# Food Supply Contributed by India Towards the War Effort in WW1

These statistics come from a book published by the Authority of the Government of India in 1919

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| **Items** | **Tons** |
| Rice | 219,889 |
| Flour | 133,025 |
| Atta (a type of wholemeal flour) | 322,587 |
| Grains for animals | 545,788 |
| Hay | 771,737 |
| Dhal | 48,650 |
| Ghee (clarified butter) | 26,214 |
| Sugar | 35,602 |
| Tea | 6,502 |
| Tinned Meat | 10,763 |
| Jam | 5,977 |
| Biscuits | 7,905 |
| Firewood | 6,502 |
| Total | 2,737,862 |

# 11 Indian VC winners of WW1

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|  | **Officers and Warrant Officers** | **Other ranks** | **Non- combatants** | **Total** |
| Mesopotamia | 7,812 | 287,753 | 293,152 | 588,717 |
| Egypt | 1,889 | 94,596 | 19,674 | 116,159 |
| Gallipoli | 80 | 3,003 | 1,335 | 4,428 |
| Salonika | 31 | 3,643 | 1,264 | 4,938 |
| Aden | 343 | 15,655 | 4,245 | 20,243 |
| Persian Gulf | 615 | 17,537 | 11,305 | 29,457 |
| Total | 13,517 | 538,794 | 391,033 | 943,344 |