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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	(+500)
2	GUJ	ICS-102	Fine	22mm	4.0 – 6.0	15%	20	13779	49000	(+800)
3	M/M(P)	ICS-104	Fine	23mm	4.5 - 7.0	4%	22	15325	54500	(+500)
4	P / H / R(U)	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.5 – 4.9	4%	26	18025	64100	(+900)
5	M/M(P) /SA/TL/GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.0 – 3.4	4%	25	15494	55100	(N.C.)
6	M/M(P)/SA/TL	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.5 – 4.9	3.5%	26	17800	63300	(+500)
7	P/ H/R(U)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.5 – 4.9	4%	27	18700	66500	(+900)
8	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	19206	68300	(+500)
9	SA/TL/K	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	18953	67400	(+500)
10	GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	19178	68200	(+500)
11	R(L)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	4.0%	27	18615	66200	(+700)
12	R(L)	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	28	19206	68300	(+700)
13	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	28	19543	69500	(+500)
14	SA/TL/K	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	28	19234	68400	(+500)
15	GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	28	19459	69200	(+500)
16	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	30mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	29	19825	70500	(+500)
17	SA/TL/K/O	ICS-105	Fine	30mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	29	19515	69400	(+500)
18	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	31mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	30	20106	71500	(+500)
19	SA/TL/K/TN/O	ICS-105	Fine	31mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	30	N.A.	N.A.	
20	SA/TL/K/TN/O	ICS-106	Fine	32mm	3.5 – 4.9	3%	31	N.A.	N.A.	
21	M/M(P)	ICS-107	Fine	34mm	2.8 - 3.7	4%	33	25786	91700	(+500)
22	K/TN	ICS-107	Fine	34mm	2.8 - 3.7	3.5%	34	25870	92000	(+400)
23	M/M(P)	ICS-107	Fine	35mm	2.8 - 3.7	4%	35	26208	93200	(+500)
24	K/TN	ICS-107	Fine	35mm	2.8 - 3.7	3.5%	35	26320	93600	(N.C.)

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. 4
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. 5 are for 67 Rd
10	For Northern Zone (P/H/R(U)-Sr. Nos. 4 and 7 are for 70 Rd
11	For M/M(P)/SA/TL-Sr Nos. 6, 8, 9, and GUJ-Sr No.10 are for 74 Rd
12	For R(L)-Sr. No. 11 is for 72 Rd and 12 is for 73 Rd
13	For M/M(P) and K/TN-Sr Nos. 21 to 24 are for 70-72 Rd

Secretary