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Statement showing increase and decrease of Salt sales (Home and Inland consumption)
in November 1871, compared with those in November 1870, for each district.

Districts.	Increase or decrease in Indian Maunds.	Increase or decrease in Rupees.	Explanation given by Collectors.
	IN. MDS.	RS.	
1. Ganjam	+ 15,827	+ 30,694	Increase attributed to the traders resorting to the pans in larger numbers than in last year, owing to the facilities afforded by the absence of rain.
2. Vizagapatam	- 12,779	- 25,558	Decrease partly due to the increased use of saline earth and partly to deficiency of supply in the northern stations.
3. Godavery	+ 2,071	+ 4,143	It being notified that the Cocanada Canal was to be closed for traffic from 1st December 1871, merchants made large purchases in November. Hence the increase.
4. Kistna... ..	- 29,979	- 58,278	Decrease ascribed to merchants having been drawn off to the rice trade in consequence of great demand for that article in the Nizam's dominions.
5. Nellore	- 9,492	- 18,864	Decrease due to difficulties caused by heavy rain-fall.
6. Chingleput	+ 15,777	+ 29,022	Increase due to large purchases at Home's Garden Depôt, where salt exposed for sale was new and the wastage small.
7. South Arcot... ..	- 5,489	- 10,978	Decrease due to difficulties caused by heavy rain-fall.
8. Tanjore	+ 9,342	+ 17,724	Increase due to the development of the trade by the G. S. India Railway.
9. Madura	- 1,316	- 2,512	Not explained.
10. Tinnevely	- 10,400	- 20,800	Decrease due to difficulties caused by heavy rain-fall.
11. South Canara	+ 7,047	+ 14,094	Increase due to the past dry season having been unfavourable for the clandestine manufacture of salt, and for the storing up of saline earth for private use.
12. Malabar	+ 12,723	+ 23,157	Not explained.
Total...	- 6,668	- 18,156	

Statement showing the Salt sales in the month of November 1871, compared with the average sales in the same month of the previous five years.

Districts.	HOME AND ISLAND CONSUMPTION.						EXPORTATION BY SEA.						TOTAL.					
	Average of last five years from Fasli 1276 to 1280.			Fasli 1280.			Average of last five years from Fasli 1276 to 1280.			Fasli 1280.			Average of last five years from Fasli 1276 to 1280.			Fasli 1280.		
	Quantity.		Amount.	Quantity.		Amount.	Quantity.		Amount.	Quantity.		Amount.	Quantity.		Amount.	Quantity.		Amount.
	IN. MDS.	RS.		IN. MDS.	RS.		IN. MDS.	RS.		IN. MDS.	RS.		IN. MDS.	RS.		IN. MDS.	RS.	
1. Ganjam ...	86,267	1,50,197	71,757	1,41,594	87,584	1,72,288	...	...	...	...	...	...	86,267	1,50,197	71,757	1,41,594	87,584	1,72,288
2. Vingapalam ...	19,277	34,646	20,570	41,140	7,791	15,582	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,277	34,646	20,570	41,140	7,791	15,582
3. Godavery ...	27,914	50,134	26,711	53,422	28,782	57,565	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,914	50,134	26,711	53,422	28,782	57,565
4. Kistna ...	59,352	1,03,228	81,545	1,58,050	51,566	99,772	...	...	...	...	...	...	59,352	1,03,228	81,545	1,58,050	51,566	99,772
5. Nellore ...	50,954	85,513	37,788	75,096	28,296	56,282	...	...	...	...	...	...	54,192	90,004	37,788	75,096	28,296	56,282
6. Chingleput ...	121,177	2,03,324	111,518	2,13,557	127,295	2,42,579	3,283	456	...	...	...	...	124,249	2,08,819	111,518	2,13,557	127,295	2,42,579
7. South Arcot ...	34,532	53,903	32,054	64,968	25,545	53,050	...	...	...	...	...	...	34,632	59,903	32,054	64,968	25,545	53,050
8. Tanjore ...	55,879	94,800	48,123	92,286	67,465	1,10,010	480	54	...	...	...	...	55,850	94,854	48,123	92,286	65,865	1,10,935
9. Madura ...	32,877	57,506	27,214	54,808	25,893	51,796	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,877	57,506	27,214	54,808	25,893	51,796
10. Tinorelly ...	31,835	65,568	46,856	93,712	36,456	72,912	1,638	177	...	...	...	...	38,473	65,745	46,856	93,712	65,856	76,423
11. South Canara ...	32,117	39,809	22,592	45,184	29,639	59,278	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,117	59,869	22,592	45,184	29,639	59,278
12. Malabar ...	40,554	71,123	33,226	65,852	45,949	89,009	...	...	...	...	...	...	40,554	71,122	33,226	65,852	45,949	89,009
Total...	587,435	10,36,755	559,934	10,98,369	533,266	10,50,118	8,428	1,212	...	...	...	...	595,863	10,27,967	559,944	10,98,369	594,066	10,84,568

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Madras,

8th January 1872.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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for Sub-Secretary.

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