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1.0 Introduction

The economy of Lesotho is mostly dependent on agriculture. The type of agriculture practiced is mainly subsistence with minimal commercial farming. Agriculture is practiced across ten districts of Lesotho and covers four ecological zones; the Lowlands, Foothills, Mountain and Senqu River Valley (SRV). The Lowlands zone is most densely populated and intensively cultivated with relatively high chance of rainfall hence allows cultivation of summer and winter cropping. The Foothills zone as compared to Lowlands is less populated and has low rainfall. The Mountain zone is the largest zone of the country that is characterized by very cold winter, thus allowing only summer cropping. Senqu River Valley is the smallest zone which runs from the east to the west across the districts of Thaba-Tseka, Qacha's Nek, Quthing and Mohale's Hoek along the Valley of Senqu River. The Valley is characterised by low rainfall especially in the South Western portion. It also allows both summer and winter cropping.

Agricultural Production Survey (APS) is an annual survey, which is undertaken by Agriculture and Food Security Statistics Division. APS runs from the 1st of August to 31st July of the following year. APS concentrates on the production of both livestock and crops in the rural parts of the country.

The report covers household characteristics, area ploughed, planted, disked, weeded and harvested, crop production and yield, Inputs applied on fields for both summer and winter seasons. It also covers the costs incurred for crop production.

1.1 Sample Design

Stratified multi-stage cluster sampling design was adopted for the selection of the sample of APS for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Two or three enumeration areas were combined to form a Primary Sampling Unit (PSU). A total of 100 PSU's were selected at the first stage in the rural areas of the country. A Probability Proportional to Size (PPS) was used for the selection of PSU's where households were taken as a measure of size. Individual farming households constitute Secondary Sampling Units (SSU's) and systematic sampling technique was adopted for selection of SSU's. For the estimation of crop yield, ten fields for each of the main crops per PSU were selected following systematic sampling technique and these fields constitute third stage sample units.

APS stratified farming households into:

- Households operating at least one field;
- Households raising at least one cow, sheep and or goat, 50 chicken and improved pig.

1.2 Method of Data Collection

All fields operated by selected farming households whether planted or fallow were measured. Field measurement was done using Global Positioning System (GPS). Each enumerator was responsible for one PSU. Data on yield was collected from two sampled sub-plots of 10 square meters each from selected fields.

Sub-plots were located using random numbers; the enumerators selected a random number to locate point 1 which is between 1 and the longest length of the field and the second random number; point 2 which is between 1 and the longest width of the field.

For yield calculation, an average weight of grains from the two sub-plots was taken for each field and average yield of the PSU in each zone within the district was derived. In order to get Production, area harvested was multiplied by its crop yield.

Information on operations, inputs and their costs were collected from the farming households through face to face interview.

Note:

Zeros in this report do not necessarily mean that there were no agricultural operations performed or inputs used, but the sampled households did not perform such activities.

2.0 Results and Findings

The section covers information on production of five major crops: Maize, Wheat, Sorghum, Beans and Peas for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Household characteristics and costs of production are also included. Area failed under each crop and reasons for crop failure are also covered.

2.1 Household Characteristics

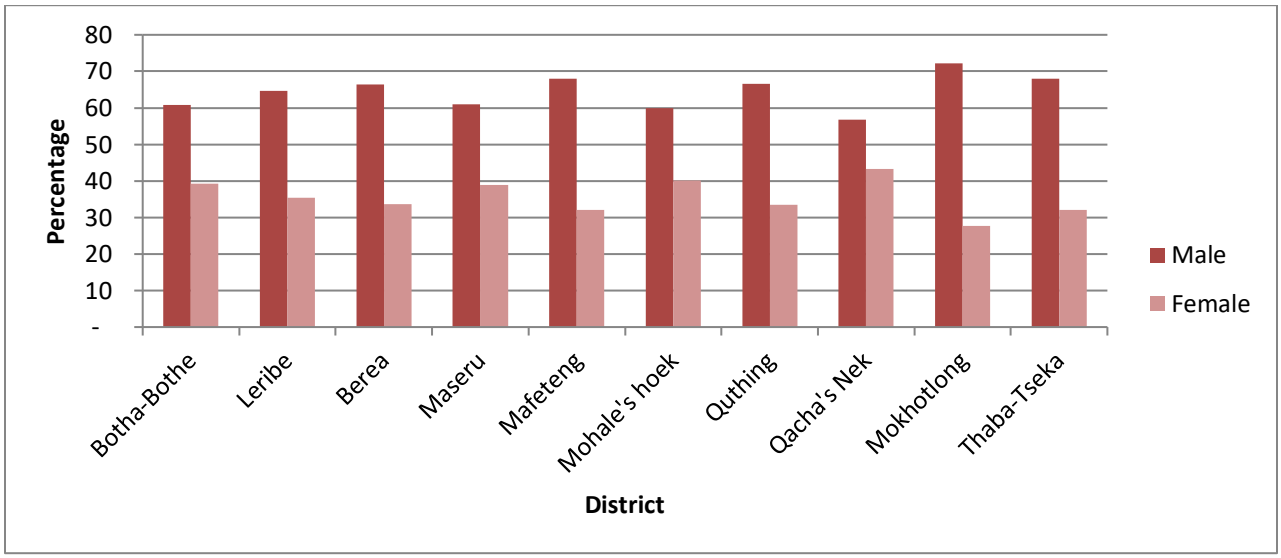
The section provides household characteristics of farming households in the rural areas of Lesotho during 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Some demographic characteristics such as age, sex, education and residential status are discussed.

2.1.1 Agricultural Household Heads

A household head is a person who makes day to day decisions for the household and whose authority is acknowledged by other members.

According to 2016/2017 Agricultural Year, the total number of farming household heads was estimated to be 304,836. Figure 1 depicts Percentage Distribution of Household Heads by District and Sex for the 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. In all districts, there were more male headed households than female headed households. Mokhotlong had the highest proportion of male headed households with 72.3 percent followed by Mafeteng and Thaba-Tseka with 68.0 percent and 67.9 percent respectively. Qacha's Nek had dominated in female headed households with 43.3 percent.

Figure 1: Percentage Distribution of Household Heads by District and Sex, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year



2.1.2 Residential Status of Household Head

Some agricultural household heads make decisions and other members acknowledge their authority even when they are not present within the household. Table 1 shows Percentage Distribution of Household Heads by Residential Status, Sex and District. According to Table 1 Mokhotlong had the highest percentage of males (71.7) who were present followed by Thaba-Tseka with 65.2 while Qacha's Nek had the highest

percentage (52.8) of females who were present followed by Mohale's Hoek with 44.6 percent.

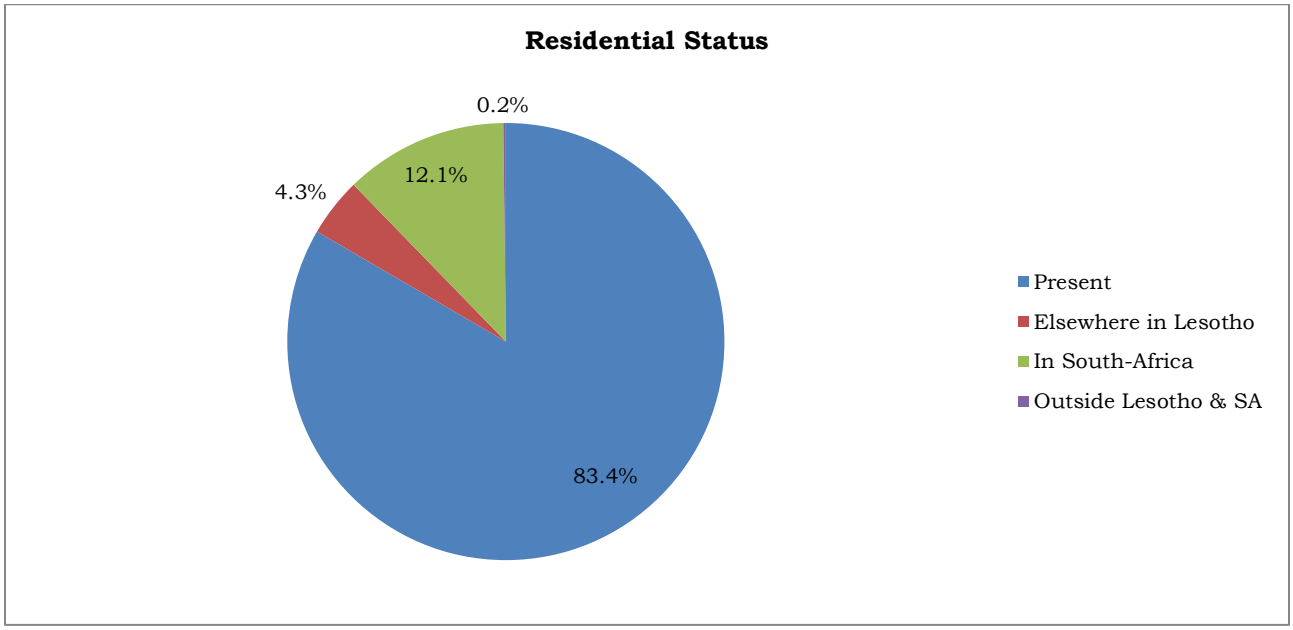
On the other hand Qacha's Nek had the highest percentage of males who were absent (95.8) while Maseru and Mokhotlong had the highest percentage of females who were absent with 20.9 and 20.0 percent respectively.

Table 1: Percentage Distribution of Household Heads by Residential Status and Sex, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Present			Absent		
District	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**	**Male**	**Female**	**Total**
Botha-Bothe	58.0	42.0	**100**	75.0	25.0	**100**
Leribe	59.3	40.7	**100**	84.9	15.1	**100**
Berea	62.3	37.7	**100**	80.8	19.2	**100**
Maseru	57.8	42.2	**100**	80.0	20.0	**100**
Mafeteng	64.5	35.5	**100**	81.0	19.0	**100**
Mohale's hoek	55.4	44.6	**100**	82.3	17.7	**100**
Quthing	63.8	36.2	**100**	87.9	12.1	**100**
Qacha's Nek	47.2	52.8	**100**	95.8	4.2	**100**
Mokhotlong	71.7	28.3	**100**	79.1	20.9	**100**
Thaba-Tseka	65.2	34.8	**100**	90.4	9.6	**100**

Figure 2 shows percentage distribution of household heads by Residential Status, according to figure 2 most household heads were present (83.4 percent), followed by those who were in South-Africa with (12.1 percent)

Figure 2: Percentage Distribution of Household Heads by Residential Status, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year



2.1.3 Household Members Contributing to Farming Activities

Table 2 reflects Percentage Distribution of Household Members Contributing to Farming by District and Months during the 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. It can be observed from the table that 20.0 percent of members in Maseru contributed for the whole agricultural year ("10-12" months). Leribe and Mafeteng had the highest percentage of household members who contributed for "1-3" months with 21.5 percent and 17.7 percent respectively.

Table2: Percentage Distribution of Household Members Contributing to Farming by District and Month, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	1-3mths	4-6 mths	7-9mths	10-12 mths
Botha-Bothe	4.6	5.5	7.7	7.4
Leribe	21.5	9.7	17.3	20.0
Berea	9.8	11.5	12.0	10.2
Maseru	13.3	20.8	18.7	16.8
Mafeteng	17.7	6.1	4.0	5.5
Mohale's Hoek	8.3	9.2	8.1	13.5
Quthing	2.7	6.5	10.9	6.9
Qacha's Nek	4.9	6.4	4.1	4.3
Mokhotlong	9.9	16.8	7.0	4.3
Thaba-Tseka	7.3	7.5	10.3	10.9
Total	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**

2.1.4 Main Activity of Household Members

The sub section covers main activity of every household member aged ten years and above. Table 3 presents Percentage Distribution of Household Members by Main Activity and Age Group for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. It can be observed from the table that most employers were in the age group of 30 to 44 with 55.6 percent followed by 15 to 29 age group with 34.5 percent. It further shows that household members who were employed with salary were in the age group of 15 to 29 and 30-44 with 37.5 and 37.0 percent respectively.

Table 3: Percentage Distribution of Household Members by Main Activity and Age Group, 2016/20167 Agricultural Year

Main Activity	Age Group						Total
	10-14	15-29	30-44	45-64	65-84	85+	
Employer	0.0	34.5	55.6	9.9	0.0	0.0	**100**
Own account worker	0.0	14.3	48.1	32.9	4.2	0.6	**100**
Regular Wage/Salary Earner	0.0	37.5	37.0	23.2	2.3	0.0	**100**
Casual Worker	5.6	30.5	36.6	21.4	5.9	0.0	**100**
Unpaid family Worker	5.1	74.8	14.6	3.9	1.4	0.2	**100**
Job Seeking	0.0	54.9	33.2	9.9	2.0	0.0	**100**
Job Seeking for the first time	0.0	80.5	15.1	4.4	0.0	0.0	**100**
Home maker	0.0	9.6	29.5	43.7	17.2	0.0	**100**
Housewife	0.0	35.0	19.4	22.1	20.2	3.3	**100**
Retired	0.0	0.0	1.4	8.0	75.4	15.3	**100**
Student	57.6	41.9	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	**100**
Other	1.2	24.2	17.3	18.9	34.2	4.1	**100**
Total	**18.6**	**40.3**	**18.6**	**13.8**	**7.7**	**1.1**	**100**

2.1.5 Management of Fields

Management includes among others, overseeing of farming activities in a household and is a vital role in the agricultural crop production. Table 4 shows Percentage Distribution of Household Members Managing Fields by Ownership and Sex for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. There were more males (63.4 percent) who Own and manage fields while females who own but do not manage their fields were dominating with 52.0 percent.

Table 4: Percentage Distribution of Household Members Managing Fields by Ownership and Sex, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Ownership	Manage			Don't Manage		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Own	63.4	36.6	**100.0**	48.0	52.0	**100.0**
Not Owned	57.5	42.5	**100.0**	49.2	50.8	**100.0**

2.1.6 Decision Making

Decisions regarding activities that may be performed in the fields can be done by either males or females. Table 5 shows Percentage Distribution of Household Members Who Make Decisions by Ownership and Sex for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. It is observed from the table that 59.7 percent of males reported owning fields and making decisions on such fields. It is also observed that 53.5 percent of females do not own fields but make decisions.

Table 5: Percentage Distribution of Household Members Who Make Decisions by Ownership and Sex, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Sex	Owned	Not Owned	Total
Male	59.7	40.3	100
Female	46.5	53.5	100
Lesotho	**54.0**	**46.0**	**100**

2.1.7 Educational Attainment

Table 6 shows the percentage distribution of household members by Age Group and Educational Attainment for 2016/2017 Agricultural year. It is observed from the table that most of the members have attained Primary level (63.0 percent) followed by those who completed high school (22.1 percent).

Table 6: Percentage Distribution of Household Members by Age Group and Educational Attainment, 2016/2017 Agricultural year

Age Group	Educational Attainment							
	None	Pre-School	Primary	High	Non-graduate	Graduate	non-formal	Total
0-4	35.0	65.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	**100**
5-9	33.5	16.1	50.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	**100**
10-14	1.6	0.6	94.0	3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	**100**
15-19	2.1	0.1	57.8	39.6	0.2	0.2	0.0	**100**
20-24	2.4	0.2	45.3	50.6	0.9	0.5	0.0	**100**
25-29	7.3	0.3	47.3	41.1	2.9	1.0	0.0	**100**
30-34	6.3	0.2	56.8	32.5	2.4	1.6	0.2	**100**
35-39	7.9	0.3	61.7	26.5	2.7	0.6	0.2	**100**
40-44	12.6	0.0	61.1	22.4	1.2	2.8	0.0	**100**
45-49	10.5	0.0	67.2	19.8	1.5	1.0	0.0	**100**
50-54	12.5	0.0	60.6	22.0	1.3	3.2	0.3	**100**
55-59	12.9	0.0	69.4	15.2	1.5	0.7	0.4	**100**
60-64	12.5	0.0	75.2	10.6	1.1	0.3	0.4	**100**
65-69	18.5	0.0	71.8	6.4	1.3	0.7	1.2	**100**
70-74	24.0	0.0	70.2	3.8	1.5	0.0	0.5	**100**
75-79	20.1	0.0	74.0	3.9	0.0	2.1	0.0	**100**
80-84	31.9	0.0	64.6	0.9	0.0	0.0	2.6	**100**
85+	25.4	0.0	67.6	6.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	**100**
Total	**10.8**	**2.2**	**63.0**	**22.1**	**1.0**	**0.7**	**0.1**	**100**

2.1.8 Source of Agricultural Household Income

Household members get income from different sources in order to carry out every day agricultural activities. Table 7 shows Percentage Distribution of Household Members by Zone and Source of Income for 2016/2017 Agricultural year. It is observed from the table that majority of household members get income from subsistence farming (31.3 percent) followed by wages and salaries (23.4 percent).

Table 7: Percentage Distribution of Household Members by Zone and Source of Income, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Source of Income									
Zone	**Subsistence farming**	**Cash Crop**	**Livestock**	**Livestock Products**	**Remittance /transfer**	**Wages/ Salaries**	**Pension Fund**	**Old benefit/ Social Grants**	**Other**	**Total**
Lowlands	33.8	1.5	4.4	2.8	8.5	26.2	1.0	13.6	8.1	**100**
Foothills	26.5	6.2	2.5	5.3	7.4	30.0	3.7	14.7	3.7	**100**
Mountains	30.3	2.0	7.9	12.6	4.3	16.7	0.2	14.7	11.2	**100**
SRV	31.3	0.7	5.2	9.3	10.9	19.8	0	16.7	6.2	**100**
Total	**31.3**	**2.3**	**5.2**	**6.7**	**7.4**	**23.4**	**1.1**	**14.5**	**8.0**	**100**

2.2 Summer Crops

Summer season crops are planted between 1st August and 31st January of the following year. Section 2.2 covers information on area planted, area harvested, production as well as yield to Maize, Sorghum, Wheat, Beans and Peas. Wheat is mostly grown in the mountain areas of the country.

2.2.1 Area Planted

Area Planted refers to cultivated and sown land in hectares (ha) to pure stand crops such as Maize, Sorghum, Wheat, Beans, Peas and mixtures of these crops such as Maize and Beans, Maize and Sorghum, Sorghum and Beans, Beans and Peas and other crop mixtures.

Table 8 presents Area Planted to Five Major Crops by District for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. The total area planted to Maize was 174,500ha showing an increase of 137.4 percent compared to 73,506ha of the previous year. Leribe had the highest area planted to Maize with 33,629ha, followed by Maseru with 33,624ha. The least area planted to Maize was observed in Quthing (5,315ha).

Area planted to Sorghum (46,591ha) had increased by 343.4 percent compared to the area planted to Sorghum in 2015/2016 Agricultural Year (10,507ha). The highest area planted to Sorghum was recorded in Maseru with 8,616ha while Mokhotlong was the least with 665ha.

The total area planted to Wheat (8,503ha) decreased by 44.0 percent when compared to area planted to Wheat in 2015/2016 (15,182ha). Thaba-Tseka had the highest area planted to Wheat with 2,237ha followed by Mokhotlong with 1,661ha. The least area planted to Wheat was recorded in Berea (82ha).

Table 8: Area Planted to Five Major Crops by District, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Area Planted (ha)				
District	**Maize**	**Sorghum**	**Wheat**	**Beans**	**Peas**
Botha-Bothe	9,461	2,407	174	296	42
Leribe	33,629	6,910	555	5,790	215
Berea	22,172	5,423	82	2,801	16
Maseru	33,624	8,616	1,090	4,708	441
Mafeteng	21,095	5,742	0	5,339	0
Mohale'sHoek	15,383	5,777	793	2,699	79
Quthing	5,315	2,673	897	807	38
Qacha's Nek	10,125	1,922	1,014	1,893	22
Mokhotlong	9,879	665	1,661	1,368	688
Thaba-Tseka	13,818	6,455	2,237	1,552	216
Total	**174,500**	**46,591**	**8,503**	**27,253**	**1,757**

2.2.2 Area Fallow

Area fallow refers to agricultural land that was temporarily uncultivated with crops during 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. From 2012/2013 to 2013/2014, a decrease of 7.2 percent from 73,632ha to 68,329ha was observed. A further decrease of 31.8 percent occurred in the 2014/2015 Agricultural Year. However, in 2015/2016, an increase of 428.6 percent was noted. A decline of 36.9 percent was observed in 2016/2017.

Table 9: Area Fallow by District, 2012/2013-2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Area Fallow (ha)				
District	**2012/2013**	**2013/2014**	**2014/2015**	**2015/2016**	**2016/2017**
Botha-Bothe	1,208	602	1,121	5,240	3,645
Leribe	16,671	9,724	6,038	40,619	46,430
Berea	12,052	11,352	8,060	31,632	16,259
Maseru	7,564	8,766	7,924	44,926	18,728
Mafeteng	19,486	18,060	12,638	56,878	46,074
Mohale's Hoek	7,191	8,154	4,321	34,815	9,823
Quthing	3,927	2,883	1,484	19,145	2,522
Qacha's Nek	1,921	1,947	1,627	6,097	3,217
Mokhotlong	2,800	3,614	1,511	4,345	4,504
Thaba-Tseka	813	3,229	1,881	2,643	4,203
Total	**73,632**	**68,329**	**46,605**	**246,340**	**155,407**

2.2.3 Area Harvested

Area harvested is the difference between area planted and area failed for each crop. Table 10 portrays Area Planted and Area Harvested for Five Major Crops. Out of Area Planted to Maize (174,500ha), 95.1 percent was harvested (165,882ha). Area Planted to Sorghum was 46,591ha and 95.2 percent was harvested (44,359ha). On the other hand, Area Planted to Wheat was 8,503ha and about 80.5 percent (6,843ha) was harvested.

Table 10: Area Planted and Area Harvested by Crop, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Crop	Area Planted (ha)	Area Harvested (ha)
Maize	174,500	165,882
Sorghum	46,591	44,359
Wheat	8,503	6,843
Beans	27,253	21,313
Peas	1,757	1,459

2.2.4 Production of Summer Crops

Production is described as the overall crop-output obtained from the harvested fields. Table 11 presents Production in Metric Tonnes(mt) for Five Major Crops in 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Maize Production for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year was 172,666mt. The highest production of Maize was in Leribe with 39,454mt. Quthing was lowest with 4,003mt.

Sorghum production was estimated at 33,858mt. Maseru had the highest production with 7,063mt while Mokhotlong recorded the least (411mt) production. Wheat production

was 8,851mt, Mokhotlong recorded the highest production with 3,742mt. The total Beans Production was 6,643mt, out of which Leribe had the highest production of 1,757mt and Botha-Bothe had the lowest (28mt).

Table 11: Production for Five Major Crops by District, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

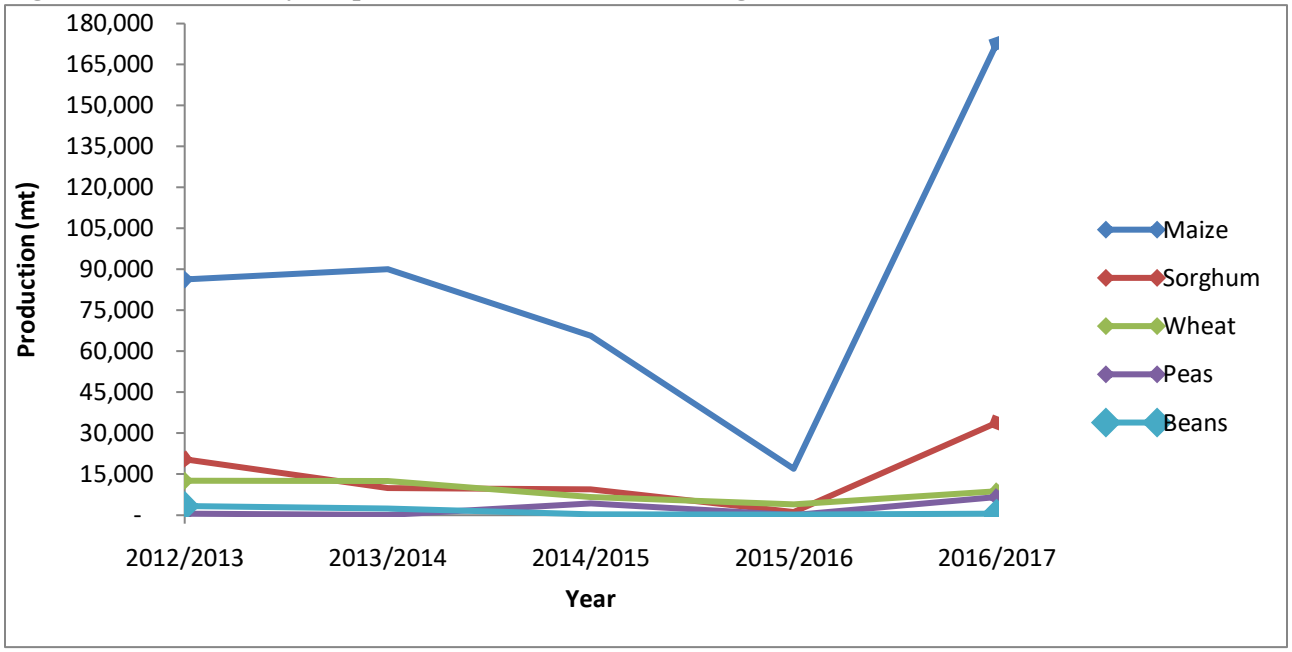
	Production (mt)				
District	**Maize**	**Sorghum**	**Wheat**	**Beans**	**Peas**
Botha-Bothe	7,838	948	124	28	0
Leribe	39,454	5,981	453	1,757	177
Berea	33,398	6,516	41	788	0
Maseru	37,738	7,063	572	1,180	30
Mafeteng	9,606	2,147	0	830	0
Mohale's Hoek	18,819	3,986	1,464	811	97
Quthing	4,003	2,834	848	183	16
Qacha's Nek	4,108	696	470	389	5.42
Mokhotlong	7,730	411	3,742	517	231
Thaba-Tseka	9,972	3,275	1,136	161	45
Lesotho	**172,666**	**33,858**	**8,851**	**6,643**	**602**

Figure 3 Presents Production from 2012/2013 to 2016/2017 Agricultural Years. In 2013/2014, Maize production increased by 4.3 percent from 2012/2013, Agricultural year from 86,325mt to 90,072mt. It then decreased by 27.1 percent (65,636mt) in 2014/2015 Agricultural Year and further decreased by 74.1 percent in 2015/2016 to 17,012mt. It thereafter increased to 172,666mt in 2016/2017 Agricultural Year.

There was a decline in sorghum production of 51.8 percent from 20,405mt to 9,844mt (2012/2013 to 2013/2014). In 2014/2015 Agricultural Year, production decreased by 3.2 percent (from 9,844mt to 9,529mt), followed by another decrease of 87.8 percent in 2015/2016 (from 9,529mt to 1,159mt). Sorghum production then increased to 33,858mt in 2016/2017.

From 2012/2013 to 2013/2014, Wheat production decreased by 2.9 percent (12,624mt to 12,401mt). A further decrease of 46.4 percent was observed in 2014/2015 (from 12,401mt to 6,652mt). In 2016/2017, Wheat Production increased by 122 percent (from 3,975mt to 8,851mt).

Figure 3: Production by Crop, 2012/2013 to 2016/2017 Agricultural Year



2.2.5 Yield of Summer Crops

Yield is production per area harvested. Yield is considered to be poor when it is below 0.5mt/ha, and good at 0.5mt/ha and above.

Table 12 illustrates Yield (mt/ha) by Crop and District, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Maize and sorghum yield were 1.04mt/ha and 0.76mt/ha respectively. The highest Yield for both crops was noted in Berea (1.59mt/ha and 1.23mt/ha) whereas Qacha's Nek recorded the least Yield (0.42mt/ha and 0.39mt/ha). Wheat Yield in 2016/2017 Agricultural Year was 1.29mt/ha. The highest Yield was observed in Mohale's Hoek (2.26mt/ha).

Table 12: Yield by Crop and District, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

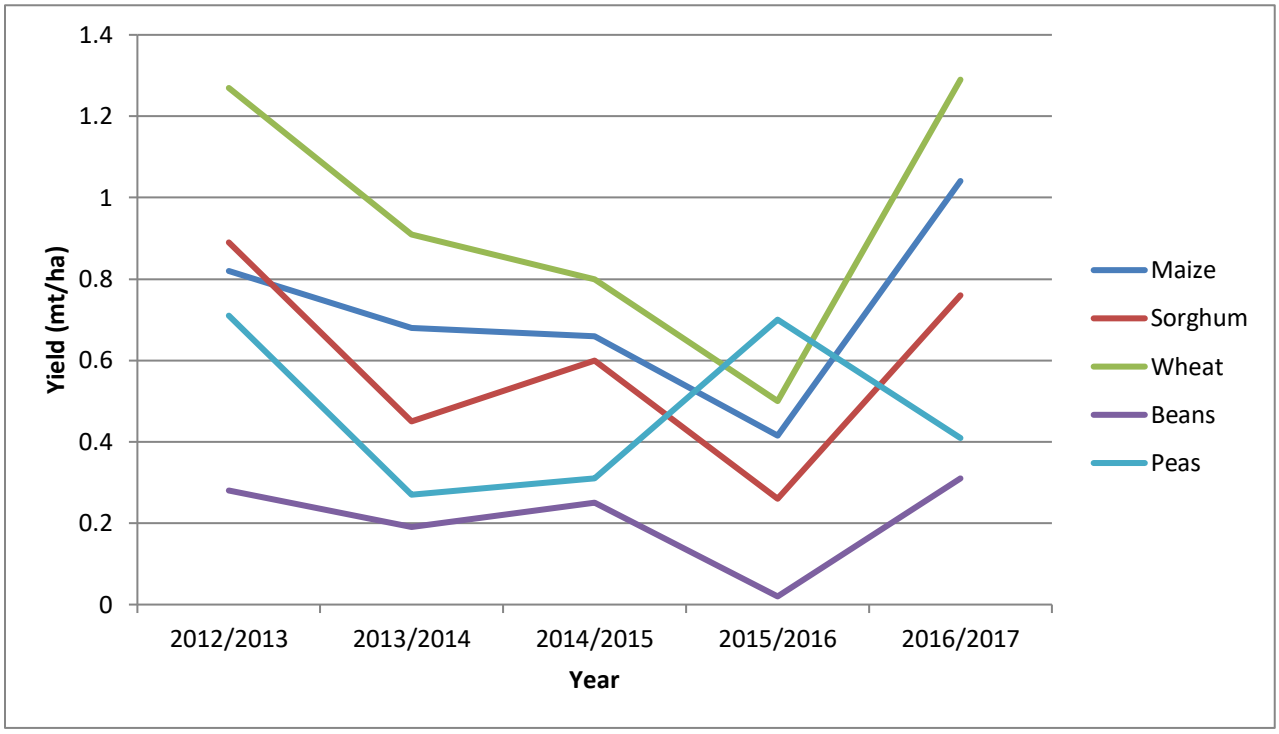
	Yield (mt/ha)				
District	**Maize**	**Sorghum**	**Wheat**	**Beans**	**Peas**
Botha-Bothe	0.83	0.40	1.04	0.09	0.00
Leribe	1.19	0.91	1.02	0.30	0.82
Berea	1.59	1.23	0.70	0.38	_
Maseru	1.20	0.86	0.55	0.45	0.09
Mafeteng	0.50	0.40	0.00	0.20	_
Mohale's Hoek	1.33	0.77	2.26	0.38	1.30
Quthing	0.79	1.13	1.42	0.38	0.43
Qacha's Nek	0.42	0.39	0.67	0.21	0.25
Mokhotlong	0.80	0.62	3.67	0.41	0.38
Thaba-Tseka	0.77	0.51	0.51	0.16	0.28
Lesotho	**1.04**	**0.76**	**1.29**	**0.31**	**0.41**

Figure 4 illustrates Yield for five major crops from 2012/2013 to 2016/2017 Agricultural Years. From 2012/2013 to 2013/2014, Maize Yield showed a decrease of 17.1 percent from 0.82mt/ha to 0.68mt/ha. A further decline of 2.9 percent was observed in 2014/2015 (0.66mt/ha). In 2015/2016, another decline of 36.4 percent (0.42mt/ha) was observed. An increase of 150.8 percent was noted (1.04mt/ha) in 2016/2017.

In 2012/2013 to 2013/2014, Sorghum yield decreased from 0.89mt/ha to 0.45mt/ha and increased by 33.5 percent to 0.60mt/ha in 2014/2015. Sorghum Yield again declined by 56.7 percent (0.26mt/ha) in 2015/2016. An increase of 192.3 percent to 0.76mt/ha was observed in 2016/2017 Agricultural Year.

From 2012/2013 to 2013/2014, Wheat yield decreased from 1.3mt/ha to 0.9mt/ha. Yield further declined by 12.1 percent in 2014/2015. In 2015/2016, another decline of 37.5 percent to 0.50mt/ha was recorded. However, in 2016/2017 Agricultural Year, yield increased by 158 percent (from 0.50mt/ha to 1.29mt/ha).

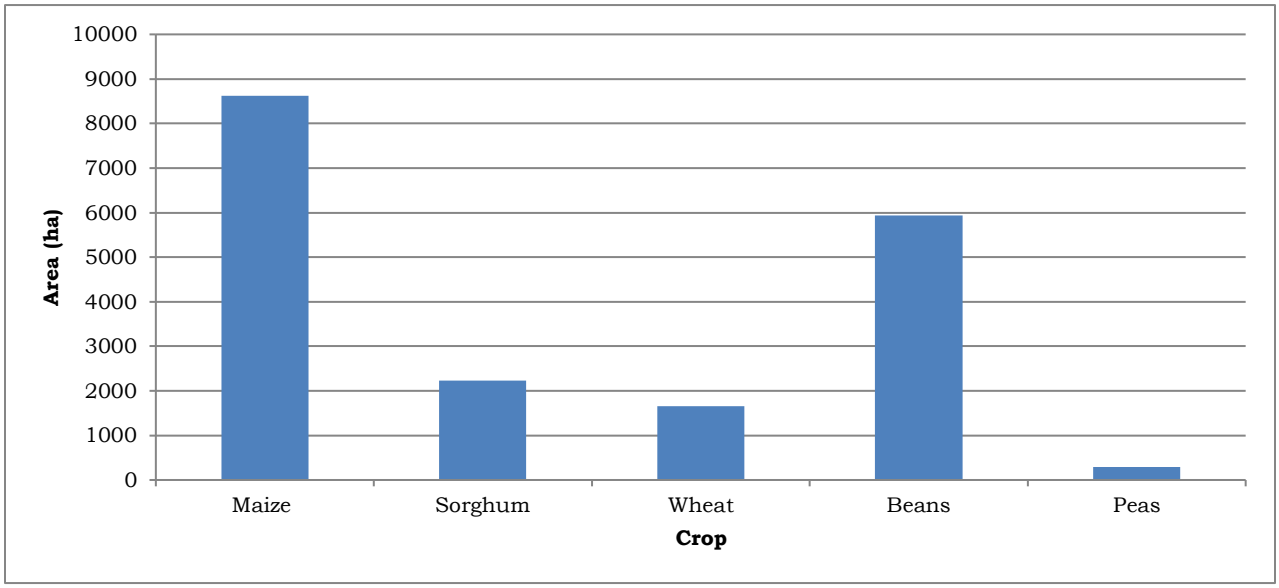
Figure 4: Yield of five Major Crops from 2012/2013-2016/2017 Agricultural Years



2.2.6 Crop Failure

Crop Failure is a condition whereby a crop does not reach its maturity stage, or gets destroyed prior to harvesting period. Figure 5 shows Area Failed by Crop for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. It was observed that maize had the highest crop failure (8,618ha) followed by beans with 5,940ha. Peas was the least with 298ha.

Figure 5: Area Failed by Crop, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year



2.2.6.1 Reasons for Crop Failure

The main reasons for crop failure are Early Frost, Hail, Flood, Drought, Pests, Weeds, Animals, Late Planting and Other. The category "Other" comprises reasons such as leaching, poor planting methods and pre-harvest losses.

Late planting contributed the most to crop failure with a total of 8,963ha followed by weeds with 4,940ha. The district that had the highest area failed due to late planting was Mafeteng with 3,235ha followed by Mohale's Hoek with 1,948ha. Hail contributed the least to Crop Failure (135ha)

Table 13: Area Failed (ha) by District and Cause of Crop Failure in Summer, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Cause of Crop Failure								
	Early Frost	Hail	Flood	Drought	Pests	Weeds	Animals	Late Planting	Other
Botha-Bothe	0	0	42	6	7	0	0	126	30
Leribe	0	135	6	571	96	70	12	877	0
Berea	0	0	0	85	74	1,113	656	613	197
Maseru	248	0	1,363	649	470	1,599	207	729	444
Mafeteng	0	0	221	300	0	600	791	3,235	0
Mohale's Hoek	0	0	0	385	22	692	956	1,948	131
Quthing	143	0	0	0	0	318	63	149	73
Qacha's Nek	0	0	0	0	17	206	144	280	166
Mokhotlong	0	0	7	0	0	121	54	0	169
Thaba-Tseka	10	0	0	0	28	222	265	1,007	52
Total	**401**	**135**	**1,640**	**1,997**	**713**	**4,940**	**3,148**	**8,963**	**1,261**

2.3 Winter Crops

Winter season crops are planted between 1st February and 31st July. The section covers information on area planted, area harvested, production as well as yield for wheat and peas.

2.3.1 Area Planted and Area Harvested

Table 14 shows Area Planted and Area Harvested to Wheat and Peas for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Area planted to Wheat was 3,561ha, showing an increase of 264.1 percent from the previous year which was 978ha while Area Harvested to Wheat increased by 412.2 percent from 435ha of the previous year to 2,228ha of the current year. Area planted (1,308 ha) to Peas decreased by 1.9 percent from 1,333ha in

2015/2016. However, Area harvested to Peas decreased by 18.0 percent from 1,029ha of 2015/2016 to 844ha in 2016/2017.

Table 14: Area Planted and Area Harvested to Wheat and Peas by District, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Wheat		Peas	
District	**Area Planted (ha)**	**Area Harvested (ha)**	**Area Planted (ha)**	**Area Harvested (ha)**
Botha-Bothe	96	54	10	7
Leribe	1,490	649	248	180
Berea	788	741	104	48
Maseru	356	235	317	245
Mafeteng	830	548	628	84
Mohale's Hoek	0	0	0	0
Quthing	0	0	0	0
Qacha's Nek	0	0	0	0
Mokhotlong	0	0	0	0
Thaba-Tseka	0	0	0	0
Total	**3,561**	**2,228**	**1,308**	**844**

2.3. Production of Winter Crops

Table 15 illustrates Production of Wheat and Peas in winter by district for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Wheat production was 1,177mt and had increased by 205.7 percent compared to 385mt of 2015/2016 agricultural year. Wheat production was prominent in Berea, 528mt and the least in Botha-Bothe with 37mt.

Production of peas was 284mt, showing an increase of 181.1 percent from 2015/2016 (101mt). The highest production was recorded in Mafeteng (149mt), while Botha-Bothe was lowest with 3mt.

Table 15: Production of Wheat and Peas by District in Winter 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Production (mt)	
District	**Wheat**	**Peas**
Botha-Bothe	37	3
Leribe	324	60
Berea	528	14
Maseru	140	59
Mafeteng	148	149
Mohale'sHoek	0	0
Quthing	0	0
Qacha's Nek	0	0
Mokhotlong	0	0
Thaba-Tseka	0	0
Total	**1,177**	**284**

2.3.3 Yield of Winter Crops

Table 16 presents Yield by Crop and District for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Wheat yield in 2016/2017 Agricultural Year was 0.53mt/ha, it had decreased by 37.0 percent from 2015/2016 (0.9mt/ha).Wheat yield was prominent in Berea with 0.71mt/ha and minimum in Mafeteng with 0.27mt/ha.

Yield for Peas was 0.34mt/ha, showing an increase of 24.0 percent as compared to 0.1mt/ha of 2015/2016. Botha-Bothe recorded the highest yield with 0.42mt/ha while Maseru was the least with 0.24mt/ha.

Table 16: Yield by Crop and District in Winter, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Yield (mt/ha)	
District	**Wheat**	**Peas**
Botha-Bothe	0.68	0.42
Leribe	0.50	0.33
Berea	0.71	0.28
Maseru	0.59	0.24
Mafeteng	0.27	0.41
Mohale'sHoek	0.00	0.00
Quthing	0.00	0.00
Qacha's Nek	0.00	0.00
Mokhotlong	0.00	0.0
Thaba-Tseka	0.00	0.00
Lesotho	**0.53**	**0.34**

2.3.4 Crop Failure

Table 17 illustrates Area failed by Crop for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Total area of wheat failed was 1,333ha and total area of peas failed was 464ha.

Table 17: Area Failed by Crop and District, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Area Failed (ha)	
District	**Wheat**	**Peas**
Botha-Bothe	42	3
Leribe	841	68
Berea	47	56
Maseru	121	72
Mafeteng	282	265
Mohale's Hoek	0	0
Quthing	0	0
Qacha's Nek	0	0
Mokhotlong	0	0
Thaba-Tseka	0	0
Total	**1,333**	**464**

2.4 Summer Operations, Inputs and Costs

The section provides a summary of all the expenses incurred for producing Crops, information on agricultural activities (Field operations), types and quantity of input used for summer season.

2.4.1 Operations Performed on Fields

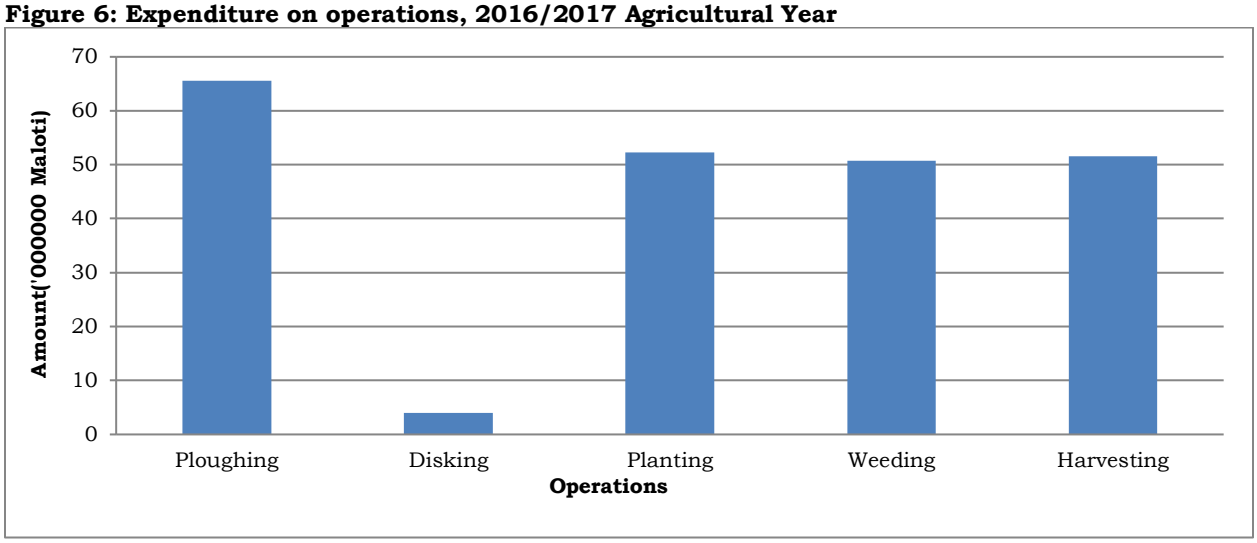
The total area on which agricultural operations were performed is summarized by table 18. Total area planted was 263,970ha while area ploughed was 241,768ha. Other farmers perform conservation agriculture method (Likotjana, Mmalinala etc) for planting and such methods do not require initial cultivation (Ploughing) hence the reason why area planted was 8.4 percent more than Area Ploughed.

Table18: Area (ha) Ploughed, Disked, Planted and Weeded in Summer by District, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Operations			
District	**Ploughed**	**Disked**	**Planted**	**Weeded**
Botha-Bothe	13,233	127	12,511	11,700
Leribe	46,178	7,703	47,863	37,246
Berea	30,994	6519	30,934	32,187
Maseru	41,032	3,356	48,798	41,616
Mafeteng	27,564	870	32,482	26,595
Mohale'sHoek	26,663	1,495	25,324	20,835
Quthing	9,902	1245	9,730	6,271
Qacha'sNek	11,664	298	15,368	13,223
Mokhotlong	17,174	3,038	15,537	8,732
Thaba-Tseka	17,364	4,509	25,423	10,236
Total	**241,768**	**29,161**	**263,970**	**208,641**

Figure 6 illustrates the Amount Spent on Operations for the 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. The total amount spent on Ploughing was M65, 531,715 and the actual amount spent on Planting was M52, 286,410**.** Disking (M3, 956,744) constituted 1.7percent of the total amount spent on operations.

Figure 6: Expenditure on operations, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year



2.4.2 Field Ownership

It is important to know how much land is being utilized for Agricultural farming activities and how fields are operated. The term field operation refers to the manner in which the farmer operates the field. Fields can be owned and operated by the owner, share cropped or rented in.

Table 19 shows Area Planted by Field Operation and Crop for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. About 228,710ha was planted by owners while 21,409ha was "owned and share cropped. The rented fields constituted 2,851ha. Out of 228,710ha operated by owners, 157,050ha was planted to Maize followed by Area planted to Sorghum (39,080) and Beans (24,022) respectively.

Table 19: Area (ha) Planted by Type of Field Operation and Five Major Crops, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Operations				
Crops	**Own and Owner operated**	**Owned and Shared cropped**	**Owned but Operated by project**	**Not owned but Operated**	**Not owned but Rented In**
Maize	157,050	12,215	0	3,490	1,745
Wheat	6,972	1,105	170	255	0
Sorghum	39,080	5,339	0	1,362	810
Beans	24,022	2,578	0	357	296
Peas	1,585	172	0	0	0
Total	**228,710**	**21,409**	**170**	**5,465**	**2,851**

2.4.3 Agricultural inputs

Inputs refer to fertilizers, pesticides and seeds.

2.4.4 Types of Fertilizers Used

There are two types of fertilizers, namely organic fertilizers which are composed of enriched organic matter (plant or animal) and inorganic fertilizers which are composed of synthetic chemicals or minerals.

Table 20 shows Types of Inorganic Fertilizers Used in Summer by Quantity, Amount Spent (Maloti) and Area (ha) for the 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. The most commonly used inorganic fertilizer was 6:2:1(31) with 9,905mt and was applied on 80,936ha costing M17,418,546. Fertilizer 3:2:1(32) followed with 3,465mt, applied on 27,050ha costing M5,327,830. Only 1mt of Urea was used and applied on 521ha.

Table 20: Types of Inorganic Fertilizers Used in Summer by Quantity Amount and Area 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Inorganic Fertilizer	Area(ha)	Quantity(mt)	Amount(Maloti)
Double Super	1,153	122	146,640
Single Supers	1,443	167	79,678
3;2;1(35)	1,046	135	303,229
3;2;1(25)	25,439	2,431	4,071,295
LAN	1,568	18	36,051
2;3;2(22)	23,923	2,169	3,675,716
Lime	577	40	65,876
Urea	521	1	15,917
3;2;1(32)	27,050	3,465	5,327,830
3;2;1(30)	3,746	446	666,896
6:2:1(31)	80,936	9,905	17,418,546
Other	2,388	738	397,270
Total	**169,790**	**19,638**	**32,204,942**

Farmers in Lesotho use various organic fertilizers. Table 21 shows Types of Organic Fertilizers Used, by Quantity, Amount and Area. Generally (123 mt) of organic fertilizer was applied on 503ha costing M14, 246. The most commonly used organic fertilizer was Cattle manure (100mt) which was applied to 404 ha, amounting to M11, 646.

Table 21: Type of Organic Fertilizers Used by Quantity, Amount and Area 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Organic Fertilizer	Area (ha)	Quantity (mt)	Amount (Maloti)
Ash	5	1	170
Cattle manure	404	100	11,646
Horse manure	1	1	250
Pig manure	0	0	0
Sheep manure	56	12	1,340
Poultry manure	4	1	200
Composts	5	1	50
Sewage waste	1	0	0
other	27	8	590
Total	**503**	**123**	**14,246**

2.4.5 Type of Seeds Used

There are two types of seeds, Hybrid and Non-hybrid. Table 22 shows Quantity of Seeds Used and Amount Spent by Type of Seeds for 2016/2017 Agricultural year. It was observed that Non-hybrid (671mt) was the most used seeds amounting to M26, 680,925. The overall amount spent on seeds was M49, 254,412.

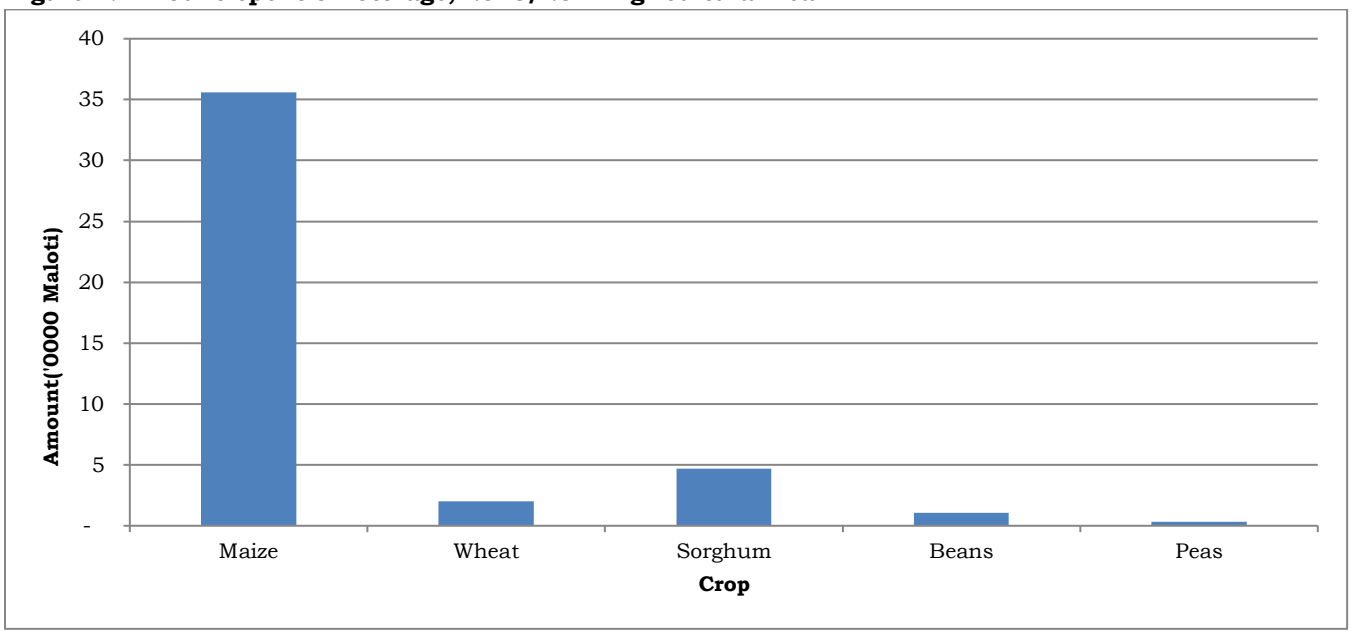
Table 22: Quantity used and amount spent by Type of Seeds, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Seed	Quantity (mt)	Amount (Maloti)
Non-hybrid	671	26,680,925
Hybrid	125	22,573,487
Total	**796**	**49,254,412**

2.4.6 Storage Costs

The costs of storage do not only refer to the building used to store crops, it also includes the cost of weevil insecticides and rodenticides. Figure 7 illustrates the Amount Spent on Storage for the 2016/2017 Agricultural year. The highest amount spent for storing cereals was for maize (M3, 560, 502) and the least amount was for peas, M32, 957.

Figure 7: Amount Spent on Storage, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year



2.5 Winter Operations, Inputs and Costs

The section provides a summary of all the expenses incurred for producing Crops, information on agricultural activities (Field operations), types and quantity of input used in winter season.

2.5.1 Operations Performed on Fields

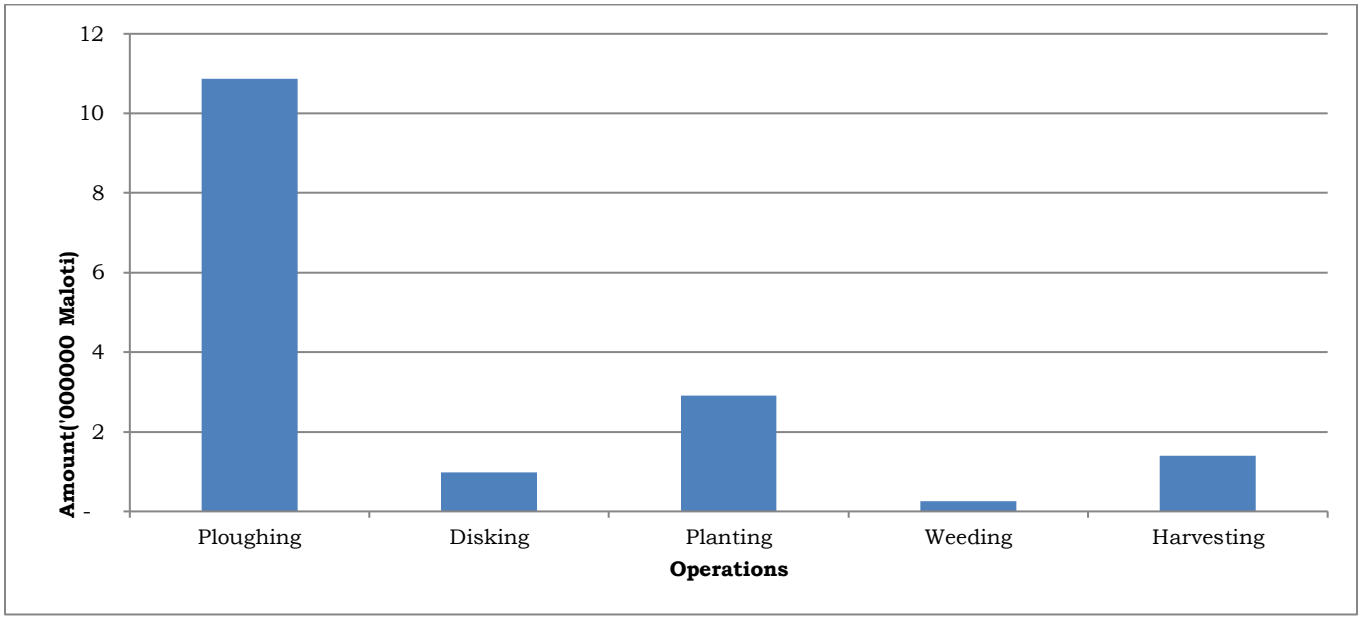
The total area on which agricultural operations were performed is summarized by table 23. Total area planted in winter was 6,295 ha while area ploughed was 25,046ha.

Table 23: Area (ha) Ploughed, Disked, Planted and Weeded in winter by District, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Operations			
District	**Ploughed**	**Disked**	**Planted**	**Weeded**
Botha-Bothe	140	0	107	0
Leribe	6,173	973	2,122	0
Berea	2,508	548	1,093	0
Maseru	7,699	810	890	101
Mafeteng	8,525	480	2,083	663
Mohale'sHoek	0	0	0	0
Quthing	0	0	0	0
Qacha'sNek	0	0	0	0
Mokhotlong	0	0	0	0
Thaba-Tseka	0	0	0	0
Total	**25,046**	**2,811**	**6,295**	**765**

Figure 5 illustrates the Actual Amount Spent on Winter Operations for the 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. The total amount spent on Ploughing was M10, 865,787 and the actual amount spent on Planting was M2, 914,637. Weeding constituted 1.6 percent of the total amount spent on operations.

Figure 8: Expenditure on winter operations 2016/2017 Agricultural Year



2.5.2 Agricultural Inputs Used

Inputs refer to fertilizers, pesticides and seeds

2.5.2.1 Types of Fertilizers Used

Table 24 shows Inorganic Fertilizers Used by Quantity, Amount Spent (Maloti) and Area (ha) for the 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. The most commonly used inorganic fertilizer was 6:2:1(31) with 884mt and it was applied on 6,352ha, costing M1, 020,725, followed by 3:2:1(25) with 225mt, applied on 2,009ha costing M266, 165. The least was 3:2:1(35) with (4mt) applied on 63ha.

Table 24: Type of Inorganic Fertilizers Used in winter by Quantity, Amount and Area for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Inorganic Fertilizer	Area (ha)	Quantity (mt)	Amount (Maloti)
3;2;1(35)	63	4	0
3;2;1(25)	2,009	225	266,165
LAN	881	268	236,850
2;3;2(22)	293	33	67,266
3;2;1(32)	1,931	114	506,290
6:2:1(31)	6,352	884	1,020,725
Total	**11,531**	**1,529**	**2,097,296**

2.5.3 Type of Seeds Used

There are two types of seeds, Hybrid and Non-hybrid. Table 25 shows Quantity of Seeds Used and Amount Spent by Type of Seeds for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. It was observed that Non-hybrid (55mt) was the most used seeds amounting to M3, 707,338.

Table 25: Quantity Used and Amount Spent by Type of Seeds, 2016/2017 Agricultural year

Type of Seed	Quantity (mt)	Amount (Maloti)
Non-hybrid	55	3,707,338
Hybrid	25	3,476,995
Total	**80**	**7,182,333**

2.5.6 Type of Pesticides used

Pesticides are used to control pests. Table 27 shows Quantity (*l*) Used, Amount (Maloti) Spent and Area (ha) Applied Pesticides for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Fastac was applied in large quantity (49,129*l*) while Lanacol was applied in small quantity of 5*l*. Furthermore, the largest area (2,723ha) was applied with Malathion (2,364*l*) and the least area (21ha) with Lanacol (5*l*). Most expenditure was made on Malathion (290,302).

Table 27: Type of Pesticides Used by Quantity Amount and Area, for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Type of Pesticide	Area (ha)	Quantity (*l*)	Amount (Maloti)
Malathion	2,723	2,364	290,302
Metasystox	98	8	33,336
Ripcort	513	294	34,722
Karate	999	382	128,818
Lanacol	21	5	26,318
Aphicides	529	180	113,944
Dithane	2,409	618	167,454
Cutworm bait	1,892	21,648	162,906
Fastac	535	49,129	92,977
Avalanche	1,941	1,046	228,716
Avalathrin	44	20	6,964
Camprin	400	9	99,483
other	46,914	480,154	1,373,883
Don't know	6,307	495,409	520,846
Total	**65,325**	**1,051,267**	**3,280,667**

2.5.7 Reasons for Crop Production

Majority of farmers in Lesotho are subsistence farmers who produce crops for only consumption or produce for both consumption and selling.

Table 28 shows Purpose of Crop Production, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year. Most farmers planted crops for consumption (389,047) while 52,140 farmers produced for consumption and selling.

Table 28: Purpose of Crop Production, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

	Purpose of Crop Production		
CROP	**Consumption**	**Selling**	**Both consumption and selling**
Maize	213,702	1,480	17,018
Wheat	30,995	562	4,540
Sorghum	59,664	763	12,278
beans	62,330	988	14,828
Peas	22,356	1,893	3,476
TOTAL	**389,047**	**5,686**	**52,140**

ANNEX TABLES

Table 1: Number of Household Heads by District and Sex, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Male	Female
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	6,240	4,007
	Foothills	4,935	3,578
	Mountains	1,727	740
	Total	**12,903**	**8,325**
Leribe	Lowlands	22,373	12,667
	Foothills	4,901	3,267
	Mountains	5,770	2,189
	Total	**33,043**	**18,123**
Berea	Lowlands	19,187	9,589
	Foothills	3,864	2,114
	Total	**23,051**	**11,703**
Maseru	Lowlands	17,884	9,954
	Foothills	11,201	8,856
	Mountains	2,397	1,291
	Total	**31,482**	**20,101**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	17,317	8,607
	Foothills	4,665	1,758
	Total	**21,982**	**10,365**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	5,429	3,723
	Foothills	1,086	2,017
	Mountains	4,257	2,120
	SRV	7,935	4,637
	Total	**18,707**	**12,496**
Quthing	Mountains	8,494	3,589
	SRV	4,037	2,701
	Total	**12,531**	**6,290**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	3,148	2,835
	SRV	3,636	2,341
	Total	**6,784**	**5,177**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	17,659	6,778
	Total	**17,659**	**6,778**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	15,539	6,302
	SRV	3,021	2,472
	Total	**18,560**	**8,774**
Lesotho		**196,703**	**108,132**

Table 2: Distribution of Household Heads by Residential Status and Sex, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Residential status and sex of Household Head							
		Present		Elsewhere in Lesotho		RSA		Outside Lesotho & RSA	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	5,104	3,383	253	0	883	623	0	0
	Foothills	3,701	3,331	123	0	1,110	247	0	0
	Mountains	1,481	740	123	0	123	0	0	0
	Total	**10,286**	**7,455**	**500**	**0**	**2,117**	**870**	**0**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	15,564	11,872	619	199	5,991	597	199	0
	Foothills	3,487	2,461	0	199	1,204	607	209	0
	Mountains	4,974	2,189	398	0	398	0	0	0
	Total	**24,025**	**16,521**	**1,017**	**398**	**7,593**	**1,204**	**408**	**0**
Berea	Lowlands	14,520	8,459	1,302	0	3,364	1,130	0	0
	Foothills	2,406	1,786	483	164	975	164	0	0
	Total	**16,927**	**10,245**	**1,785**	**164**	**4,339**	**1,294**	**0**	**0**
Maseru	Lowlands	14,898	9,791	653	163	2,333	0	0	0
	Foothills	8,541	7,514	2,170	665	490	677	0	0
	Mountains	2,028	1,291	184	0	184	0	0	0
	Total	**25,467**	**18,596**	**3,008**	**828**	**3,008**	**677**	**0**	**0**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	13,576	7,472	324	163	3,417	972	0	0
	Foothills	2,901	1,601	321	0	1,443	158	0	0
	Total	**16,477**	**9,072**	**645**	**163**	**4,859**	**1,130**	**0**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	4,653	3,257	0	0	620	465	155	0
	Foothills	776	1,861	155	0	155	155	0	0
	Mountains	2,913	1,965	345	155	1,000	0	0	0
	SRV	6,041	4,482	465	155	1,429	0	0	0
	Total	**14,383**	**11,566**	**965**	**310**	**3,204**	**620**	**155**	**0**
Quthing	Mountains	7,477	3,325	110	147	906	116	0	0
	SRV	3,137	2,701	221	0	680	0	0	0
	Total	**10,614**	**6,027**	**331**	**147**	**1,586**	**116**	**0**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	1,870	2,835	0	0	1,278	0	0	0
	SRV	2,665	2,242	100	100	872	0	0	0
	Total	**4,535**	**5,077**	**100**	**100**	**2,149**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	16,177	6,388	858	227	624	163	0	0
	Total	**16,177**	**6,388**	**858**	**227**	**624**	**163**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	13,009	6,020	1,539	137	990	145	0	0
	SRV	2,884	2,472	0	0	137	0	0	0
	Total	**15,893**	**8,492**	**1,539**	**137**	**1,127**	**145**	**0**	**0**
Lesotho		**154,784**	**99,438**	**10,749**	**2,475**	**30,607**	**6,219**	**564**	**0**

Table 3: Distribution of Household Members Contributing to Farming by District and Time, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	0 mth	1-3mth	4-6 mth	7-9 mth	10-12 mth
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	9,682	4,487	5,338	2,994	11,656
	Foothills	10,240	7,033	2,097	1,481	6,539
	Mountains	123	1,727	1,604	3,578	1,357
	Total	**20,046**	**13,247**	**9,039**	**8,052**	**19,552**
Leribe	Lowlands	31,304	43,198	8,865	14,104	31,923
	Foothills	10,964	7,037	2,649	3,414	6,671
	Mountains	2,786	12,137	4,377	597	13,928
	Total	**45,053**	**62,372**	**15,892**	**18,115**	**52,521**
Berea	Lowlands	29,611	23,820	14,517	10,427	24,096
	Foothills	8,458	4,777	4,330	2,131	2,787
	Total	**38,069**	**28,597**	**18,846**	**12,559**	**26,883**
Maseru	Lowlands	39,977	21,118	17,003	11,189	23,606
	Foothills	26,181	14,689	14,363	6,065	15,541
	Mountains	2,766	2,766	2,581	2,397	4,931
	Total	**68,924**	**38,573**	**33,947**	**19,650**	**44,078**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	29,786	37,733	8,954	3,723	14,157
	Foothills	8,110	13,725	969	484	327
	Total	**37,896**	**51,458**	**9,923**	**4,208**	**14,483**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	13,495	1,706	9,462	3,568	7,756
	Foothills	7,486	2,153	1,062	935	1,438
	Mountains	11,961	7,859	483	1,138	7,480
	SRV	12,915	12,426	3,960	2,866	18,679
	Total	**45,857**	**24,144**	**14,966**	**8,506**	**35,353**
Quthing	Mountains	12,607	5,267	6,801	6,026	13,491
	SRV	11,212	2,492	3,869	5,403	4,682
	Total	**23,819**	**7,759**	**10,670**	**11,428**	**18,173**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	7,266	5,422	3,689	520	6,498
	SRV	3,864	8,745	6,824	3,768	4,910
	Total	**11,130**	**14,166**	**10,513**	**4,288**	**11,408**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	31,800	28,752	27,510	7,389	11,355
	Total	**31,800**	**28,752**	**27,510**	**7,389**	**11,355**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	26,647	17,729	7,502	3,216	22,904
	SRV	6,845	3,577	4,746	7,553	5,776
	Total	**33,492**	**21,305**	**12,248**	**10,769**	**28,680**
Lesotho		**356,086**	**290,374**	**163,555**	**104,963**	**262,486**

Table 4: Total Number of Household Members Managing Fields by Ownership and Sex, 2016 /2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Owned				Not Owned			
		Manage		Do not Manage		Manage		Do not Manage	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	5,740	3,507	617	377	623	123	11,883	15,916
	Foothills	4,812	3,331	123	370	2,097	617	9,377	10,611
	Mountains	1,727	740	0	0	0	370	3,825	4,195
	Total	**12,279**	**7,578**	**740**	**747**	**2,721**	**1,110**	**25,085**	**30,721**
Leribe	Lowlands	20,361	11,695	2,609	2,786	3,382	2,609	52,682	60,419
	Foothills	4,901	2,660	0	607	607	0	16,305	14,493
	Mountains	4,974	1,990	796	199	995	398	17,708	18,106
	Total	**30,236**	**16,344**	**3,405**	**3,592**	**4,985**	**3,007**	**86,694**	**93,018**
Berea	Lowlands	17,388	12,150	1,478	1,313	3,237	1,905	44,759	43,705
	Foothills	3,536	2,114	0	0	327.908	0	10,161	11,467
	Total	**20,924**	**14,263**	**1,478**	**1,313**	**3,565**	**1,905**	**54,920**	**55,172**
Maseru	Lowlands	14,992	8,612	816	1,003	2,788	1,143	52,156	48,962
	Foothills	10,034	7,490	502	1,505	2,684	1,342	28,925	25,389
	Mountains	2,397	1,106	0	184	0	0	6,775	8,482
	Total	**27,423**	**17,209**	**1,318**	**2,693**	**5,471**	**2,485**	**87,856**	**82,832**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	14,700	8,114	983	327	3,760	3,761	39,899	42,640
	Foothills	4,012	1,595	490	163	327	1,595	11,911	9,483
	Total	**18,712**	**9,709**	**1,472**	**490**	**4,086**	**5,356**	**51,809**	**52,123**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	5,429	3,568	0	155	2,792	3,568	14,426	12,254
	Foothills	1,396	2,482	0	465	4,498	1,396	1,396	2,792
	Mountains	4,257	1,965	0	155	1,861	1,706	13,047	11,789
	SRV	7,462	4,311	155	482	2,686	5,004	22,679	18,989
	Total	**18,544**	**12,325**	**155**	**1,257**	**11,838**	**11,674**	**51,548**	**45,824**
Quthing	Mountains	7,091	3,136	484	343	1,433	1,290	18,890	21,001
	SRV	2,910	2,254	453	227	337	221	13,047	13,634
	Total	**10,002**	**5,389**	**937**	**569**	**1,770**	**1,511**	**31,938**	**34,635**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	2,594	2,531	542	204	210	731	10,896	11,477
	SRV	3,437	2,017	100	199	399	0	14,496	14,022
	Total	**6,031**	**4,549**	**642**	**404**	**609**	**731**	**25,392**	**25,499**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	14,521	6,095	0	163	2,031	735	51,951	56,116
	Total	**14,521**	**6,095**	**0**	**163**	**2,031**	**735**	**51,951**	**56,116**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	14,289	6,179	838	549	6,042	3,592	33,781	35,833
	SRV	2,884	2,060	0	137	275	0	7,965	13,045
	Total	**17,172**	**8,239**	**838**	**687**	**6,317**	**3,592**	**41,745**	**48,879**
Lesotho		**175,844**	**101,702**	**10,986**	**11,915**	**43,392**	**32,107**	**508,938**	**524,819**

Table 5: Percentage Distribution of Household Members by age Groups and Educational Attainment, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

Age Group	Educational Attainment							
	None	Pre-School	Primary	High School	Non-graduate	Graduate	non-formal	Total
0-4	361	670	0	0	0	0	0	**1,031**
0-9	49,772	23,835	74,750	0	0	0	0	**148,357**
10-14	3,037	1,042	173,214	6,893	0	0	0	**184,186**
15-19	3,559	227	97,950	67,060	374	288	0	**169,458**
20-24	3,242	271	60,437	67,541	1,222	733	0	**133,447**
25-29	7,461	312	48,276	41,937	2,967	1,066	0	**102,020**
30-34	5,173	163	46,341	26,484	1,920	1,343	123	**81,548**
35-39	5,578	228	43,324	18,609	1,866	442	123	**70,170**
40-44	7,146	0	34,631	12,681	681	1,570	0	**56,709**
45-49	4,985	0	31,988	9,436	697	485	0	**47,591**
50-54	6,191	0	29,923	10,875	646	1,569	155	**49,359**
55-59	5,848	0	31,370	6,863	658	327	163	**45,230**
60-64	5,336	0	32,227	4,523	472	123	158	**42,841**
65-69	6,615	0	25,723	2,281	482	263	438	**35,802**
70-74	8,379	0	24,542	1,335	520	0	163	**34,940**
75-79	5,076	0	18,713	976	0	526	0	**25,291**
80-84	5,829	0	11,789	163	0	0	482	**18,263**
85+	3,043	0	8,104	719	0	123	0	**11,990**
Total	**136,632**	**26,749**	**793,304**	**278,377**	**12,506**	**8,858**	**1,806**	**1,258,232**

Table 6: Area Planted in Summer by District Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Maize	Wheat	Sorghum	Beans	Peas	Barley	Oats	Other Crops	Fallow	Potatoes
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	3,272	0	894	177	0	0	0	0	2,258	0
	Foothills	3,850	0	1513	118	0	0	0	0	1,363	0
	Mountains	2,338	174	0	0	42	0	132	0	23	0
	Total	**9,461**	**174**	**2,407**	**296**	**42**	**0**	**132**	**0**	**3,645**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	24,268	72	5708	4899	0	0	0	248	44,342	0
	Foothills	4,021	0	1106	684	0	30	0	43	1,384	0
	Mountains	5,340	483	96	207	215	334	46	64	704	0
	Total	**33,629**	**555**	**6,910**	**5,790**	**215**	**364**	**46**	**355**	**46,430**	**0**
Berea	Lowlands	19,438	0	4,002	2,243	16	0	179	261	14,379	0
	Foothills	2,734	82	1,421	558	0	0	0	0	1,881	0
	Total	**22,172**	**82**	**5,423**	**2,801**	**16**	**0**	**179**	**261**	**16,259**	**0**
Maseru	Lowlands	22,040	0	4,694	3,002	0	0	0	25	15,022	21
	Foothills	7,306	0	3,922	1,510	0	0	0	0	2,211	199
	Mountains	4,278	1,090	0	197	441	0	0	74	1,495	0
	Total	**33,624**	**1,090**	**8,616**	**4,708**	**441**	**0**	**0**	**99**	**18,728**	**220**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	16,906	0	4,511	4,206	0	0	79	217	42,151	0
	Foothills	4,190	0	1,232	1,134	0	5	0	4	3,923	0
	Total	**21,095**	**0**	**5,742**	**5,339**	**0**	**5**	**79**	**221**	**46,074**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	4,424	0	764	1,150	0	0	0	0	4,624	0
	Foothills	2,099	0	638	645	0	0	0	0	687	9
	Mountains	3,737	793	171	239	79	512	41	26	1,114	0
	SRV	5,123	0	4,205	665	0	0	3	2	3,398	0
	Total	**15,383**	**793**	**5,777**	**2,699**	**79**	**512**	**44**	**27**	**9,823**	**9**
Quthing	Mountains	3,513	756	1,895	538	20	0	0	0	1,706	0
	SRV	1,802	140	778	269	18	0	0	0	816	0
	Total	**5,315**	**897**	**2,673**	**807**	**38**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2,522**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	6,459	878	311	1,117	20	134	51	6	2,113	172
	SRV	3,666	136	1,611	776	2	27	0	2	1,104	0
	Total	**10,125**	**1014**	**1,922**	**1,893**	**22**	**161**	**51**	**8**	**3,217**	**172**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	9,879	1661	665	1,368	688	185	859	125	4,504	106
	Total	9,879	**1661**	665	1,368	**688**	**185**	**859**	**125**	**4,504**	**106**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	12,874	2237	5,442	647	216	598	288	116	4,019	144
	SRV	944	0	1,013	905	0	0	0	0	184	0
	Total	**13,818**	**2,237**	**6,455**	**1,552**	**216**	**598**	**288**	**116**	**4,203**	**144**
Lesotho		**174,500**	**8,503**	**46,591**	**27,253**	**1,757**	**1,825**	**1,678**	**1,212**	**155,407**	**652**

Table 7: Area Planted in Winter by District Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Wheat	Peas	Barley	Oats	Other crops	Fallow
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	96	10	0	1	0	2,027
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0	2,314
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	903
	Total	**96**	**10**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**5,243**
Leribe	Lowlands	1,300	244	97	185	102	16,017
	Foothills	190	4	0	0	0	2,156
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	2,602
	Total	**1,490**	**248**	**97**	**185**	**102**	**20,775**
Berea	Lowlands	710	99	101	75	3	12,958
	Foothills	78	5	17	5	0	1,640
	Total	**788**	**104**	**118**	**80**	**3**	**14,598**
Maseru	Lowlands	293	317	95	105	0	11,969
	Foothills	63	0	17	0	0	5,418
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	2,527
	Total	**356**	**317**	**111**	**105**	**0**	**19,915**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	689	625	0	579	38	20,533
	Foothills	141	4	7	0	0	3,281
	Total	**830**	**628**	**7**	**579**	**38**	**23,814**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	28	0	0	2,983
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0	1,315
	Mountains	0	0	40	0	0	2,094
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	4,817
	Total	**0**	**0**	**68**	**0**	**0**	**11,210**
Quthing	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	3,085
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	2,238
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**5,323**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	3,700
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	2,729
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**6,429**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	7,196
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**7,196**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	7,686
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	942
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**8,628**
Lesotho		**3,561**	**1,308**	**401**	**951**	**143**	**123,131**

Table 8: Area Harvested in Summer by District, Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Maize	Sorghum	Wheat	Beans	Peas
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	3,272	879	0	177	0
	Foothills	3,850	1,488	0	118	0
	Mountains	2,338	0	120	0	0
	Total	**9,461**	**2,368**	**120**	**296**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	23,731	5,344	60	4,568	0
	Foothills	4,021	1,106	0	684	0
	Mountains	5,340	96	385	207	215
	Total	**33,092**	**6,546**	**445**	**5,459**	**215**
Berea	Lowlands	18,289	3,879	0	1,517	0
	Foothills	2,731	1,421	59	550	0
	Total	**21,019**	**5,300**	**59**	**2,066**	**0**
Maseru	Lowlands	20,389	4,673	0	993	0
	Foothills	7,272	3,506	0	1,479	0
	Mountains	3,832	0	1042	176	347
	Total	**31,493**	**8,179**	**1,042**	**2,647**	**347**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	15,020	4,151	0	3,039	0
	Foothills	4,190	1,232	0	1,088	0
	Total	**19,209**	**5,382**	**0**	**4,126**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	3,878	764	0	702	0
	Foothills	1,763	252	0	617	0
	Mountains	3,714	114	648	236	74
	SRV	4,766	4,046	0	552	0
	Total	**14,120**	**5,175**	**648**	**2,106**	**74**
Quthing	Mountains	3,321	1,760	542	407	20
	SRV	1,767	750	53	73	18
	Total	**5,087**	**2,511**	**596**	**480**	**38**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	6,245	311	642	1,093	20
	SRV	3,434	1,483	63	759	2
	Total	**9,678**	**1,794**	**705**	**1,852**	**22**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	9,704	665	1,019	1,272	607
	Total	**9,704**	**665**	**1,019**	**1,272**	**607**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	12,230	5,425	2,209	582	159
	SRV	789	1,013	0	426	0
	Total	**13,019**	**6,438**	**2,209**	**1,008**	**159**
Lesotho		**165,882**	**44,359**	**6,843**	**21,313**	**1,459**

Table 9: Area Harvested in Winter by District, Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Wheat	Peas
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	54	7
	Foothills	0	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**54**	**7**
Leribe	Lowlands	516	176
	Foothills	133	4
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**649**	**180**
Berea	Lowlands	676	46
	Foothills	65	2
	Total	741	48
Maseru	Lowlands	**207**	**245**
	Foothills	28	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**235**	**245**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	470	361
	Foothills	78	3
	Total	**548**	**363**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0
	Foothills	0	0
	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Quthing	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Lesotho		**2,228**	**844**

Table 10: Summer Production by District, Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Maize	Sorghum	Wheat	Beans	Peas
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	1,819	317	0	22	0
	Foothills	4,044	631	0	6	0
	Mountains	1,976	0	124	0	0
	Total	**7,838**	**948**	**124**	**28**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	25,198	4,298	38	1,408	0
	Foothills	8,957	1,625	0	338	0
	Mountains	5,299	58	415	12	177
	Total	**39,454**	**5,981**	**453**	**1,757**	**177**
Berea	Lowlands	28,479	4,145	0	255	0
	Foothills	4,920	2,372	41	533	0
	Total	**33,398**	**6,516**	**41**	**788**	**0**
Maseru	Lowlands	23,448	3,934	0	178	0
	Foothills	9,913	3,129	0	870	0
	Mountains	4,377	0	572	132	90
	Total	**37,738**	**7,063**	**572**	**1,180**	**30**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	7,922	1,612	0	536	0
	Foothills	1,684	535	0	294	0
	Total	**9,606**	**2,147**	**0**	**830**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	4,443	470	0	236	0
	Foothills	1,715	209	0	244	0
	Mountains	8,564	178	1,464	183	97
	SRV	4,098	3,130	0	148	0
	Total	**18,819**	**3,986**	**1464**	**811**	**97**
Quthing	Mountains	3,020	2,498	773	170	9
	SRV	983	336	76	13	7.38
	Total	**4,003**	**2,834**	**848**	**183**	**16**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	2,589	177	458	208	4.8
	SRV	1,520	519	12	181	0.62
	Total	**4,108**	**696**	**470**	**389**	**5.42**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	7,730	411	1,428	517	231
	Total	**7,730**	**411**	**3,742**	**517**	**231**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	9,341	2,819	1,136	112	45
	SRV	631	456	0	50	0
	Total	**9,972**	**3,275**	**1,136**	**161**	**45**
Lesotho		**172,666**	**33,858**	**8,851**	**6,643**	**602**

Table 11: Winter Production by District, Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Wheat	Peas
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	37	3
	Foothills	0	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**37**	**3**
Leribe	Lowlands	279	60
	Foothills	45	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**324**	**60**
Berea	Lowlands	500	12
	Foothills	28	2
	Total	**528**	**14**
Maseru	Lowlands	116	59
	Foothills	24	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**140**	**59**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	108	148
	Foothills	40	1
	Total	**148**	**149**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0
	Foothills	0	0
	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Quthing	Mountains	**0**	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	0	0
Lesotho		**1,177**	**284**

Table 12: Summer Yield by District, Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Maize	Sorghum	Wheat	Beans	Peas
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	0.56	0.36	0	0.12	0
	Foothills	1.05	0.42	0	0.05	0
	Mountains	0.85	0	1.04	0	0
	Total	**0.83**	**0.4**	**1.04**	**0.09**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	1.06	0.8	0.63	0.31	0
	Foothills	2.23	1.47	0	0.49	0
	Mountains	0.99	0.61	1.08	0.06	0.82
	Total	**1.19**	**0.91**	**1.02**	**0.32**	**0.82**
Berea	Lowlands	1.56	1.07	0	0.17	_
	Foothills	1.8	1.67	0.7	0.97	_
	Total	**1.59**	**1.23**	**0.7**	**0.38**	_
Maseru	Lowlands	1.15	0.84	0	0.18	0
	Foothills	1.36	0.89	0	0.59	0
	Mountains	1.14	0	0.55	0.75	0.26
	Total	**1.2**	**0.86**	**0.55**	**0.45**	**0.09**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0.53	0.39	0	0.18	_
	Foothills	0.4	0.43	0	0.27	_
	Total	**0.5**	**0.4**	**0**	**0.2**	_
Mohale'sHoek	Lowlands	1.15	0.62	0	0.34	0
	Foothills	0.97	0.83	0	0.4	0
	Mountains	2.31	1.57	2.26	0.78	1.3
	SRV	0.86	0.77	0	0.27	0
	Total	**1.33**	**0.77**	**2.26**	**0.38**	**1.3**
Quthing	Mountains	0.91	1.42	1.42	0.42	0.45
	SRV	0.56	0.45	1.42	0.18	0.41
	Total	**0.79**	**1.13**	**1.42**	**0.38**	**0.43**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	0.41	0.57	0.71	0.19	0.24
	SRV	0.44	0.35	0.19	0.24	0.31
	Total	**0.42**	**0.39**	**0.67**	**0.21**	**0.25**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0.8	0.62	1.4	0.41	0.38
	Total	**0.8**	**0.62**	**3.67**	**0.41**	**0.38**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	0.76	0.52	0.51	0.19	0.28
	SRV	0.8	0.45	0	0.12	0
	Total	**0.77**	**0.51**	**0.51**	**0.16**	**0.28**
Lesotho		**1.04**	**0.76**	**1.29**	**0.31**	**0.41**

Table 13: Winter Yield by District, Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Wheat	Peas
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	0.68	0.42
	Foothills	0	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**0.68**	**0.42**
Leribe	Lowlands	0.54	0.34
	Foothills	0.34	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**0.5**	**0.33**
Berea	Lowlands	0.74	0.26
	Foothills	0.43	0.7
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**0.71**	**0.28**
Maseru	Lowlands	0.56	0.24
	Foothills	0.84	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**0.59**	**0.24**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0.23	0.41
	Foothills	0.51	0.37
	Total	**0.27**	**0.41**
Mohale'sHoek	Lowlands	_	0
	Foothills	_	0
	Mountains	_	0
	SRV	_	0
	Total	_	**0**
Quthing	Mountains	_	0
	SRV	_	0
	Total	_	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	_	0
	SRV		0
	Total	_	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	_	0
	Total	_	0
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	_	0
	SRV	_	0
	Total	_	0
Lesotho		**0.53**	**0.34**

Table 14: Area Failed in Summer by District, Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Maize	Sorghum	Wheat	Beans	Peas
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	0	15	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	25	0	0	0
	Mountains	0	0	54	0	42
	Total	**0**	**39**	**54**	**0**	**42**
Leribe	Lowlands	537	364	12	331	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0
	Mountains	0	0	98	0	0
	Total	**537**	**364**	**110**	**331**	**0**
Berea	Lowlands	1,149	123	0	726	16
	Foothills	3	0	23	8	0
	Total	**1,153**	**123**	**23**	**735**	**16**
Maseru	Lowlands	1,651	21	**0**	2,009	0
	Foothills	34	416	0	31	0
	Mountains	446	0	48	21	94
	Total	**2,131**	**437**	**48**	**2,061**	**94**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	1886	360	0	1,167	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	46	0
	Total	**1,886**	**360**	**0**	**1,213**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	546	0	0	448	0
	Foothills	336	386	0	28	0
	Mountains	23	57	145	3	5
	SRV	357	159	0	113	0
	Total	**1,263**	**602**	**145**	**593**	**5**
Quthing	Mountains	192	135	214	131	0
	SRV	35	28	87	196	0
	Total	**228**	**162**	**301**	**327**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	214	0	236	24	0
	SRV	232	128	73	17	0
	Total	**447**	**128**	**309**	**41**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	175	0	642	96	81
	Total	**175**	**0**	**642**	**96**	**81**
ThabaTseka	Mountains	644	17	27	65	57
	SRV	155	0	0	479	0
	Total	**799**	**17**	**27**	**544**	**57**
Lesotho		**8,618**	**2,232**	**1,659**	**5,940**	**298**

Table 15: Area Failed in Winter by District, Zone and Crop Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Wheat	Peas
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	42	3
	Foothills	0	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**42**	**3**
Leribe	Lowlands	784	68
	Foothills	57	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**841**	**68**
Berea	Lowlands	34	53
	Foothills	13	3
	Total	**47**	**56**
Maseru	Lowlands	86	72
	Foothills	35	0
	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**121**	**72**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	219	264
	Foothills	63	1
	Total	**282**	**265**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0
	Foothills	0	0
	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Quthing	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	0	0
	SRV	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**
Lesotho		**1,333**	**464**

Table16: Area (ha) Ploughed in summer by District, Zone and Method of Ploughing, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

		Method of ploughing						
District	**Zone**	**Own Tractor**	**Hired Tractor**	**Own Oxen**	**Hired Oxen**	**Hired Labour**	**Combition**	**Other**
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	1,110	6,727	3,403	1,513	0	0	0
	Foothills	247	3,084	5,799	1,974	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	5,922	0	0	0	0
	Total	**1,357**	**9,812**	**15,124**	**3,487**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	3,780	22,174	33,205	7,804	398	199	597
	Foothills	1,854	2,011	12,451	398	0	0	199
	mountains	199	199	11,341	1,990	199	0	199
	Total	**5,833**	**24,383**	**56,997**	**10,191**	**597**	**199**	**995**
Berea	Lowlands	7,542	17,215	12,133	5,902	328	328	984
	Foothills	0	328	8,690	1,148	0	0	0
	Total	**7,542**	**17,543**	**20,822**	**7,050**	**328**	**328**	**984**
Maseru	Lowlands	1,595	15,021	16,097	2,305	175	772	1,954
	Foothills	350	525	12,649	3,015	175	175	2,554
	mountains	0	0	10,141	0	0	0	0
	Total	**1,945**	**15,546**	**38,887**	**5,319**	**350**	**947**	**4,508**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	1,596	5,188	15,525	2,377	158	0	355
	Foothills	0	1,263	6,597	333	0	0	526
	Total	**1,596**	**6,451**	**22,121**	**2,710**	**158**	**0**	**882**
Mohale's	Lowlands	465	620	7,601	155	155	0	155
Hoek	Foothills	0	0	4,964	155	310	0	310
	mountains	0	0	4,636	3,550	0	1,206	965
	SRV	620	629	14,736	1,265	0	0	327
	Total	**1,086**	**1,249**	**31,936**	**5,126**	**465**	**1,206**	**1,757**
Quthing	mountains	110	0	14,928	1,143	331	110	138
	SRV	0	0	6,535	552	0	0	0
	Total	**110**	**0**	**21,464**	**1,695**	**331**	**110**	**138**
Qcha's Nek	mountains	0	111	4,266	210	100	0	0
	SRV	374	262	9,124	1,955	0	0	1,532
	Total	**374**	**373**	**13,390**	**2,166**	**100**	**0**	**1,532**
Mokhotlong	mountains	117	0	36,469	608	117	0	0
	Total	**117**	**0**	**36,469**	**608**	**117**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	mountains	434	419	19,420	0	549	0	419
	SRV	0	275	4,257	687	0	0	0
	Total	**434**	**694**	**23,677**	**687**	**549**	**0**	**419**
Lesotho		**20,393**	**76,051**	**280,887**	**39,040**	**2,995**	**2,791**	**11,215**

Table17: Amount Spent on Ploughing in Summer by District, Zone and Method of Ploughing, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

		Method of ploughing						
District	**Zone**	**Own Tractor**	**Hired Tractor**	**Own Oxen**	**Hired Oxen**	**Hired Labour**	**Combination**	**Other**
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	136,949	2,683,071	148,177	284,094	0	0	6,169
	Foothills	102,404	1,694,594	117,209	444,160	0	0	24,676
	mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**239,353**	**4,377,664**	**265,386**	**728,254**	**0**	**0**	**30,844**
Leribe	Lowlands	845,603	12,965,358	2,265,553	1,075,961	29,845	0	19,897
	Foothills	0	1,886,632	0	13,928	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	99,483	517,310	49,741	0	0
	Total	**845,603**	**14,851,990**	**2,365,035**	**1,607,198**	**79,586**	**0**	**19,897**
Berea	Lowlands	1,712,911	9,374,407	642,700	1,506,739	54,105	0	139,361
	Foothills	0	304,955	81,977	285,280	0	0	0
	Total	**1,712,911**	**9,679,362**	**724,677**	**1,792,019**	**54,105**	**0**	**139,361**
Maseru	Lowlands	389,734	10,015,207	0	219,751	14,013	439,863	0
	Foothills	0	385,355	43,790	1,155,236	26,274	131,371	0
	mountains	0	0	31,345	0	0	0	0
	Total	**389,734**	**10,400,562**	**75,135**	**1,374,987**	**40,287**	**571,234**	**0**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	3,602,794	576,353	733,012	9,474	0	0
	Foothills	0	402,658	108,779	111,411	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**4,005,451**	**685,132**	**844,422**	**9,474**	**0**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	6,205	424,240	356,765	31,023	23,267	0	0
	Foothills	0	0		62,046	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	516,705	1,098,731	0	0	40,330
	SRV	103,927	591,886	336,600	331,456	0	0	62,046
	Total	**110,132**	**1,016,126**	**1,210,069**	**1,523,257**	**23,267**	**0**	**102,376**
Quthing	mountains	11,038	0	1,359,084	396,914	33,113	0	68,984
	SRV	0	0	0	204,194	0	0	0
	Total	**11,038**	**0**	**1,359,084**	**601,108**	**33,113**	**0**	**68,984**
Qcha's Nek	mountains	0	55,347	0	166,042	34,869	0	0
	SRV	0	234,859	0	711,174	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**290,206**	**0**	**877,216**	**34,869**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	mountains	0	0	205,940	155,265	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**205,940**	**155,265**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Lesotho		**3,308,771**	**44,621,362**	**6,890,459**	**9,503,726**	**274,701**	**571,234**	**361,462**

Table 18: Total Amount Spent on Summer Planting by District, Zone and Method of Planting, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

		Ploughing method							
District	**Zone**	**Own planter Ox Drawn**	**Hired planter Ox Drawn**	**Own Planter Tractor Drawn**	**Hired Planter Tractor Drawn**	**Manual**	**Conservation Agriculture**	**Combination**	**Other**
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	478,089	364,679	74,027	512,018	13,572	44,416	6,169	0
	Foothills	71,559	235,652	9,870	0	0	0	12,338	0
	mountains	0	0	0	0	656,370	0	0	0
	Total	**549,648**	**600,330**	**83,897**	**512,018**	**669,941**	**44416**	**18,507**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	1,147,035	1,368,108	559,093	153,203	467,679	0	0	431,092
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**1,147,035**	**1,368,108**	**559,093**	**153,203**	**467,679**	**0**	**0**	**431,092**
Berea	Lowlands	1,652,330	2,647,860	516,456	788,620	614,828	0	0	98,373
	Foothills	0	460,711	0	0	8,198	0	0	0
	Total	**1,652,330**	**3,108,571**	**516456**	**788620**	**623,026**	**0**	**0**	**98,373**
Maseru	Lowlands	4,878,126	1,145,065	107863	479943	931,620	70,065	0	202,819
	Foothills	2,855,133	1,525,657	0	0	1,544,648	166,403	0	17,516
	mountains	64,533	64,533	0	0	1,403,136	0	0	0
	Total	**7,797,792**	**2,735,255**	**107863**	**479943**	**3,879,404**	**236,468**	**0**	**220,335**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	3,912,263	491,085	572198	1152707	645,333	31,581	0	0
	Foothills	733,206	117,552	0	0	293,002	0	0	0
	Total	**4,645,468**	**608,636**	**572198**	**1152707**	**938,334**	**31,581**	**0**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	904,320	279,207	46,535	0	374,603	31,023	0	0
	Foothills	0	69,802	0	0	757,427	0	0	0
	mountains	0	12,065	0	0	944,133	0	0	0
	SRV	653,932	345,906	40820	80007	2,624,301	0	0	0
	Total	**1,558,253**	**706,980**	**87354**	**80007**	**4,700,463**	**31023**	**0**	**0**
Quthing	mountains	33,113	0	0	0	899,004	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	419,425	0	0	0
	Total	**33,113**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,318,429**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Qcha's Nek	mountains	0	11,069	0	0	850,984	0	0	0
	SRV	0	24,906	12,453	0	1,968,092	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**35,976**	**12,453**	**0**	**2,819,076**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	mountains	0	77,752	38,876	0	2,227,202	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**77,752**	**38,876**	**0**	**2,227,202**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	mountains	0	0	0	0	1761129	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,761,129**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Lesotho		**17,383,639**	**9,241,608**	**1,978,189**	**3,166,496**	**19,404,684**	**343,488**	**18,507**	**749,799**

Table 19: Total Area Disked in summer by District, Zone and Method of Disking, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

		Ploughing method						
District	**Zone**	**Own Tractor**	**Hired Tractor**	**Own Oxen**	**Hired Oxen**	**Hired labour**	**Combination**	**Other**
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	93	7	27	0	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**93**	**7**	**27**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	2,087	1,843	3,444	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	288	28	0	0	0
	Total	**2,099**	**1,843**	**3,733**	**28**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Berea	Lowlands	2,622	1,485	1,212	818	120	0	2
	Foothills	0	260.6871	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**2,622**	**1,746**	**1,212**	**818**	**120**	**0**	**2**
Maseru	Lowlands	193	1,491	445	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	695	490	0	0	42
	mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**193**	**1,491**	**1,140**	**490**	**0**	**0**	**42**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	77	0	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	663	130	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**77**	**663**	**130**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	771	147	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	20	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	318	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	238	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**1,327**	**168**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Quthing	mountains	0	0	1,179	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	66	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**1,245**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Qcha's Nek	mountains	0	0	0	154	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	87	57	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**87**	**211**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	mountains	0	0	2,538	0	0	0	500
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**2,538**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**500**
Thaba-Tseka	mountains	98	152	2,834	0	142	500	0
	SRV	0	0	783	0	0	0	0
	Total	**98**	**152**	**3,617**	**0**	**142**	**500**	**0**
Lesotho		**5,104**	**5,316**	**15,589**	**1,845**	**262**	**500**	**544**

Table 20: Total Amount Spent on Disking in Summer by District, Zone and Method of Disking, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

		Amount spent (Maloti)				
District	**Zone**	**Own Tractor**	**Hired Tractor**	**Own Oxen**	**Hired Oxen**	**Combination**
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	785,913	628731	314365	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	0	9,948	0
	Total	**785,913**	**628,731**	**314,365**	**9,948**	**-**
Berea	Lowlands	340,205	678,770	32,791	122,966	0
	Foothills	0	32,791	0	0	0
	Total	**340,205**	**711,561**	**32,791**	**122,966**	**0**
Maseru	Lowlands	0	586,791	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	156,723	0
	mountains	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**586,791**	**0**	**156,723**	**0**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	15,791	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**15,791**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	0	31,023	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	35,676	0
	mountains	0	0	21,716	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**21,716**	**66,699**	**0**
Quthing	mountains	0	0	33,113	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**33,113**	**0**	**0**
Qcha's Nek	mountains	0	0	0	9,963	0
	SRV	0	0	0	20,598	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**30,561**	**0**
Mokhotlong	mountains	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	mountains	0	0	0	0	98,870
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**98,870**
Lesotho		**1,126,118**	**1,942,873**	**401,985**	**386,897**	**98,870**

Table 21: Total Area Weeded in summer by District, Zone and Method of Weeding, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Own Tractor	Hired Tractor	Own Oxen	Hired Oxen	Own labour	Hired labour	Combination	Other
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	0	23	691	0	1,872	1,139	143	0
	Foothills	15	0	241	406	1,738	693	2,179	278
	mountains	0	0	0	0	2,282	0	0	0
	Total	**15**	**23**	**932**	**406**	**5,893**	**1,833**	**2,322**	**278**
Leribe	Lowlands	233	56	3,508	1,301	9,615	5,522	5,354	1,011
	Foothills	99	0	717	0	1,887	768	981	968
	mountains	0	0	696	0	3,286	1,246	0	0
	Total	**332**	**56**	**4,921**	**1,301**	**14,787**	**7,535**	**6,335**	**1,978**
Berea	Lowlands	579	598	1,423	1,254	7,563	2,508	14,472	90
	Foothills	0	0	169	0	1,492	626	1,412	0
	Total	**579**	**598**	**1,592**	**1,254**	**9,055**	**3,135**	**15,884**	**90**
Maseru	Lowlands	0	263	1,601	263	5,329	1,680	13,939	1,551
	Foothills	0	0	1,071	0	4,629	4,219	2,878	179
	mountains	0	33	861	0	144	0	2,978	0
	Total	**0**	**296**	**3,532**	**263**	**10,102**	**5,899**	**19,794**	**1,729**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	559	0	4,981	1,446	6,904	761	1,675	3,826
	Foothills	0	0	333	91	2,885	0	3,132	0
	Total	**559**	**0**	**5,314**	**1,537**	**9,789**	**761**	**4,808**	**3,826**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	741	966	1,781	0	1,044	0
	Foothills	0	0	475	0	1,906	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	307	22	3,292	0	613	0
	SRV	0	0	931	51	4,633	82	3,648	341
	Total	**0**	**0**	**2,454**	**1,040**	**11,612**	**82**	**5,305**	**341**
Quthing	mountains	0	0	581	14	1,141	224	1,414	88
	SRV	0	0	526	53	78	0	2,081	70
	Total	**0**	**0**	**1,107**	**67**	**1,219**	**224**	**3,495**	**158**
Qcha's Nek	mountains	424	0	971	130	2,218	872	2,392	0
	SRV	207	0	534	117	2,453	129	2,727	51
	Total	**631**	**0**	**1,505**	**246**	**4,671**	**1,001**	**5,119**	**51**
Mokhotlong	mountains	0	0	313	0	2,452	167	5,800	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**313**	**0**	**2,452**	**167**	**5,800**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	mountains	0	0	2,615	0	1,325	0	5,944	352
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**2,615**	**0**	**1,325**	**0**	**5,944**	**352**
Lesotho		**2,115**	**974**	**24,285**	**6,115**	**70,905**	**20,637**	**74,807**	**8,804**

Table 22: Total Amount Spent on Weeding by District, Zone and Method of Weeding, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Own Tractor	Hired Tractor	Own Oxen	Hired Oxen	Own labour	Hired labour	Combination	Other
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	0	37,013	550,265	0	637,863	1,228,258	51,949	0
	Foothills	74027	0	0	160,391	294,873	382,471	893,625	0
	mountains	0	0	0	0	28,377	0	0	0
	Total	**74,027**	**37,013**	**550,265**	**160,391**	**961,113**	**1,610,729**	**945,574**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	165,141	0	527,258	789,893	1,997,834	5,788,566	5,619,777	0
	Foothills	89,534	0	0	0	0	674,807	1,138,082	412,591
	mountains	0	0	0	0	0	633,705	0	0
	Total	**254,675**	**0**	**527,258**	**789,893**	**1,997,834**	**7,097,078**	**6,757,859**	**412,591**
Berea	Lowlands	122,966	713,201	77,878	598,433	429,560	1,405,907	9,297,841	73,779
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0	666,474	840,265	0
	Total	**122,966**	**713,201**	**77,878**	**598,433**	**429,560**	**2,072,381**	**10,138,106**	**73,779**
Maseru	Lowlands	0	133,123	0	26,274	5,531	369,314	3,352,580	310,036
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	146,398	2,494,116	1,012,895	210,194
	mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**133,123**	**0**	**26,274**	**151,930**	**2,863,430**	**4,365,475**	**520,230**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	0	69,478	250,570	146,852	210,014	513,191	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	26,318	0	0	140,009	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**69,478**	**276,888**	**146,852**	**210,014**	**653,200**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	31,023	224,917	0	0	139,604	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	22,026	0	0	0
	mountains	0	0	0	0	212,852	0	43,088	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	7,756	77,558	392,441	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**31,023**	**224,917**	**242,634**	**77,558**	**575,132**	**0**
Quthing	mountains	0	0	252,410	49,669	544,701	222,958	437,724	71,744
	SRV	0	0	5,519	66,225	0	0	121413	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**257,929**	**115,894**	**544,701**	**222,958**	**559,137**	**71,744**
Qacha's Nek	mountains	0	0	0	19,925	0	116,451	298,875	0
	SRV	0	0	0	91,009	34,330	26,777	161,393	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**110,934**	**34,330**	**143,228**	**460,268**	**0**
Mokhotlong	mountains	0	0	0	0	747,386	127,677	226,776	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**747386**	**127677**	**226776**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	mountains	0	0	0	0	13,009	0	129,081	28,909
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**13,009**	**0**	**129,081**	**28,909**
Lesotho		**451,668**	**883,337**	**1,513,832**	**2,303,622**	**5,269,348**	**14,425,051**	**24,810,607**	**1,107,254**

Table 23: Total Amount Spent on Harvesting by District, Zone and Crop, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Maize	Wheat	Sorghum	Beans	Peas
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	998,061	0	491,238	0	0
	Foothills	430,588	0	61,689	0	0
	Mountains	376,302	109,806	0	0	0
	Total	**1,804,952**	**109,806**	**552,927**	**0**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	9,155,061	89,534	2,505,637	701,242	99,483
	Foothills	87,964	0	0	0	0
	Mountains	89,534	308,396	0	0	0
	Total	**9,332,559**	**397,931**	**2,505,637**	**701,242**	**99,483**
Berea	Lowlands	7,436,961	727,957	1,764,147	472,188	232,815
	Foothills	45,907	0	311,513	0	0
	Total	**7,482,868**	**727,957**	**2,075,660**	**472,188**	**232,815**
Maseru	Lowlands	4,789,705	177,351	1,362,319	263,618	0
	Foothills	3,915,091	0	1,677,287	1,087,384	0
	Mountains	263,664	64,533	0	27,657	0
	Total	**8,968,460**	**241,884**	**3,039,606**	**1,378,660**	**0**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	719,091	99,480	396,529	58,176	0
	Foothills	103,054	0	0	49,865	0
	Total	**822,145**	**99,480**	**396,529**	**108,040**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	46,535	0	0	93,069	0
	Foothills	304,025	0	186,138	0	0
	Mountains	826,935	218,885	31,023	346,424	17,235
	SRV	790,025	0	583,518	0	0
	Total	**1,967,520**	**218,885**	**800,679**	**439,493**	**17,235**
Quthing	Mountains	579,009	274,098	352,924	0	0
	SRV	365,109	215,057	312,826	38,108	0
	Total	**944,118**	**489,155**	**665,750**	**38,108**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	439,137	138,846	10,487	99,293	0
	SRV	84,931	0	126,334	0	0
	Total	**524,067**	**138,846**	**136,821**	**99,293**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	1,827,625	382,723	162,113	48,595	129,586
	Total	**1,827,625**	**382,723**	**162,113**	**48,595**	**129,586**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	265,028	492,617	54,928	82,392	63,167
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**265,028**	**492,617**	**54,928**	**82,392**	**63,167**
Lesotho		**33,939,342**	**3,299,284**	**10,390,650**	**3,368,011**	**542,286**

Table 24: Area applied Inorganic Fertilizer in summer by District, Zone and Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Double Super	Single Supers	3;2;1(35)	3;2;1(25)	LAN	2;3;2(22)	Lime	Urea	3;2;1(32)	3;2;1(30)	6:2:1(31)	Other
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	0	94	81	690	118	107	163	0	1,914	0	2,702	0
	Foothills	0	239	133	0	157	333	0	0	4,140	0	713	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**333**	**215**	**690**	**275**	**440**	**163**	**0**	**6,054**	**0**	**3,415**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	448	8	0	5,032	0	2,797	0	521	5,348	667	18,240	800
	Foothills	113	1,102	0	396	10	697	0	0	2,053	0	2,467	0
	Mountains	0	0	348	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**561**	**1,110**	**348**	**5,428**	**10**	**3,495**	0	**521**	**7,401**	**667**	**20,707**	**800**
Berea	Lowlands	220	0	295	2,031	0	0	0	0	1,325	1,620	30,560	236
	Foothills	0	0	0	662	0	2,536	0	0	1,790	161	2,389	0
	Total	**220**	0	**295**	**2,694**	**0**	**2,536**	0	**0**	**3,115**	**1,780**	**32,949**	**236**
Maseru	Lowlands	0	0	0	8,911	0	8,519	0	0	1,740	1,255	10,455	313
	Foothills	0	0	0	469	0	729	0	0	3,246	0	1,463	63
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	0	**0**	**9,381**	**0**	**9,247**	0	**0**	**4,986**	**1,255**	**11,918**	**377**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	0	0	1,746	0	2,242	414	0	4,139	0	7,922	82
	Foothills	373	0	0	4,630	1,283	2,602	0	0	0	0	298	0
	Total	**373**	0	**0**	**6,375**	**1,283**	**4,844**	**414**	**0**	**4,139**	**0**	**8,220**	**82**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	158	473	0	804	0	0	1,188	0	1,548	0
	Foothills	0	0	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	279	794
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	2,556	0	0	168	0	673	99
	Total	**0**	0	**188**	**473**	**0**	**3,360**	**0**	**0**	**1,356**	**0**	**2,501**	**893**
Quthing	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,128	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	98	0
	Total	**0**	0	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,226**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	398	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	0	**0**	**398**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**7,447**	**0**	**0**
Lesotho		**1,153**	**1,443**	**1,046**	**25,439**	**1,568**	**23,923**	**577**	**521**	**27,050**	**3,746**	**80,936**	**2,388**

Table 25: Quantity of Inorganic (in kg) Fertilizer used in summer by District, Zone and Type for 2016/2017

District	Zone	Double Super	Single Supers	3:2:1(35)	3:2:1(25)	LAN	2:3:2(22)	Lime	Urea	3:2:1(32)	3:2:1(30)	6:2:1(31)	Other
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	0	12	25	112	2	37	25	0	396	0	496	0
	Foothills	0	43	25	0	6	93	0	0	453	0	199	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**56**	**49**	**112**	**9**	**130**	**25**	**0**	**849**	**0**	**695**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	10	7	0	465	0	247	0	1	711	50	2201	279
	Foothills	31	105	0	46	8	95	0	0	330	0	262	0
	Mountains	0		32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**41**	**112**	**32**	**510**	**8**	**342**	**0**	**1**	**1,041**	**50**	**2,463**	**279**
Berea	Lowlands	49	0	41	351	0	0	0	0	238	254	4499	200
	Foothills	0	0	0	107	0	329	0	0	348	33	377	0
	Total	**49**	**0**	**41**	**458**	**0**	**329**	**0**	**0**	**586**	**287**	**4,876**	**200**
Maseru	Lowlands	0	0	0	781	0	695	0	0	138	109	928	11
	Foothills	0	0	0	26	0	89	0	0	399	0	160	21
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**808**	**0**	**784**	**0**	**0**	**537**	**109**	**1,088**	**32**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	0	0	180	0	111	16	0	371	0	474	52
	Foothills	32	0	0	335	2	146		0	0	0	35	0
	Total	**32**	**0**	**0**	**515**	**2**	**257**	**16**	**0**	**371**	**0**	**509**	**52**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	8	16	0	47	0	0	62	0	153	0
	Foothills	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	281	0		18	0	65	171
	Total	**0**	**0**	**12**	**16**	**0**	**327**	**0**	**0**	**80**	**0**	**233**	**171**
Quthing	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**42**	**0**
Qachas's nek	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**12**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-tseka	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	0	0	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**		**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Total		**122**	**167**	**135**	**2,431**	**18**	**2,169**	**40**	**1**	**3465**	**446**	**9,905**	**738**

Table 26: Amount spent (in Maloti) on Inorganic Fertilizer in summer by District, Zone and Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Double Super	Single Supers	3;2;1(35)	3;2;1(25)	LAN	2;3;2(22)	Lime	Urea	3;2;1(32)	3;2;1(30)	6:2:1(31)	Other
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	0	6,169	19,739	355,306	18,506	39,478	18,506	0	494,738	0	882,836	0
	Foothills	0	0	18,506	0	0	92,528	0	0	414,893	0	204,794	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**6,169**	**38,245**	**355,306**	**18,506**	**132,006**	**18,506**	**0**	**909,631**	**0**	**1,087,630**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	31,834	3,979	0	1,049,649	0	614,786	0	15,917	1,629,773	31,834	5,016,031	298,440
	Foothills	0	69,531	0	160,214	0	69,531	0	0	635,468	0	439,019	0
	Mountains	0	0	238,752	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**31,834**	**73,510**	**238,752**	**1,209,863**	**0**	**684,317**	**0**	**15,917**	**2,265,241**	**31,834**	**5,455,050**	**298,440**
Berea	Lowlands	81,647	0	26,232	254,942	0	0	0	0	317,571	433,484	7,108,380	49,185
	Foothills	0	0	0	175,427	0	360,690	0	0	421,679	27,216	433,320	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**81,647**	**0**	**26,232**	**430,369**	**0**	**360,690**	**0**	**0**	**739,251**	**460,700**	**7541700**	**49,185**
Maseru	Lowlands	0	0	0	1,136,821	0	1,120,216	0	0	185,678	167,497	1,421,865	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	42,038	0	177,963	0	0	712,025	0	299,874	12,261
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,178,860**	**0**	**1,298,179**	**0**	**0**	**897,703**	**167,497**	**1,721,739**	**12,261**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	0	0	333,713	0	311,063	47,370	0	347,854	0	845,397	0
	Foothills	33,159	0	0	563,185	17,545	321,721	0	0	0	0	59,653	0
	Total	**33,159**	**0**	**0**	**563,185**	**17,545**	**321,721**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**59,653**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	0	74,458	0	0	103,000	0	343,436	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77,560	24,974
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	493,282	0	0	65,150	0	49,638	12,410
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**567,739**	**0**	**0**	**168,150**	**0**	**470,634**	**37,384**
Quthing	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	217,981	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18,763	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**236,744**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,866	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**6,866**	**0**	**0**
Total		**146,640**	**79,678**	**303,229**	**3,737,582**	**36,051**	**3,364,653**	**18,506**	**15,917**	**4,979,976**	**666,896**	**16,573,149**	**397,270**

Table 28: Area Applied Organic Fertilizer by District, Zone and Type, 2016/201 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Ash	Cattle manure	Horse manure	Pig manure	Sheep manure	Poultry manure	Composts	Sewege waste	other
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	0	2,868	64	0	611	75	0	0	107
	Foothills	27	3,950	0	0	1,056	0	0	0	28
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	69	0	0	0	0
	Total	**27**	**6,818**	**64**	**0**	**1,736**	**75**	**0**	**0**	**135**
Leribe	Lowlands	314	20,087	10	10	1,553	0	0	0	714
	Foothills	10	2,296	0	0	181	119	0	0	0
	Mountains	0	34	0	0	348	0	0	0	0
	Total	**325**	**22,417**	**10**	**10**	**2,082**	**119**	**0**	**0**	**714**
Berea	Lowlands	69	15,270	0	0	1,113	0	666	0	0
	Foothills	0	3,464	0	0	0	0	0	0	587
	Total	**69**	**18,735**	**0**	**0**	**1,113**	**0**	**666**	**0**	**587**
Maseru	Lowlands	162	12,693	0	0	2,108	718	0	138	1,509
	Foothills	2	1,777	0	0	0	0	0	82	1,426
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	523	0	0	0	0
	Total	**164**	**14,470**	**0**	**0**	**2,631**	**718**	**0**	**221**	**2,934**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	134	4,652	0	0	856	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	304	0	0	921	0	130	0	0
	Total	**134**	**4,955**	**0**	**0**	**1,777**	**0**	**130**	**0**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	2,167	0	0	0	0	0	0	88
	Total	**0**	**2,170**	**0**	**0**	**12**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**88**
Quthing	Mountains	0	273	0	0	56	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**273**	**0**	**0**	**56**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Qcha's Nek	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	130	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**130**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**44**
Lesotho		**849**	**69,838**	**74**	**10**	**9,408**	**913**	**795**	**221**	**4,503**

Table 29: Quantity of Organic Fertilizer used by District, Zone and Type, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Ash	Cattle manure	horse manure	Pig manure	Sheep manure	Poultry manure	Composts	Sewege waste	other
Botha Bothe	Lowlands	0	914,952	51,948	0	143,233	18,506	0	0	22,947
	Foothills	1,542	880,368	0	0	203,561	0	0	0	39,478
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	39,478	0	0	0	0
	Total	**1,542**	**1,795,320**	**51,948**	**0**	**386,271**	**18,506**	**0**	**0**	**62,425**
Leribe	Lowlands	66,851	4,544,405	49,740	9,948	468,220	0	0	0	181,054
	Foothills	3,325	874,101	0	0	65,028	1,885	0	0	0
	Mountains	0	3,581	0	0	127,334	0	0	0	0
	Total	**70,175**	**5,422,087**	**49,740**	**9,948**	**660,583**	**1,885**	**0**	**0**	**181,054**
Berea	Lowlands	984	4,136,459	0	0	196,740	0	73,778	0	0
	Foothills	0	968,944	0	0	0	0	0	0	118,864
	Total	**984**	**5,105,403**	**0**	**0**	**196,740**	**0**	**73,778**	**0**	**118,864**
Maseru	Lowlands	32,843	2,486,562	0	0	296,509	128,195	0	52,548	372,023
	Foothills	17,516	797,854	0	0	0	0	0	17,516	588,362
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	65,685	0	0	0	0
	Total	**50,359**	**3,284,416**	**0**	**0**	**362,194**	**128,195**	**0**	**70,064**	**960,385**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	55,265	767,789	0	0	177,638	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	166,678	0	0	245,630	0	17,545	0	0
	Total	**55,265**	**934,466**	**0**	**0**	**423,268**	**0**	**17,545**	**0**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	3,878	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	1,396	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	455,743	0	0	0	0	0	0	23,268
	Total	**0**	**457,139**	**0**	**0**	**3,878**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**23,268**
Quthing	Mountains	0	135,201	0	0	22,074	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**135,201**	**0**	**0**	**22,074**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Qcha's Nek	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	5,203	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	240
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**5,203**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**240**
Lesotho		**183,528**	**17,134,031**	**101,688**	**9,948**	**2,055,008**	**148,586**	**91,323**	**70,064**	**1,346,236**

Table 30: Quantity of Seeds used by District, Zone and Type, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Own Crop	Bought Locally	Imported non-hybrid	Hybrid	Combination	Other
Butha-Buthe	Lowlands	7,688	5,351	377	2,933	130	0
	Foothills	4,688	5,798	0	3,208	0	308
	Mountains	8,883	123	0	0	0	0
	Total	**21,259**	**11,273**	**377**	**6,141**	**130**	**308**
Leribe	Lowlands	37,979	39,682	4,278	27,600	995	2,785
	Foothills	6,892	7,699	398	5,958	0	3,539
	Mountains	20,095	10,744	0	995	0	0
	Total	**64,967**	**58,124**	**4,676**	**34,553**	**995**	**6,325**
Berea	Lowlands	27,052	32,462	5,410	13,608	328	1,312
	Foothills	4755	4755	2459	2295	0	0
	Total	**31,806**	**37,217**	**7,870**	**15,903**	**328**	**1,312**
Maseru	Lowlands	12,127	28,481	0	24,827	1,314	3,326
	Foothills	24,698	8,189	0	3,197	0	1,051
	Mountains	20,800	3,065	0	0	0	0
	Total	**57,625**	**39,735**	**0**	**28,023**	**1,314**	**4,377**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	12,381	14,913	158	12,079	316	1,263
	Foothills	4,877	5,895	0	3,702	0	175
	Total	**17,258**	**20,809**	**158**	**15,781**	**316**	**1,439**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	4,343	4,964	1,086	7,291	0	0
	Foothills	5,429	7,835	0	2,172	0	155
	Mountains	7,859	9,135	0	4,205	0	862
	SRV	15,891	10,642	816	4,286	0	2,996
	Total	**33,523**	**32,575**	**1,902**	**17,954**	**0**	**4,013**
Quthing	Mountains	15,138	6,977	395	3,106	0	701
	SRV	6,082	4,043	0	0	227	116
	Total	**21,220**	**11,020**	**395**	**3,106**	**227**	**818**
Qachas' Nek	Mountains	6,039	2,863	0	111	0	210
	SRV	11,968	5,542	0	2,329	0	0
	Total	**18,007**	**8,405**	0	**2,440**	0	**210**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	42,570	19,692	730	479	1231	0
	Total	**42,570**	**19,692**	**730**	**479**	**1,231**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	60,677	13,399	0	679	361	838
	SRV	8,514	549	0	0	0	0
	Total	**69,190**	**13,949**	**0**	**679**	**361**	**838**
Lesotho		**377,425**	**252,798**	**16,108**	**125,059**	**4,901**	**19,639**

Table 31: Total Amount Spent on Seeds by District, Zone and Type, 2016/2017 Agricultural year

District	Zone	Own Crop	Bought Locally	Imported non-hybrid	Hybrid	Combination	Others
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	77,230	356,156	29,609	595,702	6,494	0
	Foothills	0	425,627	0	734,052	0	9,870
	Mountains	0	4318	0	0	0	0
	Total	**77,230**	**786,101**	**29,609**	**1,329,754**	**6,494**	**9,870**
Leribe	Lowlands	706,971	3,879,483	400,904	5,072,177	9,948	44,766
	Foothills	41,078	565,085	59,688	1,489,312	0	9634
	Mountains	0	847,371	0	264,617	0	0
	Total	**748,049**	**5,291,938**	**460,592**	**6,826,106**	**9,948**	**54,400**
Berea	Lowlands	200,019	3,011,434	1,160,274	2,252,181	49,185	0
	Foothills	0	392,660	422,663	696,460	0	0
	Total	**200,019**	**3,404,094**	**1,582,937**	**2,948,641**	**49,185**	**0**
Maseru	Lowlands	166,633	1,841,363	0	4,506,578	170,781	0
	Foothills	69,188	910,044	0	628,824	0	43,790
	Mountains	170,781	118,233	0	0	0	0
	Total	**406,602**	**2,869,640**	**0**	**5,135,402**	**170,781**	**43,790**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	162,637	1,371,660	31,580	2,352,710	116,846	0
	Foothills	70,180	807,593	0	837,750	0	0
	Total	**232,817**	**2,179,253**	**31,580**	**3,190,460**	**116,846**	**0**
Mohale'shoek	Lowlands	0	248,347	97,726	930,720	0	0
	Foothills	0	501,690	0	319,547	0	0
	Mountains	51,705	653,700	0	433,819	0	0
	SRV	43,123	496,620	13,879	683,906	0	0
	Total	**94,828**	**1,900,357**	**111,604**	**2,367,992**	**0**	**0**
Quthing	Mountains	258,909	464,898	103,471	419,156	0	0
	SRV	8,133	334,742	0	0	0	0
	Total	**267,042**	**799,639**	**103,471**	**419,156**	**0**	**0**
Qacha'sNek	Mountains	6,292	271,627	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	530,228	0	200,204	0	0
	Total	**6,292**	**801,855**	**0**	**200,204**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	92,663	2,200,825	53,400	12,959	150,440	0
	Total	**92,663**	**2,200,825**	**53,400**	**12,959**	**150,440**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	64,611	1,327,863	0	142,813	0	0
	SRV	0	52,182	0	0	0	0
	Total	**64,611**	**1,380,045**	**0**	**142,813**	**0**	**0**
Lesotho		**2,190,153**	**21,613,747**	**2,373,194**	**22,573,487**	**503,693**	**108,059**

Table 32: Area Applied pesticides by District, Zone and Type for 2016/2017 Agricultural year

District	Zone	Malathion	Metasystox	Ripcort	Karate	Lanacol	Aphicides	Dithane	Cutworm bait	Fastac	Avalathrin	Alphethrin	Camprin	other	Don't know
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58
	Foothills	0	0	0	121	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,058
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	0	0	**121**	0	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2,116**
Leribe	Lowlands	1,669	0	0	669	0	344	157	1,297	0	0	44	400	40,641	581
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1978	0
	Mountains	388	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**2,057**	0	0	**669**	0	**344**	**157**	**1297**	**0**	**0**	**44**	**400**	**42,618**	**581**
Berea	Lowlands	0	0	0	146	0	185	0	197	148	1941	0	0	584	1,164
	Foothills	666	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1085	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**666**	0	0	**146**	0	**185**	**0**	**197**	**148**	**1941**	0	0	**1,669**	**1,164**
Maseru	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	177	398	387	0	0	0	236	2019
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1902	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	0	0	0	**0**	0	0	**177**	**398**	**387**	0	0	0	**2,139**	**2,019**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,380	0	0	0	0	0	455	0
	Foothills	0	98	174	0	21	0	695	0	0	0	0	0	0	426
	Total	**0**	**98**	**174**	**0**	**21**	**0**	**2,075**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**455**	**426**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	340	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**340**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**33**	**0**
Quthing	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Qacha's Nek	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SRV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Lesotho		**2,723**	**98**	**513**	**935**	**21**	**529**	**2,409**	**1,892**	**535**	**1,941**	**44**	**400**	**46,914**	**6,307**

Table 33: Amount Spent on Storage by District, Zone and Crop, 2016/2017 Agricultural Year

District	Zone	Maize	Wheat	Sorghum	Beans
Botha-Bothe	Lowlands	122,761	0	40,715	0
	Foothills	22,208	0	0	0
	Mountains	49,351	4,935	0	0
	Total	**194,320**	**4,935**	**40,715**	**0**
Leribe	Lowlands	826,922	31,437	265,818	47,752
	Foothills	0	0	0	0
	Mountains	108,436	5,969	0	0
	Total	**935,358**	**37,405**	**265,818**	**47,752**
Berea	Lowlands	883,713	0	0	13,116
	Foothills	101,652	0	0	0
	Total	**985,365**	**0**	**0**	**13,116**
Maseru	Lowlands	194,458	0	19,706	0
	Foothills	672,182	0	73,752	0
	Mountains	92,190	55,314	0	0
	Total	**958,830**	**55,314**	**93,458**	**0**
Mafeteng	Lowlands	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	70,642	0	0	0
	Total	**70,642**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Mohale's Hoek	Lowlands	0	0	0	0
	Foothills	0	0	0	0
	Mountains	0	0	0	0
	SRV	16,328	0	7,756	0
	Total	**16,328**	**0**	**7,756**	**0**
Quthing	Mountains	37,528	16,556	0	0
	SRV	14,349	0	1,325	0
	Total	**51,876**	**16,556**	**1,325**	**0**
Qcha's Nek	Mountains	0	0	0	0
	SRV	4,483	0	2,989	4,483
	Total	**4,483**	**0**	**2,989**	**4,483**
Mokhotlong	Mountains	0	0	0	0
	Total	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Thaba-Tseka	Mountains	260,908	87,885	13,732	0
	SRV	82,392	0	41,196	41,196
	Total	**343,300**	**87,885**	**54,928**	**41,196**
Lesotho		**3,560,502**	**202,096**	**466,987**	**106,547**

Table 34: Crop production by purpose and district for 2016/2017 Agricultural year

District	Crop	Consumption	Selling	Both consumption and selling
	Maize	16,734	123	623
	Wheat	870	0	0
Botha-Bothe	Sorghum	3,604	123	883
	beans	1,357	123	130
	Peas	494	0	0
	Total	**23,059**	**370**	**1,636**
	Maize	40,370	796	4,441
	Wheat	7,448	398	1,592
Leribe	Sorghum	12,111	199	3,017
	beans	16,864	199	3,602
	Peas	7,217	398	597
	Total	**84,011**	**1,990**	**13,249**
	Maize	25,741	0	3,443
	Wheat	2,623	164	820
Berea	Sorghum	5,083	0	3,771
	beans	6,558	0	2,295
	Peas	1,803	0	656
	Total	**41,808**	**164**	**10,985**
	Maize	28,702	403	2,736
	Wheat	4,125	0	394
Maseru	Sorghum	10,688	0	1,613
	beans	8,903	350	3,996
	Peas	3,307	982	788
	Total	**55,724**	**1,735**	**9,528**
	Maize	35,097	158	829
	Wheat	3,166	0	316
Mafeteng	Sorghum	7,365	316	790
	beans	6,478	316	1,281
	Peas	5,710	513	513
	Total	**57,817**	**1,303**	**3,728**
	Maize	22,727	0	500
	Wheat	1,655	0	0
Mohale's Hoek	Sorghum	8,950	0	483
	beans	6,944	0	155
	Peas	965	0	155
	Total	**41,240**	**0**	**1,293**
	Maize	8,315	0	1,501
	Wheat	2,237	0	594
Quthing	Sorghum	4,103	0	802
	beans	3,204	0	680
	Peas	337	0	110
	Total	**18,195**	**0**	**3,687**
	Maize	7,644	0	304
	Wheat	1,138	0	0
Qacha's Nek	Sorghum	2,042	125	0
	beans	3,508	0	105
	Peas	329	0	0
	Total	**14,662**	**125**	**409**
	Maize	14,337	0	718
	Wheat	3,939	0	0
Mokhotlong	Sorghum	2,272	0	233
	beans	3,288	0	1,211
	Peas	1,348	0	382
	Total	**25,183**	**0**	**2,544**
	Maize	14,036	0	1,922
	Wheat	3,794	0	824
Thaba-Tseka	Sorghum	3,447	0	687
	beans	5,225	0	1,373
	Peas	846	0	275
	Total	**27,348**	**0**	**5,081**
Lesotho		**389,047**	**5,686**	**52,140**