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UPCOUNTRY SPOT RATES

Standard Descriptions with Basic Grade & Staple in Millimetres based on Upper Half Mean Length As per CAI By-laws								Rs. per Quintal	Rs. per Candy	Variation + (Plus) - (Minus)
Sr. No.	Growth	Grade Standard	Grade	Staple	Micronaire	Gravimetric Trash %	Strength / GPT	2025-26	2025-26	
1	P/H/R	ICS-101	Fine	Below 22mm	5.0 – 7.0	4%	15	15044	53500	(N.C.)
2	GUJ	ICS-102	Fine	22mm	4.0 – 6.0	15%	20	13976	49700	(+100)
3	P / H / R(U)	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.5 – 4.9	4%	26	18419	65500	(+600)
4	M/M(P) /SA/TL/GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.0 – 3.4	4%	25	16310	58000	(+600)
5	M/M(P)/SA/TL	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.5 – 4.9	3.5%	26	18559	66000	(+200)
6	P/ H/R(U)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.5 – 4.9	4%	27	18840	67000	(+300)
7	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	19487	69300	(+200)
8	SA/TL/K	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	19290	68600	(+500)
9	GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	19459	69200	(+300)
10	R(L)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	4.0%	27	18728	66600	(+400)
11	R(L)	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	28	19375	68900	(+400)
12	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	28	19825	70500	(+200)
13	SA/TL/K	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	28	19487	69300	(+500)
14	GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	28	19740	70200	(+300)
15	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	30mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	29	20162	71700	(+300)
16	SA/TL/K/O	ICS-105	Fine	30mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	29	19881	70700	(+600)
17	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	31mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	30	20274	72100	(+200)
18	SA/TL/K/TN/O	ICS-105	Fine	31mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	30	N.A.	N.A.	
19	SA/TL/K/TN/O	ICS-106	Fine	32mm	3.5 – 4.9	3%	31	N.A.	N.A.	
20	M/M(P)	ICS-107	Fine	34mm	2.8 - 3.7	4%	33	25786	91700	(N.C.)
21	K/TN	ICS-107	Fine	34mm	2.8 - 3.7	3.5%	34	26152	93000	(+1000)
22	M/M(P)	ICS-107	Fine	35mm	2.8 - 3.7	4%	35	26517	94300	(+500)
23	K/TN	ICS-107	Fine	35mm	2.8 - 3.7	3.5%	35	26855	95500	(+1000)

Note:1 Official spot rates are fixed and registered by CAI on the basis of average price inclusive of spot brokerage as per respective State Dharas, and for 15 days credit from the date of passing and cash discount @ 15% per annum, except for Northern area (excluding Lower Rajasthan), in which case spot rates fixed and registered are for payment terms: 7 days from the date of pressing at Upcountry Spot Markets ex-gin, excluding Tax. These rates are for domestic transaction only

2. P/H/R(U) ICS-202 (SG) rate is lower by Rs. 1000/ pc than Sr. no. 3
3. Strength:Grams per tex (HVI Mode) (Prorate basis)
   a) 1 gpt pts lower Rs 500/pc
   b) 2 gpt pts lower Rs 1,000/pc
   c) 3 gpt pts lower Rs 2,000/pc
   d) 4 gpt pts lower Rs 3,000/pc
4. Staple length : Upper Half Mean Length
5. Gravimetric Trash Percentage
6. Moisture by probe method maximum 9%
7. Base Grade 'Fine' of bulk of the cotton of the staple length range of 29mm to 32mm consists of –
   (i) Colour grade 31/3 (ii) RD 75
8. In Rates acceptable up to a maximum 5.50 Micronaire with proportionate discount @ Rs.150/- per point per candy over 4.9 Micronaire
9. For M/M(P)/SA/TL/GUJ-Sr No. 4 are for 67 Rd
10. For Northern Zone (P/H/R(U)-Sr. Nos. 3 and 6 are for 70 Rd
11. For M/M(P)/SA/TL-Sr Nos. 5, 7, 8, and GUJ-Sr No.9 are for 74 Rd
12. For R(L)-Sr. No. 10 is for 72 Rd and 11 is for 73 Rd
13. For M/M(P) and K/TN-Sr Nos. 20 to 23 are for 70-72 Rd

Secretary