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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	13694	48700	(N.C.)
2	GUJ	ICS-102	Fine	22mm	4.0 – 6.0	13%	20	10826	38500	(+300)
3	M/M(P)	ICS-104	Fine	23mm	4.5 – 7.0	4%	22	13863	49300	(N.C.)
4	P/H/R(U)	ICS-202 (SG)	Fine	27mm	3.5 – 4.9	4.5%	26	14847	52800	(+400)
5	P / H / R(U)	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.5 – 4.9	4%	26	15100	53700	(+400)
6	M/M(P) /SA/TL/GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.0 – 3.4	4%	25	14060	50000	(N.C.)
7	M/M(P)/SA/TL	ICS-105	Fine	27mm	3.5 – 4.9	3.5%	26	15466	55000	(+500)
8	P/ H/R(U)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.5 – 4.9	4%	27	15635	55600	(+400)
9	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	15888	56500	(+800)
10	SA/TL/K	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	15550	55300	(N.C.)
11	GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	27	15972	56800	(+200)
12	R(L)	ICS-105	Fine	28mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	27	15747	56000	(+1000)
13	R(L)	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	28	16028	57000	(+500)
14	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3.5%	28	16169	57500	(+800)
15	SA/TL/K	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	28	15775	56100	(N.C.)
16	GUJ	ICS-105	Fine	29mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	28	16281	57900	(+200)
17	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	30mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	29	16310	58000	(+300)
18	SA/TL/K/O	ICS-105	Fine	30mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	29	16141	57400	(N.C.)
19	M/M(P)	ICS-105	Fine	31mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	30	16731	59500	(N.C.)
20	SA/TL/K/TN/O	ICS-105	Fine	31mm	3.7 – 4.9	3%	30	16675	59300	(N.C.)
21	SA/TL/K/TN/O	ICS-106	Fine	32mm	3.5 – 4.9	3%	31	N.A.	N.A.	
22	M/M(P)	ICS-107	Fine	34mm	2.8 - 3.7	4%	33	21006	74700	(N.C.)
23	K/TN	ICS-107	Fine	34mm	2.8 - 3.7	3.5%	34	21231	75500	(N.C.)
24	M/M(P)	ICS-107	Fine	35mm	2.8 - 3.7	4%	35	21512	76500	(N.C.)
25	K/TN	ICS-107	Fine	35mm	2.8 - 3.7	3.5%	35	21793	77500	(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	Staple length : Upper Half Mean Length
3	Strength: Grams per tex (HVI Mode)
4	Gravimetric Trash Percentage
5	Moisture by probe method maximum 9%
6	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
7	In Rates acceptable up to a maximum 5.50 Micronaire with proportionate discount @ Rs.150/- per point per candy over 4.9 Micronaire
8	For M/M(P)/SA/TL/GUJ-Sr No. 6 are for 67 Rd
9	For Northern Zone (P/H/R(U)-Sr. Nos. 4, 5 and 8 are for 70 Rd
10	For M/M(P)/SA/TL-Sr Nos. 7, 9, 10, and GUJ-Sr No.11 are for 74 Rd
11	For R(L)-Sr. Nos. 12 and 13 are for 74 Rd
12	For M/M(P) and K/TN-Sr Nos. 22 to 25 are for 70-72 Rd

Secretary