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Sri Lanka (2008-2009)

Cost of Production of Made Tea per Kilo - 2008 (CPT 2008)

Overview

Type	Administrative Records, Other (ad/oth]
Identification	LKA-STB-CPT-2008-v1.0
Version	Production Date: 2009 V1.0: Full edited dataset, for internal DPD Use

Abstract

The cost of production of tea estimates are based on a survey carried out jointly by the Department of Census and Statistics and the Tea Commissioner's Division - Sri Lanka Tea Board.

Brief History

Sri Lanka Tea Board was established on 1st January 1976 by amalgamating the Tea Control Department, Tea Export Commissioner's Department, Ceylon tea Propaganda Board and the Tea Research Institute of Sri Lanka under the Sri Lanka Tea Board law No. 14 of 1975 as amended by Act No. 17 of 1985, No. 14 of 1990, No. 29 of 2003 and No. 44 of 2006.

In the year 1994 the Tea Research Institute separated from the Sri Lanka Tea Board law and came under the Tea Research Board established under the Tea Research Board Act. No. 52 of 1993.

The Primary objectives of the Sri Lanka Tea Board under the above act are the Development of the Tea Industry in Sri Lanka, promotion of Ceylon (Sri Lanka) Tea globally, implementing Regulatory requirements of the tea industry. The major regulatory activities of the tea industry covering production, cultivating and replanting, establishment of tea factories, their operation, regulate Colombo Tea Auction, maintaining quality standards of tea, packaging and warehousing requirements etc framed both under the Sri Lanka Tea Board Law and the Tea Control Act No. 51 of 1957 and the Tea (Tax and Control of Exports) Act No. 16 of 1959.

Tea is grown in the cold climate - usually in the hill country. In Sri Lanka, Tea plantations which are called tea estates are clustered into three regions according to their elevation from mean sea level. The teas coming from estates located in the regions of the highest elevation is called High grown tea or Up-country tea which is famous as the best tea in the world. Low grown tea also grows in cold climates especially in the southern hilly region where the elevation is not as high as of the Up-country. The three kinds of teas thus produced by Sri Lanka have their own characteristics such as flavour, color, texture etc. specific to the elevation.

A tea estate is normally managed by a superintendent who has to report to a private owner (provided the estate is owned by a private owner) or a plantation company handling multiple estates. Some estates have their own factories, those who do not own a factory supply their green leaf to a nearby factory for processing where they are paid at a weekly rate declared by the government taking the market conditions into account. The teas purchased from outside estates by a factory are called Bought leaf.

The number of workers employed in a large tea estate can well exceed thousand. Some of them are resident in the estate. The activities that the workers perform are monitored on a daily basis such as plucking, pruning, fertilizing and so forth. The cost of production of made tea is a good indicator of measuring the performance of an estate. Therefore all costs are closely monitored. To facilitate this, a special kind of ledger called the CHECKROLL is used in the offices of the factory and the estates. This is like a day book. The estate can decide on the type of checkrolls they are maintaining in order to simplify the recording of various types of estate costs as well as the tasks assigned to workers and the material quantities utilized.

Some examples of different checkrolls are daily wages checkroll, fertilizer checkroll, factory process checkroll etc. The daily wages checkroll has a name column and thirty one columns for each month. In the name column the worker's name is recorded. Any task he is assigned to on a particular day is recorded with a task code in the day's column against his name. Each activity has a task code. At the end of the month the costs are analyzed by the task codes to obtain payables and to work out accounting entries.

Kind of Data	Administrative records data [adm]
Unit of Analysis	Tea factory

Scope & Coverage

Scope

The purpose of this operation is to determine the Cost of production of Made Tea per kilo for the year per each factory categorized into High, Mid and Low grown areas.

This scope includes :

Extent of plantation under Bearing and non-bearing by V.P and Seedling

Quantity of tea produced in factory categorized by estate leaf and bought leaf

Expenditure incurred during the year on

Replanting

Upkeep and cultivation

Green leaf

Manufacturing

General expenses

Marketing, Management and other expenses

Geographic Coverage

National Coverage of Tea estates under the ownership of Sri Lanka State Plantations Corporation, Janatha Estate Development Board, Cooperatives, Other tea manufacturing organizations and private estates.

Universe

This data collection operation covered all tea factories in the High grown, Mid grown and Low grown elevations in Sri Lanka.

Producers & Sponsors

Primary Investigator(s)	Tea Commissioner, Ministry of Plantation Industries
Funding Agency/ies	Sri Lanka Tea Board (STB) , Source of funds

Data Collection

Data Collection Dates	start 2008 end 2009
Data Collection Mode	Mail Questionnaire [mail]

Questionnaires

The purpose of the questionnaire is to collect data pertaining to the cost of production of made tea by each

factory. Therefore the quantity of tea produced and cost incurred were important.

The quantity of tea produced depend on two figures viz green leaf produced by the estate if the factory is the property of the estate and the bought leaf supplied to the factory by the registered outside estate owners.

The extent of the tea planted in the estate is need.

Cost of production of tea includes the following costs:

weeding)	Replanting costs (uprooting, conservation of soil, planting materials and planting, fertilizer,
	Upkeep and cultivation (labour, materials/tools, transport)
	Green leaf cost (estate leaf and bought leaf)
	Manufacturing costs
	General charges (staff, admin charges, marketing and management charges)
	Quantity of tea produced by the factory

Data Collector(s)	
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Supervision

Each estate / factory has its own office. The main register in recording all estate activities such as routine expenses, daily labour hours, etc is the checkroll. The estate / factory staff record the information in the checkroll. At the end of the month total figures are posted from the checkroll to the ledgers.

Data Processing & Appraisal

Data Editing

A simple form has been administered to collect the information as this operation is an administrative record keeping activity. The data filled in the form must be in consistence with the figures in the books maintained by the estate / factory.

Against each cost item, a unit cost column is provided in the questionnaire. This has to be computed by the estate / factory staff. The unit cost figure helps the staff to know whether the cost figures they provide are consistent.

Accessibility

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[Department : The Department of Census and Statistics (DCS)]

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Files Description

Dataset contains 1 file(s)

CPT08	
# Cases	64
# Variable(s)	76

Variables List

Dataset contains 76 variable(s)

File CPT08							
#	Name	Label	Type	Format	Valid	Invalid	Question
1	V1	Elevation	discrete	numeric-1.0	64	0	-
2	V2	Schedule No	continuous	numeric-3.0	64	0	-
3	V3	Extent in Bearing - V.P.	discrete	numeric-9.2	36	28	-
4	V4	Extent not in Bearing - V.P.	discrete	numeric-9.2	15	49	-
5	V5	Extent in Bearing - Seedling	discrete	numeric-9.2	22	42	-
6	V6	Extent not in Bearing - Seedling	discrete	numeric-9.2	4	60	-
7	V7	Qty of Tea Produced in factory from estate leaf	continuous	numeric-9.0	36	28	-
8	V8	Qty of Tea Produced in factory from bought leaf	continuous	numeric-9.0	57	7	-
9	V9	Uprooting area (in Hectares)	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
10	V10	Planting area (in Hectares)	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
11	V11	Fertilized area (in Hectares)	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
12	V12	Weeding area (in Hectares)	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
13	V13	Uprooting Cost	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
14	V14	Planting Cost	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
15	V15	Fertilizer Cost	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
16	V16	Weeding Cost	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
17	V17	Labour/Weeding, upkeep of fences, establish	continuous	numeric-9.0	33	31	-
18	V18	Labour/Control of pests and diseases	continuous	numeric-9.0	27	37	-
19	V19	Labour/Manuring	continuous	numeric-9.0	20	44	-
20	V20	Labour/Plucking	continuous	numeric-9.0	34	30	-
21	V21	Labour/Pruning	continuous	numeric-9.0	34	30	-
22	V22	Labour/Supply of vacancies	continuous	numeric-9.0	17	47	-
23	V23	Labour/Terracing and draining	continuous	numeric-9.0	32	32	-
24	V24	Labour/Field watchers	continuous	numeric-9.0	32	32	-
25	V25	Labour/Miscellaneous	continuous	numeric-9.0	27	37	-
26	V26	Materials,tools/Fixing barbed wires, posts	continuous	numeric-9.0	14	50	-

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File CPT08 (cont.)							
#	Name	Label	Type	Format	Valid	Invalid	Question
27	V27	Materials, tools/Control of pests and diseases	continuous	numeric-9.0	20	44	-
28	V28	Materials, tools/Fertilizer	continuous	numeric-9.0	29	35	-
29	V29	Materials, tools/Other	continuous	numeric-9.0	27	37	-
30	V30	Transport (prod & suprvsn)/Wages of drivers and cleaners	continuous	numeric-9.0	39	25	-
31	V31	Transport(prod & suprvsn)/Repairs to vehicles	continuous	numeric-9.0	37	27	-
32	V32	Transport(prod & suprvsn)/Fuel	continuous	numeric-9.0	36	28	-
33	V33	Cost of Green Leaf/Estate leaf	continuous	numeric-9.0	33	31	-
34	V34	Cost of Green leaf/Bought leaf	continuous	numeric-9.0	51	13	-
35	V35	Manuf costs/Factory labour	continuous	numeric-9.0	59	5	-
36	V36	Manuf costs/Fuel for engines	continuous	numeric-9.0	41	23	-
37	V37	Manuf costs/Oil for driers	continuous	numeric-9.0	15	49	-
38	V38	Manuf costs/Firewood for driers	continuous	numeric-9.0	56	8	-
39	V39	Manuf costs/Electricity	continuous	numeric-9.0	62	2	-
40	V40	Manuf costs/Machinery upkeep	continuous	numeric-9.0	62	2	-
41	V41	Manuf costs/Factory Bldg upkeep	continuous	numeric-9.0	57	7	-
42	V42	Manuf costs/Packing materials	continuous	numeric-9.0	62	2	-
43	V43	Manuf costs/Factory sundries	continuous	numeric-9.0	58	6	-
44	V44	General chgs - sup staff/salaries	continuous	numeric-9.0	38	26	-
45	V45	General chgs - sup staff/visiting chgs	continuous	numeric-9.0	23	41	-
46	V46	General chgs - labour/holiday wages	continuous	numeric-9.0	57	7	-
47	V47	General chgs - labour/feeding, schooling	continuous	numeric-9.0	33	31	-
48	V48	General chgs- labour/Concessionary grants	continuous	numeric-9.0	42	22	-
49	V49	General chgs- labour/Sanitary, medical, maternity	continuous	numeric-9.0	55	9	-

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File CPT08 (cont.)							
#	Name	Label	Type	Format	Valid	Invalid	Question
50	V50	General chgs-labour/Contribution to EPF	continuous	numeric-9.0	41	23	-
51	V51	General chgs - upkeep/bunglows, roads, bldgs, lines	continuous	numeric-9.0	57	7	-
52	V52	General chgs - upkeep/Interest	continuous	numeric-9.0	43	21	-
53	V53	General chgs - upkeep/Insurance	continuous	numeric-9.0	59	5	-
54	V54	General chgs - upkeep/Depreciation	continuous	numeric-9.0	42	22	-
55	V55	General chgs - upkeep/Bank chgs, commissions	continuous	numeric-9.0	57	7	-
56	V56	General chgs - upkeep/Other cpxenses	continuous	numeric-9.0	23	41	-
57	V57	General chgs - Office & other/Stationery, postage, phone, subscrptns	continuous	numeric-9.0	62	2	-
58	V58	General chgs - Office & other/Auditor's fees	continuous	numeric-9.0	54	10	-
59	V59	General chgs - Office & other/Rent	continuous	numeric-9.0	19	45	-
60	V60	General chgs - Office & other/Acrage fees, local taxes	continuous	numeric-9.0	43	21	-
61	V61	General chgs - Office & other/Salaries , wages	continuous	numeric-9.0	51	13	-
62	V62	General chgs - Office & other/Other general exp	continuous	numeric-9.0	32	32	-
63	V63	General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Transport to Col auction or port of shipping	continuous	numeric-9.0	54	10	-
64	V64	General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/ Storage and handling	continuous	numeric-9.0	31	33	-
65	V65	General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Brokerage	continuous	numeric-9.0	31	33	-
66	V66	General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Head office costs	continuous	numeric-9.0	27	37	-
67	V67	General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Salaries & wages	continuous	numeric-9.0	7	57	-
68	V68	General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Any other expenses	continuous	numeric-9.0	17	47	-

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File CPT08 (cont.)							
#	Name	Label	Type	Format	Valid	Invalid	Question
69	V69	Cost of Production	continuous	numeric-9.2	53	11	-
70	V70	Net Sale average	discrete	numeric-9.2	13	51	-
71	V71	V71	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
72	V72	V72	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
73	V73	V73	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
74	V74	V74	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
75	V75	V75	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-
76	V76	V76	continuous	numeric-9.0	0	64	-

Variables Description

Dataset contains 76 variable(s)

File CPT08

#1 V1: Elevation

Information	[Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Range= 1-3] [Missing=*]		
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=64 /-] [Invalid=0 /-]		
Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
1	High	15	23.4%
2	Mid	9	14.1%
3	Low	40	62.5%
Warning: these figures indicate the number of cases found in the data file. They cannot be interpreted as summary statistics of the population of interest.			

#2 V2: Schedule No

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 1-64] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=64 /-] [Invalid=0 /-] [Mean=32.5 /-] [StdDev=18.619 /-]

#3 V3: Extent in Bearing - V.P.

Information	[Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=36 /-] [Invalid=28 /-]
Frequency table not shown (36 Modalities)	

#4 V4: Extent not in Bearing - V.P.

Information	[Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]		
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=15 /-] [Invalid=49 /-]		
Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
1		1	6.7%
2		1	6.7%
3		1	6.7%
4		1	6.7%
5		1	6.7%
6		1	6.7%
7		1	6.7%
8		1	6.7%
9		2	13.3%
10		1	6.7%
11		1	6.7%
12		1	6.7%

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File CPT08 (cont.)

#4 V4: Extent not in Bearing - V.P. (cont.)

Value (cont.)	Label	Cases	Percentage
13		1	6.7%
14		1	6.7%
Sysmiss		49	

Warning: these figures indicate the number of cases found in the data file. They cannot be interpreted as summary statistics of the population of interest.

#5 V5: Extent in Bearing - Seedling

Information	[Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]		
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=22 /-] [Invalid=42 /-]		
Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
1		1	4.5%
2		1	4.5%
3		1	4.5%
4		1	4.5%
5		1	4.5%
6		1	4.5%
7		1	4.5%
8		1	4.5%
9		1	4.5%
10		1	4.5%
11		1	4.5%
12		1	4.5%
13		1	4.5%
14		1	4.5%
15		1	4.5%
16		1	4.5%
17		1	4.5%
18		1	4.5%
19		2	9.1%
20		1	4.5%
21		1	4.5%
Sysmiss		42	

Warning: these figures indicate the number of cases found in the data file. They cannot be interpreted as summary statistics of the population of interest.

#6 V6: Extent not in Bearing - Seedling

Information	[Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]		
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=4 /-] [Invalid=60 /-]		

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File CPT08 (cont.)

#6 V6: Extent not in Bearing - Seedling (cont.)

Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
1		2	50.0%
2		1	25.0%
3		1	25.0%
Sysmiss		60	

Warning: these figures indicate the number of cases found in the data file. They cannot be interpreted as summary statistics of the population of interest.

#7 V7: Qty of Tea Produced in factory from estate leaf

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-939466] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=36 /-] [Invalid=28 /-] [Mean=298155.139 /-] [StdDev=289587.309 /-]

#8 V8: Qty of Tea Produced in factory from bought leaf

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 116-2465427] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=57 /-] [Invalid=7 /-] [Mean=634241.158 /-] [StdDev=630760.79 /-]

#9 V9: Uprooting area (in Hectares)

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]

#10 V10: Planting area (in Hectares)

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]

#11 V11: Fertilized area (in Hectares)

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]

#12 V12: Weeding area (in Hectares)

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]

#13 V13: Uprooting Cost

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
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File CPT08 (cont.)

#13 V13: Uprooting Cost (cont.)

Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]
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#14 V14: Planting Cost

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]
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#15 V15: Fertilizer Cost

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]
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#16 V16: Weeding Cost

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]
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#17 V17: Labour/Weeding, upkeep of fences, establish

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 91699-9690821] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=33 /-] [Invalid=31 /-] [Mean=2019245.97 /-] [StdDev=2014307.927 /-]
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#18 V18: Labour/Control of pests and diseases

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 325-2023948] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=27 /-] [Invalid=37 /-] [Mean=309559.222 /-] [StdDev=470466.371 /-]
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#19 V19: Labour/Manuring

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 5040-20622591] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=20 /-] [Invalid=44 /-] [Mean=5434522.95 /-] [StdDev=6537508.178 /-]
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#20 V20: Labour/Plucking

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 160988-75371393] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=34 /-] [Invalid=30 /-] [Mean=24362163.941 /-] [StdDev=23726782.437 /-]
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#21 V21: Labour/Pruning

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 11740-2615615] [Missing=*]
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File CPT08 (cont.)

#21 V21: Labour/Pruning (cont.)

Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=34 -] [Invalid=30 -] [Mean=676532.265 -] [StdDev=652410.11 -]
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#22 V22: Labour/Supply of vacancies

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 2974-959959] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=17 -] [Invalid=47 -] [Mean=215573.647 -] [StdDev=268568.703 -]
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#23 V23: Labour/Terracing and draining

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 450-629986] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=32 -] [Invalid=32 -] [Mean=201979.75 -] [StdDev=201470.664 -]
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#24 V24: Labour/Field watchers

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 14400-1800000] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=32 -] [Invalid=32 -] [Mean=478827.406 -] [StdDev=393599.789 -]
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#25 V25: Labour/Miscellaneous

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 27470-10834373] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=27 -] [Invalid=37 -] [Mean=2104767.037 -] [StdDev=3034536.803 -]
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#26 V26: Materials,tools/Fixing barbed wires, posts

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-764879] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=14 -] [Invalid=50 -] [Mean=149883.143 -] [StdDev=240927.585 -]
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#27 V27: Materials, tools/Control of pests and diseases

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 5930-5672230] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=20 -] [Invalid=44 -] [Mean=768044.45 -] [StdDev=1296734.454 -]
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#28 V28: Materials, tools/Fertilizer

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-20108602] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=29 -] [Invalid=35 -] [Mean=5816265.586 -] [StdDev=5464938.781 -]
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#29 V29: Materials, tools/Other

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-10188439] [Missing=*]
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#29 V29: Materials, tools/Other (cont.)

Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=27 -/] [Invalid=37 -/] [Mean=781427.741 -/] [StdDev=2019943.886 -/]
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#30 V30: Transport (prod & suprvsn)/Wages of drivers and cleaners

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-6343405] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=39 -/] [Invalid=25 -/] [Mean=1179866.103 -/] [StdDev=1378142.985 -/]
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#31 V31: Transport(prod & suprvsn)/Repairs to vehicles

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-4000000] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=37 -/] [Invalid=27 -/] [Mean=864266.865 -/] [StdDev=851000.657 -/]
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#32 V32: Transport(prod & suprvsn)/Fuel

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-3844403] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=36 -/] [Invalid=28 -/] [Mean=1116714.25 -/] [StdDev=914327.953 -/]
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#33 V33: Cost of Green Leaf/Estate leaf

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-191811396] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=33 -/] [Invalid=31 -/] [Mean=40197912.909 -/] [StdDev=52441715.172 -/]
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#34 V34: Cost of Green leaf/Bought leaf

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 1797582-594277382] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=51 -/] [Invalid=13 -/] [Mean=132509152.255 -/] [StdDev=119225924.223 -/]
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#35 V35: Manuf costs/Factory labour

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 72000-34554687] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=59 -/] [Invalid=5 -/] [Mean=7759469.983 -/] [StdDev=7333219.015 -/]
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#36 V36: Manuf costs/Fuel for engines

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 16400-17100168] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=41 -/] [Invalid=23 -/] [Mean=1459645.537 -/] [StdDev=3018681.569 -/]
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#37 V37: Manuf costs/Oil for driers

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-12965421] [Missing=*]
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#37 V37: Manuf costs/Oil for driers (cont.)

Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=15 -] [Invalid=49 -] [Mean=3560873.2 -] [StdDev=3624780.053 -]
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#38 V38: Manuf costs/Firewood for driers

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 89884-12832047] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=56 -] [Invalid=8 -] [Mean=4356030.839 -] [StdDev=3033860.535 -]
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#39 V39: Manuf costs/Electricity

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 107344-14937163] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=62 -] [Invalid=2 -] [Mean=4442781.355 -] [StdDev=2788790.068 -]
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#40 V40: Manuf costs/Machinery upkeep

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 30567-6884160] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=62 -] [Invalid=2 -] [Mean=1916662.871 -] [StdDev=1729720.156 -]
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#41 V41: Manuf costs/Factory Bldg upkeep

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 35582-10496623] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=57 -] [Invalid=7 -] [Mean=1214757.842 -] [StdDev=1962520.43 -]
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#42 V42: Manuf costs/Packing materials

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 24536-8377157] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=62 -] [Invalid=2 -] [Mean=1778257.113 -] [StdDev=1567937.163 -]
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#43 V43: Manuf costs/Factory sundries

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 13923-7329175] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=58 -] [Invalid=6 -] [Mean=1208773.207 -] [StdDev=1566543.94 -]
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#44 V44: General chgs - sup staff/salaries

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-28747242] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=38 -] [Invalid=26 -] [Mean=4128164.842 -] [StdDev=5358716.911 -]
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#45 V45: General chgs - sup staff/visiting chgs

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-1500398] [Missing=*]
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#45 V45: General chgs - sup staff/visiting chgs (cont.)

Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=23 -] [Invalid=41 -] [Mean=293115.304 -] [StdDev=388710.483 -]
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#46 V46: General chgs - labour/holiday wages

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-5421000] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=57 -] [Invalid=7 -] [Mean=1243031.789 -] [StdDev=1488923.852 -]
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#47 V47: General chgs - labour/feeding, schooling

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 2100-3615927] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=33 -] [Invalid=31 -] [Mean=661895.606 -] [StdDev=809164.958 -]
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#48 V48: General chgs- labour/Concessionary grants

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 20000-15028959] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=42 -] [Invalid=22 -] [Mean=1271327.881 -] [StdDev=2489739.068 -]
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#49 V49: General chgs- labour/Sanitary, medical, maternity

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 390-4912305] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=55 -] [Invalid=9 -] [Mean=908918.982 -] [StdDev=1268582.054 -]
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#50 V50: General chgs- labour/Contribution to EPF

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-61671906] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=41 -] [Invalid=23 -] [Mean=2856989.244 -] [StdDev=9693596.204 -]
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#51 V51: General chgs - upkeep/bungalows, roads, bldgs, lines

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-10504304] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=57 -] [Invalid=7 -] [Mean=1492746.649 -] [StdDev=1826479.086 -]
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#52 V52: General chgs - upkeep/Interest

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 167-20198613] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=43 -] [Invalid=21 -] [Mean=3303757.163 -] [StdDev=4245128.516 -]
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#53 V53: General chgs - upkeep/Insurance

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 39164-1584431] [Missing=*]
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#53 V53: General chgs - upkeep/Insurance (cont.)

Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=59 /-] [Invalid=5 /-] [Mean=386194.949 /-] [StdDev=286705.735 /-]
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#54 V54: General chgs - upkeep/Depreciation

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-16242519] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=42 /-] [Invalid=22 /-] [Mean=3181937.238 /-] [StdDev=3122818.488 /-]

#55 V55: General chgs - upkeep/Bank chgs, commissions

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 19126-5720503] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=57 /-] [Invalid=7 /-] [Mean=660419.825 /-] [StdDev=1104208.597 /-]

#56 V56: General chgs - upkeep/Other expenses

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-6378397] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=23 /-] [Invalid=41 /-] [Mean=971076.739 /-] [StdDev=1638604.495 /-]

#57 V57: General chgs - Office & other/Stationery, postage, phone, subscrptns

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-3715000] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=62 /-] [Invalid=2 /-] [Mean=653663.403 /-] [StdDev=731514.876 /-]

#58 V58: General chgs - Office & other/Auditor's fees

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 3000-784158] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=54 /-] [Invalid=10 /-] [Mean=103312.259 /-] [StdDev=117932.195 /-]

#59 V59: General chgs - Office & other/Rent

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-4540871] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=19 /-] [Invalid=45 /-] [Mean=1365708.105 /-] [StdDev=1568195.832 /-]

#60 V60: General chgs - Office & other/Acrage fees, local taxes

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-2282081] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=43 /-] [Invalid=21 /-] [Mean=169107.953 /-] [StdDev=368233.534 /-]

#61 V61: General chgs - Office & other/Salaries , wages

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 97000-11793885] [Missing=*]
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#61 V61: General chgs - Office & other/Salaries , wages (cont.)

Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=51 -/] [Invalid=13 -/] [Mean=2096765.235 -/] [StdDev=2425057.203 -/]
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#62 V62: General chgs - Office & other/Other general exp

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 0-15629613] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=32 -/] [Invalid=32 -/] [Mean=1291893.156 -/] [StdDev=2931334.511 -/]
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#63 V63: General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Transport to Col auction or port of shipping

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 41569-4169018] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=54 -/] [Invalid=10 -/] [Mean=1090463.537 -/] [StdDev=773938.087 -/]
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#64 V64: General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/ Storage and handling

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 50496-6534000] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=31 -/] [Invalid=33 -/] [Mean=1209415.097 -/] [StdDev=1495739.107 -/]
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#65 V65: General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Brokerage

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 184352-24160921] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=31 -/] [Invalid=33 -/] [Mean=3710569.903 -/] [StdDev=4605608.317 -/]
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#66 V66: General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Head office costs

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 23054-14508103] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=27 -/] [Invalid=37 -/] [Mean=3996044.667 -/] [StdDev=4303193.652 -/]
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#67 V67: General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Salaries & wages

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 100000-3540418] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=7 -/] [Invalid=57 -/] [Mean=1030954 -/] [StdDev=1260684.129 -/]
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#68 V68: General chgs - Marketing, Mgt and other/Any other expenses

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 17140-11513730] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=17 -/] [Invalid=47 -/] [Mean=1483083.176 -/] [StdDev=2949782.964 -/]
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#69 V69: Cost of Production

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Range= 149.51-642.76] [Missing=*]
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#69 V69: Cost of Production (cont.)

Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=53 /-] [Invalid=11 /-] [Mean=289.788 /-] [StdDev=66.214 /-]
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#70 V70: Net Sale average

Information	[Type= discrete] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=13 /-] [Invalid=51 /-]
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Value	Label	Cases	Percentage
1	220.50	1	7.7%
2	284.74	1	7.7%
3	297.26	1	7.7%
4	179.57	1	7.7%
5	392.92	1	7.7%
6	220.27	1	7.7%
7	359.55	1	7.7%
8	236.46	1	7.7%
9	253.34	1	7.7%
10	263.16	1	7.7%
11	273.09	1	7.7%
12	276.77	1	7.7%
13	0.00	1	7.7%
Sysmiss		51	

Warning: these figures indicate the number of cases found in the data file. They cannot be interpreted as summary statistics of the population of interest.

#71 V71: V71

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]
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#72 V72: V72

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]
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#73 V73: V73

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
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Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]
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#74 V74: V74

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]

#75 V75: V75

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]

#76 V76: V76

Information	[Type= continuous] [Format=numeric] [Missing=*]
Statistics [NW/ W]	[Valid=0 /-] [Invalid=64 /-]

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