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Preface

This Directorate has been bringing out a brochure on “Rural wages” since 1975-76. The present brochure, which is the twenty eighth in the series of the publication incorporates the data relating to the agricultural year 2007-08 and 2008-09. It presents, as usual, the data on wages paid to workers engaged in various agricultural and non-agricultural operations collected from four selected sample villages in each taluka of the State of Goa. Talukawise and operation wise data on wage payment for different occupations have also been given in Statistical tables and Charts.

The data is broadly indicative of the wage pattern in the rural areas of the State of Goa and the trend of change over a period of time. While constant efforts are being made to reduce the time lag and to make available the results at the earliest, it is hoped that this publication would improve a useful reference for the study of wage pattern prevailing in the rural areas of the state.

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Suggestions for improvement of the publication are most welcome.

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Introduction

1.1 Agricultural activity in Goa is accounted for about 4.32 % and 3.52% of Gross State Domestic Products (GSDP) at constant prices, for the year 2007-08 and 2008-09 respectively.

The performance of Agricultural sector influences the economy of the State. The share of this sector in Goa is exhibiting a declining trend in State Domestic Product (SDP) over years, but its role remains critical as it provides a sizeable employment to the labour force in the State which fetches wages/livelihood to them. For planned development of agriculture and rural sector, rural wage data has vital significance. The data is also essential for carrying out cost of cultivation studies for analyzing economic pattern of different crops. Availability of reliable information on wages is all the more necessary for the purpose of effective enforcement of the Minimum Wages Act, 1948, which provides the basis for fixation of minimum wage rates in agriculture and other employment in the unorganized sector in rural areas and their periodical revision. The Directorate of Planning, Statistics and Evaluation has been collecting and compiling the relevant data in this regard and bringing out the report annually on rural wages in terms of spatial and temporal variations covering agricultural and some of the rural based non-agricultural operations.

1.2 Scope and Coverage

1.2.1 The monthly data on the rural wages are collected from selected villages of 11 Talukas spread over both the districts of this State at the rate of four villages per Taluka. The data so received is scrutinized, compiled and results are presented in this report. Taluka-wise and operation-wise data on average daily wages, separately for adult male/female are presented in this report for various agricultural and non-agricultural operations, for the agricultural year July 2007 to June 2008 and July 2008 to June 2009.

The list of selected forty four villages from eleven talukas in the two Districts of the State is presented in *Annexure I*.

1.2.2 Table 1A, 2A and 3A presents the data on daily wages of agricultural labourers engaged in activities connected with cultivation of field crops. Table 1B, 2B and 3B presents similar data for plantation crops, such as Coconut, Areca nut, Cashew nut etc. Details of wages of skilled workers mainly comprised of artisans like Blacksmith, Bamboo and Cane worker, Carpenter, Mason, Potter, Stone cutter etc. and for unskilled worker consisting of Cattle grazers, Casual labour etc. are presented in table 1C, 2C and 3C respectively for years 2007-08 and 2008-09.

1.3 Summary of Findings

1.3.1 Field Crops

1.3.1.1 Agricultural Activities

District wise and Taluka wise distribution of average daily wages for Agricultural activities earned by males and females for 2007-08 and 2008-09 are given in **Table 1A and 2A** respectively.

* Table '1A' and '2A' reveals that average daily wages in South Goa district demanded by rural male workers are higher as compared to North Goa for both the years i.e. 2007-08 and 2008-09 except in the ploughing activity during 2008-09.

* Similarly, the female worker demands higher wages in South Goa in all the activities compared to North Goa for both these years.

* The figures also depicts that the males have earned at least 40% extra wages over the wages earned by female in all the activities during any particular year.

* The Ploughing activity fetches highest wages for both the districts for the year 2007-08 and 2008-09.

* Overall percentage growth rate for the State during 2008-09 over that of 2007-08 shows that the wages are in increasing trend in most the activities with exception to Digging activity where wages were lower by 0.25% in the succeeding year.

Chart 3-A depicts the percentage growth in all the Agricultural activities during the year 2008-09.

* Table **3A** indicates that for the ploughing activity for men, the percentage growth was as high as 20% in North district of the State, whereas for South Goa district it has grown just 4.79% for the year 2008-09.

* The Digging activity for women has grown around 20% in both the Districts for the year 2008-09.

* The activities of Threshing and Transplanting have a minimal growth of around 1.50% for both the District for both men as well as women.

1.3.1.2 1.3.1.3 Child Labour

No child labour was engaged during the year 2007-08 and 2008-09 in any of the Agricultural activities.

1.3.2 Plantation Crop

1.3.2.1 Table **1B and 2B** depicts the distribution of average daily wages in North and South Goa Districts of all the activities in Plantation for both men and women labourers for the year 2007-08 and 2008-09 respectively.

* Noticeably, it is the harvesting coconut, harvesting arecanut and toddy tapping for both the district that fetches highest wages for men for the year 2007-08 and 2008-09.

* The South Goa District draws more wages in almost all the activities compared to North Goa.

* It may be seen that the wages in Mormugao Taluka is the highest for both male as well as females for most of the activities compared to all the Talukas of the State.

The chart 3B depicts the percentage growth in all the plantation activities for the year 2008-09 at a glance.

1.3.2.2. Table 3-B shows the percentage growth in plantation activities during 2008-09 over the year 2007-08 for both the districts.

* From the table it can be seen that the growth in rural wages for North District of the State is higher as compared to the growth in South Goa district during the year 2008-09 over the year 2007-08 for most for the activities.

* It can be noticed from the table that the wages for men for Nira extraction has grown 14% from 2007-08 to 2008-09 in North Goa, whereas it has remained the same for South Goa during that period.

* In the same way, the wages for women for Nira Extraction and Dehusking Coconut has grown over 19% in North Goa and has not changed for South Goa during that period.

* However, South Goa district fetches more wages for most of the activities compared to the North Goa district both for men as well as women.

1.3.2.3 Child Labour: No child labour was engaged during the year 2007-08 and 2008-09 in Plantation activity.

1.3.3 Skilled and Unskilled Workers other than Agricultural Labourers

1.3.3.1 Table 1C represents average district wise and talukawise wages for all the non-agricultural activities of Skilled and Unskilled labourers for the year 2007-08.

* It reveals that Blacksmith earns highest wages i.e 266.67 for men in the North Goa District.

* In the South, it is the Carpenter with 302.43 followed by the Mason with 283.25 that earns highest wages.

* A women weaver earns highest wages of 162.08 for the South Goa District whereas, a women Weaver in the North Goa District earns highest wages of 125.00.

* Cattle grazing is fetching the lowest wages of 95.89 and 60.00 for men as well as women respectively for the year 2007-08.

Table 2 C depicts the average district wise and taluka wise wages for all the non-agricultural activities of Skilled and Unskilled labourers for the year 2008-09.

* For the year 2008-09, Blacksmith earns highest wages of 266.67 for men closely followed by Carpenter with 265.00 for the North Goa District.

* For South Goa, it is the Carpenter with 301.20 followed by Mason with 290.17 earns highest wages.

* A women Weaver earns highest wages of 160.33 for South Goa District followed by women Potter that earns the highest wages of 138.10 followed closely by 135.33 for Bamboo and Cane worker.

* The Cattle grazing activity earns the lowest wages of 100.91 and 75.00 for men and women respectively.

The Table 3-C depicts the percentage growth in all the activities under Skilled and Unskilled category during the year 2007-08 and 2008-09.

* The table indicates that there is a marginal growth of around 3-5% for most of the activities in 2008-09 over the year 2007-08.

* Among all the activities, Cattle Grazing by women for South Goa has shown considerable growth of 25%.

1.3.3.3. No data for child labour were recorded in Goa under Skilled and Unskilled category during the year 2007-08 and 2008-09.

ANNEXURE – I

**DISTRICT/TALUKA/VILLAGES SELECTED FOR THE RURAL WAGES
2005-06 AND 2006-07**

<u>NORTH GOA DISTRICT</u>	<u>SOUTH GOA DISTRICT</u>
1. TISWADI a. Mercurim b. St.Estevam c. Carambolim d. Goa Velha.	1. SANGUEM a. Collem b. Curdi c. Codli d. Rivona
2. BARDEZ a. Sucorro b. Siolim c. Calangute d. Aldona.	2. CANACONA a. Cola b. Loliem c. Nagarcem, Palolem d. Poinguinim
3. PERNEM a. Corgao b. Morgim c. Mandrem d. Dhargalim	3. QUEPEM a. Bali b. Cotambi c. Xeldem d. Molcornem
4. BICHOLIM a. Surla b. Pali c. Mayem d. Latambarcem	4. SALCETTE a. Nuvem b. Varca c. Raia d. Curtorim
5. SATARI a. Poriem b. Pissurlem c. Querim d. Morlem	5. MORMUGAO a. Sancoale b. Cortalim c. Cansaulim d. Chicalim
6. PONDA a. Usgao b. Marcaim c. Bandora d. Shiroda	

Table 1 A
Taluka wise Average Daily Wages Of Agricultural Labourers For Field Crops In Goa State 2007-2008

(In Rupees)

State	District	Taluka	Digging	General work	Harvesting	Irrigation	Manuring	Ploughing	Threshing	Transplanting	Weeding
Men	North Goa	Bardez	184.38	184.17	217.50	185.14	187.14	248.42	218.71	185.78	144.62
		Bicholim	164.80	155.60	202.50	173.33	183.33	217.50	203.33	183.64	85.00
		Pernem	146.12	145.21	172.86	156.59	156.67	184.71	172.86	156.14	138.28
		Ponda	205.85	175.21	243.18	210.71	209.09	279.55	243.18	195.83	NR
		Satari	178.88	171.04	204.17	184.55	190.91	224.12	207.81	188.00	186.67
		Tiswadi	170.00	167.96	220.42	175.43	181.54	250.94	228.95	178.81	163.75
		Average	175.01	166.53	210.11	180.96	184.78	234.21	212.47	181.37	143.66
	South Goa	Canacona	186.00	179.33	194.00	180.53	165.00	216.05	197.86	166.92	101.67
		Mormugao	250.00	211.77	263.46	250.00	250.00	296.15	265.91	250.00	250.00
		Quepem	173.20	169.00	187.69	170.00	165.00	226.56	187.69	180.00	NR
		Salcete	229.61	197.45	248.44	228.18	239.00	284.72	248.33	230.67	125.00
		Sanguem	197.08	200.00	233.85	200.00	200.00	255.83	233.85	200.00	NR
		Average	207.18	191.51	225.49	205.74	203.80	255.86	226.73	205.52	158.89
Goa State			191.09	179.02	217.80	193.35	194.29	245.03	219.60	193.44	151.28
Women	North Goa	Bardez	100.83	100.83	111.94	100.57	86.15	NR	113.87	98.67	101.54
		Bicholim	70.43	77.00	103.75	86.67	93.33	NR	104.00	92.73	92.00
		Pernem	79.18	79.38	84.76	77.95	80.00	NR	84.52	70.68	80.00
		Ponda	63.46	100.00	122.27	127.14	128.57	NR	122.27	126.36	100.00
		Satari	55.26	81.15	104.44	90.23	90.00	NR	107.50	90.71	93.33
		Tiswadi	94.38	93.88	115.83	92.61	93.08	NR	120.00	93.33	92.73
		Average	77.26	88.71	107.17	95.86	95.19	NR	108.69	95.41	93.27
	South Goa	Canacona	63.64	98.22	97.33	96.32	83.75	NR	99.29	85.38	88.75
		Mormugao	150.00	114.38	150.00	150.00	137.50	NR	150.00	150.00	150.00
		Quepem	85.50	82.40	85.50	84.69	82.50	NR	95.00	90.00	NR
		Salcete	110.29	109.41	110.29	142.86	127.50	NR	148.33	143.57	125.00
		Sanguem	NR	116.60	NR	120.00	120.00	NR	126.54	120.00	120.00
		Average	102.36	104.20	110.78	118.77	110.25	NR	123.83	117.79	120.94
Goa State			89.81	96.45	108.97	107.32	102.72	NR	116.26	106.60	107.10

Table 2A
Taluka wise Average Daily Wages Of Agricultural Labourers For Field Crops In Goa State 2008-09

(In Rupees)

State	District	Taluka	Digging	General work	Harvesting	Irrigation	Manuring	Ploughing	Threshing	Transplanting	Weeding
Men	North Goa	Bardez	190.00	180.00	222.00	186.00	198.00	278.00	225.00	185.78	148.00
		Bicholim	180.00	185.36	206.00	177.39	186.00	289.65	206.25	183.64	165.00
		Pernem	160.20	178.00	185.00	162.23	169.24	258.35	178.36	162.00	148.37
		Ponda	206.00	203.00	243.00	213.11	215.11	286.00	254.22	195.83	198.00
		Satari	181.00	177.36	203.00	189.35	190.91	278.14	206.10	188.00	186.67
		Tiswadi	185.00	182.06	225.00	185.24	199.60	300.14	230.00	190.12	183.22
		Average	183.70	184.30	214.00	185.55	193.14	281.71	216.66	184.23	171.54
	South Goa	Canacona	183.28	185.00	200.00	185.00	165.00	240.00	198.14	166.92	153.22
		Mormugao	250.00	215.00	264.21	250.00	248.00	310.00	278.15	260.00	250.00
		Quepem	178.00	172.33	184.21	170.00	165.00	236.95	189.85	191.14	NR
		Salcete	236.00	198.36	259.00	256.00	239.00	289.36	248.00	246.32	135.36
		Sanguem	186.00	198.14	236.17	201.33	208.00	264.28	236.00	200.00	NR
		Average	206.66	193.77	228.72	212.47	205.00	268.12	230.03	212.88	179.53
	Goa State		195.18	189.03	221.36	199.01	199.07	274.92	223.34	198.55	175.54
Women	North Goa	Bardez	105.00	100.83	115.00	108.00	90.00	NR	117.00	102.04	102.35
		Bicholim	88.23	89.00	111.00	89.00	94.18	NR	104.00	96.33	96.35
		Pernem	79.18	79.38	89.24	81.14	91.12	NR	90.00	85.21	90.89
		Ponda	102.24	100.00	121.25	127.14	128.10	NR	122.27	128.12	105.22
		Satari	89.22	85.27	104.00	90.23	90.05	NR	106.12	90.71	94.85
		Tiswadi	96.23	96.28	120.00	98.57	96.90	NR	122.00	106.18	106.28
		Average	93.35	91.79	110.08	99.01	98.39	NR	110.23	101.43	99.32
	South Goa	Canacona	93.64	98.22	110.00	98.73	96.25	NR	108.00	92.00	96.25
		Mormugao	150.00	126.00	150.00	150.00	142.00	NR	150.00	150.00	150.00
		Quepem	114.12	100.00	112.00	98.00	90.00	NR	96.00	93.00	NR
		Salcete	132.23	114.00	126.00	142.86	130.53	NR	148.33	143.57	132.00
		Sanguem	NR	116.60	NR	121.59	126.00	NR	126.54	120.00	120.00
		Average	122.50	110.96	124.50	122.24	116.96	NR	125.77	119.71	124.56
	Goa State		107.92	101.38	117.29	110.62	107.67	NR	118.00	110.57	111.94

Table 3 A

Comparison table of Distribution of average wages for Field crops during the year 2007-08 and 2008-09 with percentage growth rate

Field workers	Men						Women					
	North			South			North			South		
	2007-08	2008-09	%	2007-08	2008-09	%	2007-08	2008-09	%	2007-08	2008-09	%
Digging	175.01	183.70	4.97	207.18	206.66	-0.25	77.26	93.35	20.83	102.36	122.50	19.67
General work	166.53	184.30	10.67	191.51	193.77	1.18	88.71	91.79	3.48	104.20	110.96	6.49
Harvesting	210.11	214.00	1.85	225.49	228.72	1.43	107.17	110.08	2.72	110.78	124.50	12.38
Irrigation	180.96	185.55	2.54	205.74	212.47	3.27	95.86	99.01	3.29	118.77	122.24	2.92
Manuring	184.78	193.14	4.53	203.80	205.00	0.59	95.19	98.39	3.37	110.25	116.96	6.08
Ploughing	234.21	281.71	20.28	255.86	268.12	4.79	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Threshing	212.47	216.66	1.97	226.73	230.03	1.46	108.69	110.23	1.42	123.83	125.77	1.57
Transplanting	181.37	184.23	1.58	205.52	212.88	3.58	95.41	101.43	6.31	117.79	119.71	1.63
Weeding	143.66	171.54	19.41	158.89	179.53	12.99	93.27	99.32	6.49	120.94	124.56	2.99

Table 1B
Taluka wise Average Daily Wages Of Agricultural Laboureres for Plantation Crops In Goa State 2007-2008

(In Rupees)

State	District	Taluka	Dehusking Arecanut	Dehusking Coconut	Harvesting Arecanut	Harvesting Coconut	Cashew, apple and nut collection	Digging the pits	Green manuring	Nira extraction	Plantation	Toddy Tapping	Water irrigation
Men	North Goa	Bardez	NR	209.00	NR	259.09	200.00	170.00	NR	200.00	NR	275.00	NR
		Bicholim	NR	NR	241.18	241.18	160.00	160.77	170.00	160.00	166.67	NR	170.00
		Pernem	NR	155.00	NR	247.50	150.00	150.50	NR	150.00	150.00	NR	NR
		Ponda	200.00	200.00	300.00	300.00	NR	206.38	202.08	NR	200.00	NR	200.00
		Satari	175.00	177.14	237.50	250.00	179.17	178.75	178.89	180.00	177.39	250.00	175.71
		Tiswadi	NR	250.00	NR	258.09	160.00	166.67	NR	160.00	NR	250.00	NR
		Average	187.50	198.23	259.56	259.31	169.83	172.18	183.66	170.00	173.52	258.33	181.90
	South Goa	Canacona	NR	246.15	NR	260.19	NR	199.35	NR	NR	200.00	225.00	NR
		Mormugao	250.00	250.00	325.00	337.16	NR	246.55	250.00	NR	250.00	NR	250.00
		Quepem	200.00	221.00	246.67	278.52	203.12	173.78	164.47	NR	173.55	296.88	160.00
		Salcete	NR	246.43	NR	327.42	250.00	232.86	250.00	NR	226.19	250.00	230.77
		Sanguem	NR	242.96	NR	292.10	247.50	195.11	NR	250.00	200.00	NR	NR
		Average	225.00	241.31	285.84	299.08	233.54	209.53	221.49	250.00	209.95	257.29	213.59
Goa State			206.25	219.77	272.70	279.19	201.69	190.85	202.57	210.00	191.73	257.81	197.75
Women	North Goa	Bardez	NR	117.19	NA	NA	100.00	NR	NR	100.00		NA	NR
		Bicholim	NR		NA	NA	80.00	80.00	80.00	80.00	80.00	NA	80.00
		Pernem	NR	75.00	NA	NA	75.00	NR	NR	75.00	75.00	NA	NR
		Ponda	100.00	100.00	NA	NA	NR	NR	102.08	NR	100.00	NA	100.00
		Satari	100.00	100.00	NA	NA	100.00	NR	96.67	100.00	97.39	NA	98.57
		Tiswadi	NR	105.00	NA	NA	80.00	NR	NR	80.00	NR	NA	NR
		Average	100.00	99.44	NA	NA	87.00	80.00	92.92	83.75	88.10	NA	92.86
	South Goa	Canacona	NR	NR	NA	NA	NR	NR	NR	NR	100.00	NA	NR
		Mormugao	150.00	150.00	NA	NA	NR	NR	150.00	NR	150.00	NA	150.00
		Quepem	100.00	118.26	NA	NA	112.50	NR	85.26	NR	88.42	NA	80.00
		Salcete	NR	144.64	NA	NA	150.00	NR	150.00	NR	138.10	NA	130.77
		Sanguem	NR	132.71	NA	NA	147.25	NR	NR	150.00	119.44	NA	NR
		Average	125.00	136.40	NA	NA	136.58	NR	128.42	150.00	119.19	NA	120.26
Goa State			112.50	117.92	NA	NA	111.79	80.00	110.67	116.87	103.64	NA	106.56

Table 2B
Taluka wise Average Daily Wages Of Agricultural Laboureres for Plantation Crops In Goa State 2008-09

(In Rupees)

State	District	Taluka	Dehusking Arecanut	Dehusking Coconut	Harvesting Arecanut	Harvesting Coconut	Cashew, apple and nut collection	Digging the pits	Green manuring	Nira extraction	Plantation	Toddy Tapping	Water irrigation
Men	North Goa	Bardez	NR	215.00	NR	278.00	200.00	180.00	NR	220.00	NR	278.00	NR
		Bicholim	198.00	NR	275.00	282.00	180.00	175.00	180.00	188.00	178.00	NR	190.00
		Pernem	NR	178.00	NR	258.00	168.00	178.00	NR	180.00	169.00	NR	NR
		Ponda	200.00	200.00	300.00	300.00	NR	206.38	202.08	NR	210.00	NR	220.00
		Satari	175.00	184.15	248.00	268.00	188.00	185.00	185.00	185.00	178.00	250.00	190.00
		Tiswadi	NR	250.00	NR	295.00	190.00	200.00	NR	196.00	195.00	278.00	220.00
		Average	191.00	205.43	274.33	280.17	185.20	187.40	189.03	193.80	186.00	268.67	205.00
	South Goa	Canacona	NR	256.00	NR	278.00	NR	198.00	NR	NR	200.00	230.00	NR
		Mormugao	260.00	250.00	325.00	351.30	NR	246.55	250.00	NR	250.00	NR	260.00
		Quepem	200.00	221.00	236.87	285.00	203.12	190.00	186.00	NR	190.00	296.88	190.00
		Salcete	NR	246.43	NR	325.00	250.00	240.00	255.00	NR	247.00	270.00	245.00
		Sanguem	NR	235.00	NR	298.14	243.00	210.00	NR	250.00	210.00	NR	NR
Average		230.00	241.69	280.94	307.49	232.04	216.91	230.33	250.00	219.40	265.63	231.67	
	Goa State		210.50	223.56	277.63	293.83	208.62	202.15	209.68	221.90	202.70	267.15	218.33
Women	North Goa	Bardez	NR	120.00	NR	NR	110.00	NR	NR	100.00	NR	NR	NR
		Bicholim	NR	NR	NR	NR	110.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	NR	100.00
		Pernem	NR	100.00	NR	NR	95.00	NR	NR	90.00	90.00	NR	NR
		Ponda	110.00	120.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	105.00	NR	118.00	NR	110.00
		Satari	108.00	110.00	NR	NR	100.00	NR	98.00	100.00	100.00	NR	104.00
		Tiswadi	NR	120.00	NR	NR	110.00	NR	NR	110.00	NR	NR	NR
		Average	109.00	114.00	NR	NR	105.00	100.00	101.00	100.00	102.00	NR	104.67
	South Goa	Canacona	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	110.00	NR	NR
		Mormugao	150.00	150.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	150.00	NR	150.00	NR	150.00
		Quepem	100.00	118.26	NR	NR	118.90	NR	100.00	NR	98.25	NR	90.00
		Salcete	125.00	144.64	NR	NR	150.00	NR	150.00	NR	140.00	NR	130.77
		Sanguem	NR	132.71	NR	NR	147.25	NR	NR	150.00	119.44	NR	NR
		Average	125.00	136.40	NR	NR	138.72	NR	133.33	150.00	123.54	NR	123.59
	Goa State		117.00	125.20	NR	NR	121.86	100.00	117.17	125.00	112.77	NR	114.13

Table 3B

Comparison table of Distribution of average rural wages for Plantation activities during the year 2007-08 and 2008-09 with percentage growth rate

Plantation activities	Men						Women					
	North			South			North			South		
	2007-08	2008-09	%	2007-08	2008-09	%	2007-08	2008-09	%	2007-08	2008-09	%
Dehusking Arecanut	187.50	191.00	1.87	225.00	230.00	2.22	100.00	109.00	9.00	125.00	125.00	0.00
Dehusking Coconut	198.23	205.43	3.63	241.31	241.69	0.16	99.44	114.00	14.64	136.40	136.40	0.00
Harvesting Arecanut	259.56	274.33	5.69	285.84	280.94	-1.71	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Harvesting Coconut	259.31	280.17	8.04	299.08	307.49	2.81	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Cashew, apple and nut collection	169.83	185.20	9.05	233.54	232.04	-0.64	87.00	105.00	20.69	136.58	138.72	1.56
Digging the pits	172.18	187.40	8.84	209.53	216.91	3.52	80.00	100.00	25.00	NR	NR	NR
Green manuring	183.66	189.03	2.92	221.49	230.33	3.99	92.92	101.00	8.70	128.42	133.33	3.83
Nira extraction	170.00	193.80	14.00	250.00	250.00	0.00	83.75	100.00	19.40	150.00	150.00	0.00
Plantation	173.52	186.00	7.20	209.95	219.40	4.50	88.10	102.00	15.78	119.19	123.54	3.65
Toddy Tapping	258.33	268.67	4.00	257.29	265.63	3.24	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Water irrigation	181.90	205.00	12.70	213.59	231.67	8.46	92.86	104.67	12.72	120.26	123.59	2.77

Table 1 C
Taluka wise Average Daily Wages Of Skilled and Unskilled Workers In Goa State 2007-2008

(In Rupees)

State	District	Taluka	Bamboo and cane Worker	Blacksmith	Carpenter	Mason	others	Potter	Stone cutter	Weaver	Casual labour for construction	Cattle grazing	others	Washerman
Men	North Goa	Bardez	NR	NR	258.59	258.59	NR	201.25	NR	250.00	194.84	NR	NR	194.84
		Bicholim	NR	250.00	250.00	250.00	177.35	NR	250.00	NR	177.50	NR	NR	NR
		Pernem	150.00	NR	219.44	218.06	NR	NR	NR	NR	150.00	80.00	NR	150.00
		Ponda	250.00	300.00	306.52	250.00	NR	250.00	250.00	NR	200.00	100.00	NR	NR
		Satari	200.00	250.00	250.00	250.00	NR	192.86	250.00	NR	185.83	80.00	NR	180.00
		Tiswadi	200.00	NR	250.00	250.00	200.00	NR	NR	200.00	186.67	80.00	NR	NR
		Average	200.00	266.67	255.76	246.11	188.68	214.70	250.00	225.00	182.47	85.00	NR	174.95
	South Goa	Canacona	175.00	NR	276.25	276.25	NR	NR	NR	NR	192.65	116.90	175.00	166.11
		Mormugao	231.67	NR	339.02	278.66	NR	NR	NR	250.00	238.37	100.00	NR	NR
		Quepem	197.30	NR	287.50	294.57	NR	NR	256.77	NR	200.00	100.95	NR	200.00
		Salcete	238.33	NR	302.33	273.84	NR	NR	241.67	NR	238.69	100.00	NR	195.45
		Sanguem	230.29	NR	307.05	292.95	NR	NR	247.41	NR	226.74	116.00	NR	200.00
		Average	214.52	NR	302.43	283.25	NR	NR	248.62	250.00	219.29	106.77	175.00	190.39
Goa State			207.26	266.67	279.09	264.68	188.68	214.70	249.31	237.50	200.88	95.89	175.00	182.67
Women	North Goa	Bardez	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	102.50	NR	150.00	100.00	NR	NR	100.00
		Bicholim	NR	NR	NR	NR	87.65	NR	NR	NR	87.78	NR	NR	NR
		Pernem	75.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	75.00	NR	NR	75.00
		Ponda	150.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	150.00	NR	NR	100.56	NR	NR	NR
		Satari	102.34	NR	NR	NR	NR	107.69	NR	NR	103.19	NR	NR	100.00
		Tiswadi	100.00	NR	NR	NR	100.00	NR	NR	100.00	93.89	NR	NR	NR
		Average	106.84	NR	NR	NR	93.83	120.06	NR	125.00	93.40	NR	NR	91.67
	South Goa	Canacona	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	128.00	NR	200.00	98.33	NR	NR	98.18
		Mormugao	133.33	NR	NR	NR	NR	150.00	NR	136.25	124.42	NR	NR	100.00
		Quepem	114.44	NR	NR	NR	NR	112.50	NR	NR	115.33	60.00	NR	109.52
		Salcete	145.31	NR	NR	NR	NR	150.00	NR	150.00	137.38	NR	NR	101.18
		Sanguem	138.53	NR	NR	NR	NR	142.00	NR	NR	135.00	60.00	NR	115.16
		Average	132.90	NR	NR	NR	NR	136.50	NR	162.08	122.09	60.00	NR	104.81
Goa State			119.87	NR	NR	NR	93.83	128.28	NR	143.54	107.75	60.00	NR	98.24

Table 2 C
Taluka wise Average Daily Wages Of Skilled and Unskilled Workers In Goa State 2008-09

(In Rupees)

State	District	Taluka	Bamboo and cane Worker	Blacksmith	Carpenter	Mason	others	Potter	Stone cutter	Weaver	Casual labour for construction	Cattle grazing	Others	Washerman
Men	North Goa	Bardez	NR	NR	275.00	258.59	186.00	204.00	NR	255.00	200.00	NR	NR	200.00
		Bicholim	NR	250.00	250.00	250.00	175.00	NR	265.00	NR	180.00	NR	NR	NR
		Pernem	160.00	NR	225.00	218.06	NR	NR	NR	NR	153.25	90.00	NR	165.00
		Ponda	250.00	300.00	315.00	275.00	NR	250.00	270.00	NR	200.00	100.00	NR	NR
		Satari	200.00	250.00	250.00	250.00	NR	198.00	250.00	NR	186.90	88.00	NR	186.00
		Tiswadi	225.00	NR	275.00	265.00	205.00	NR	NR	225.00	195.00	82.00	NR	NR
		Average	208.75	266.67	265.00	252.78	188.67	217.33	261.67	240.00	185.86	90.00	NR	183.67
	South Goa	Canacona	NR	NR	255.00	280.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	196.00	121.32	185.00	166.11
		Mormugao	231.00	NR	342.00	285.00	NR	NR	NR	250.00	246.00	112.00	NR	NR
		Quepem	198.00	NR	290.00	296.50	NR	NR	272.00	NR	200.00	106.00	NR	200.00
		Salcete	244.00	NR	310.00	298.35	NR	NR	256.00	NR	242.00	102.36	NR	195.45
		Sanguem	225.00	NR	309.00	291.00	NR	NR	263.72	NR	232.62	117.45	NR	200.00
		Average	224.50	NR	301.20	290.17	NR	NR	263.91	250.00	223.32	111.83	185.00	190.39
Goa State		216.63	266.67	283.10	271.47	188.67	217.33	262.79	245.00	204.59	100.91	185.00	187.03	
Women	North Goa	Bardez	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	108.00	NR	150.00	100.00	NR	NR	100.00
		Bicholim	86.00	NR	NR	NR	90.00	103.25	NR	NR	90.00	NR	NR	90.00
		Pernem	80.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	75.00	NR	NR	80.00
		Ponda	140.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	150.00	NR	NR	116.00	NR	NR	NR
		Satari	106.25	NR	NR	NR	NR	114.00	NR	NR	103.19	NR	NR	110.00
		Tiswadi	110.28	NR	NR	NR	110.00	NR	NR	110.00	112.00	NR	NR	NR
		Average	104.51	NR	NR	NR	100.00	118.81	NR	130.00	99.37	NR	NR	95.00
	South Goa	Canacona	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	138.00	NR	168.00	98.33	NR	NR	105.00
		Mormugao	140.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	150.00	NR	163.00	124.42	NR	NR	112.36
		Quepem	116.46	NR	NR	NR	NR	112.50	NR	NR	114.00	80.00	NR	102.33
		Salcete	146.32	NR	NR	NR	NR	150.00	NR	150.00	135.20	NR	NR	106.35
		Sanguem	138.53	NR	NR	NR	NR	140.00	NR	NR	132.00	70.00	NR	119.00
		Average	135.33	NR	NR	NR	NR	138.10	NR	160.33	120.79	75.00	NR	109.01
Goa State		119.92	NR	NR	NR	100.00	128.46	NR	145.17	110.08	75.00	NR	102.00	

Table 3C

Comparison table of Distribution of average rural wages for Skilled and Unskilled work during the year 2007-08 and 2008-09 with percentage growth rate

Skilled and Unskilled workers	Men						Women					
	North			South			North			South		
	2007-08	2008-09	% growth	2007-08	2008-09	% growth	2007-08	2008-09	% growth	2007-08	2008-09	% growth
Bamboo and cane Worker	200.00	208.75	4.38	214.52	224.50	4.65	106.84	104.51	-2.18	132.90	135.33	1.82
Blacksmith	266.67	266.67	0.00	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Carpenter	255.76	265.00	3.61	302.43	301.20	-0.41	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Mason	246.11	252.78	2.71	283.25	290.17	2.44	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
others	188.68	188.67	0.00	NR	NR	NR	93.83	100.00	6.58	NR	NR	NR
Potter	214.70	217.33	1.22	NR	NR	NR	120.06	118.81	-1.04	136.50	138.10	1.17
Stone cutter	250.00	261.67	4.67	248.62	263.91	6.15	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Weaver	225.00	240.00	6.67	250.00	250.00	0.00	125.00	130.00	4.00	162.08	160.33	-1.08
Casual labour for construction	182.47	185.86	1.86	219.29	223.32	1.84	93.40	99.37	6.38	122.09	120.79	-1.06
Cattle grazing	85.00	90.00	5.88	106.77	111.83	4.74	NR	NR	NR	60.00	75.00	25.00
others	NR	NR	NR	175.00	185.00	5.71	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Washerman	174.95	183.67	4.98	190.39	190.39	0.00	91.67	95.00	3.64	104.81	109.01	4.01