 1.43 million hundredweight (64.9 thousand metric tons) of broken kernels. In comparison, last year there were 3.69 million hundredweight (167 thousand metric tons) of whole kernels and 662 thousand hundredweight (30.0 thousand metric tons) of broken kernels.

## UNITED STATES RICE STOCKS

DATE	1977					1978					1979				
	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	ON FARMS OR FARM	IN MILLS AND ATTACHED WAREHOUSES	IN WHSEES AND NOT TO MILLS	IN PORTS OR IN TRANSIT	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	ON FARMS OR FARM	IN MILLS AND ATTACHED WAREHOUSES	IN WHSEES AND NOT TO MILLS	IN PORTS OR IN TRANSIT	TOTAL ALL POSITIONS	ON FARMS OR FARM	IN MILLS AND ATTACHED WAREHOUSES	IN WHSEES AND NOT TO MILLS	IN PORTS OR IN TRANSIT
	(DOMESTIC UNITS - 1,000 CWT)														
	ROUGH RICE														
JAN 1	100,148	8,269	15,930	51,984	899	77,082	28,089	16,829	50,100	899	95,917				
APR 1	68,375	3,157	14,323	34,675	900	53,055	14,381	18,158	34,161	820	67,570				
AUG 1	33,351	586	6,288	13,411	843	21,128	623	8,781	15,033	701	25,138				
OCT 1 1/2	6,098	0	42	2,606	0	2,648									
	MILLED RICE														
JAN 1	4,343		2,895	503	3,046	6,444		3,517	542	2,080	6,139				
APR 1	5,686		3,611	994	2,861	7,466		3,979	282	2,444	6,705				
AUG 1	5,156		3,118	221	1,008	4,347		2,531	374	1,678	4,583				
OCT 1 1/2	470		1,850	0	0	1,850									
	(METRIC UNITS - METRIC TONS)														
	ROUGH RICE														
JAN 1	4,542,640	375,080	722,570	2,357,950	40,780	3,496,380	1,274,100	763,350	2,272,500	40,780	4,350,730				
APR 1	3,101,440	143,200	649,680	1,572,830	40,820	2,406,530	652,310	823,630	1,549,520	37,190	3,062,650				
AUG 1	1,512,780	26,580	285,220	608,310	38,240	958,350	28,260	398,300	601,890	31,800	1,140,250				
OCT 1 1/2	276,600	0	1,910	118,210	0	120,120									
	MILLED RICE														
JAN 1	197,000		131,310	22,820	138,160	292,290		159,530	24,580	94,350	278,460				
APR 1	257,910		168,790	45,090	129,770	338,650		180,480	12,790	110,860	304,130				
AUG 1	233,870		141,430	10,020	45,720	197,170		114,800	16,960	76,110	207,870				
OCT 1 1/2	21,320		83,910	0	0	83,910									

1/2 CALCULATED ONLY.

RICE STOCKS BY POSITION, BY STATES, AUGUST 1, 1977-79

STATE	TOTAL	ON	IN	IN	IN	TOTAL	ON	IN	IN	IN	TOTAL	
	ALL	FARMS	MILLS	WHSES	PORTS	ALL	FARMS	MILLS	WHSES	PORTS	ALL	
	POSITIONS	OR	AND	NOT	OR IN	POSITIONS	FARM	ATTACHED	ATTACHED	OR IN	POSITIONS	
	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979
ROUGH RICE - 1,000 CWT												
ARK	6,711	14	3,860	866	0	4,740	381	4,186	1,594	0	6,161	
CALIF	11,305	555	991	4,653	0	6,199	15	436	6,896	0	7,347	
LA	*	13	*	*	0	*	75	*	*	14	*	
MISS	*	1	*	*	0	*	100	*	*	0	*	
MO	6	0	0	*	0	*	1	0	0	0	1	
TEX	9,767	3	960	5,538	843	7,344	51	2,263	4,337	687	7,338	
UNALL*	5,562	0	477	2,354	0	2,845		1,896	2,206		4,291	
U S	33,351	586	6,288	13,411	843	21,128	623	8,781	15,033	701	25,138	
MILLED RICE - 1,000 CWT												
ARK	1,126		806	5	46	857		687	3	60	750	
CALIF	1,428		1,663	0	0	1,663		657	0	0	657	
LA	*		*	0	*	*		*	34	921	*	
MISS	*		*	0	*	*		*	0	2	*	
MO	0		0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	
TEX	1,177		303	216	954	1,473		590	337	695	1,622	
UNALL*	1,425		346	0	8	354		597			1,554	
U S	5,156		3,118	221	1,008	4,347		2,531	374	1,678	4,583	

\* INCLUDED IN UNALLOCATED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

ROUGH RICE STOCKS BY LENGTH OF GRAIN IN ALL POSITIONS, CALIFORNIA AND OTHER STATES, AUGUST 1, 1977-79

AREA	LONG			MEDIUM			SHORT			TOTAL		
	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979
1,000 CWT												
CALIF	0	0	0	8,647	4,197	4,343	2,658	2,002	3,004	11,305	6,199	7,347
OTH STS 1/	12,950	9,624	11,049	8,876	5,130	6,433	220	175	309	22,046	14,929	17,791
U S	12,950	9,624	11,049	17,523	9,327	10,776	2,878	2,177	3,313	33,351	21,128	25,138

MILLED RICE STOCKS BY LENGTH OF GRAIN IN ALL POSITIONS, CALIFORNIA AND OTHER STATES, AUGUST 1, 1979

AREA	LONG			MEDIUM			SHORT			TOTAL		
	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979
1,000 CWT												
CALIF	0	0	0	948	565	116	337	944	126	1,285	1,509	242
OTH STS 1/	1,618	1,719	2,302	719	443	590	30	14	18	2,367	2,176	2,910
U S	1,618	1,719	2,302	1,667	1,008	706	367	958	144	3,652	3,685	3,152

BROKEN KERNELS

AREA	SECOND HEADS 2/			SCREENINGS			BREWERS			TOTAL		
	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979	1977	1978	1979
1,000 CWT												
CALIF	97	135	272	0	0	0	46	19	143	143	154	415
OTH STS 1/	905	374	754	154	65	68	302	69	194	1,361	508	1,016
U S	1,002	509	1,026	154	65	68	348	88	337	1,504	662	1,431

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