

III . 5 : OPERATIONAL HOLDINGS IN 1953-54, 1970-71, 1980-81, 1990-91, 2000-01, 2010-11 & 2015-16

NUMBER OF HOLDINGS IN TAMIL NADU SINCE 1953

(in lakhs)

S. No.	Classification	53-54	70-71	76-77	80-81	85-86	90-91	95-96	2015-16
1	Marginal (< 1 ha)	42.98	31.25	39.51	50.15	54.48	58.48	60.40	62.24
2	Small (1 to 2 ha)	8.26	11.09	11.28	12.09	12.60	12.75	13.05	11.19
3	Semi-medium (2 to 4 ha)	6.66	6.96	6.83	6.58	6.49	6.18	6.33	4.52
4	Medium (4 to 10 ha)	2.61	3.25	3.00	2.69	2.61	2.27	2.27	1.28
5	Large (10 ha & above)	0.64	0.59	0.46	0.40	0.39	0.31	0.34	0.15
Total		61.15	53.14	61.12	71.91	77.07	79.99	82.34	79.38

AREA OF HOLDINGS IN TAMIL NADU SINCE 1953

(in lakh ha)

S. No.	Classification	53-54	70-71	76-77	80-81	85-86	90-91	95-96	2015-16
1	Marginal (< 1 ha)	8.49	13.21	16.07	19.07	20.18	21.18	22.91	21.69
2	Small (1 to 2 ha)	12.03	15.78	15.86	15.00	17.72	17.94	18.32	15.56
3	Semi-medium (2 to 4 ha)	18.57	19.14	18.76	18.22	17.78	16.87	17.29	12.15
4	Medium (4 to 10 ha)	15.55	18.93	17.63	15.55	15.08	13.01	12.72	7.14
5	Large (10 ha & above)	11.74	10.03	7.96	7.14	7.20	5.74	7.37	3.17
Total		66.38	77.09	76.28	77.08	77.96	74.74	78.62	59.71