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### INTRODUCTION

The advent of poverty as an explicit variable into development projects, planning exercises and public welfare policies generated a plethora of literature bringing into light the differences in concept, strategies of interventions and instruments of implementation. Broadly, especially in respect of rural development, the strategic instruments aim at (1) maximisation of House Hold food consumption, (2) maximisation of per capita productivity or income, (3) maximisation of Employment and (4) minimisation of income inequalities. But, often the aspects of sustainability and changes in the texture of preferences and nutritional standards are forgotten or at the best given secondary importance.

It is transparent that the quantitative measures employed in gauging development do not give importance to culture and

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environment. Inadequate emphasis on culture, nutrition and sustainability which are important structural factors lead to complex consequences in the case of development projects, especially meant for tribals. Most of the studies, which investigated this aspect, have shown that changes in farm management, production technology cannot always improve the food consumption status and increased productivity per se does not bring in higher nutritional standards among targetted families. Devault (1989) and Anawlae (1984) thus caution that agricultural projects designed with above stated aims are not nutritionally neutral. In the case of tribal development projects which are to be implemented in areas with distinct ecological, production, cultural and demographic conditions, the risk of neglecting existing food security and production system is high and may jeopardise, the very objective of development.

The above scenario warrants not only careful planning for house-hold food security

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but also demand<sup>3</sup> a surveillance mechanism to monitor the changes in food culture and consequential nutritional and health standards. However in view of the abnormal costs in conducting such monitoring studies through customary anthropom<sup>on</sup>etric and nutritional surveys there is a tendency to relegate the studies to ~~test~~<sup>low</sup> priority. An attempt is made in this study to test the feasibility of evolving a monitoring mechanism by integrating Rural Rapid appraisal method (Robert Chamber) with traditional survey approach to provide key signals of change in household food security system. The idea for such an endeavour has emanated ~~from~~<sup>from</sup> the work-shop sponsored by IFAD, held at Kathmmandu, in Feb., 92, dealing with Diet, culture and the Envioroment traditional food patterns <sup>on</sup> ~~on~~ socie-economic transitions; challenges to investment projects and social action. The exercise is carried in the three ITDA areas during April, 92 where Andhra Pradesh Tribal Development projects (APTDP) assisted by International Fund for Agricultural Development, Rome (IFAD) is being implemented since 1991.

The AITDP aims at providing food security to 63,371 families of tribals who are subsisting on "podu" (short cycle shifting) cultivation in 16 watersheds in the IDDA areas of Seethampeta, Parvathipuram, Paderu and Ram-pachodavarm located in the districts of Sriakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam and East Godavari respectively. The project aims at self sustained holistic development by integrating interventions for the food security and eco-security through natural resources as well as human resource development programmes in a symbiotic manner. The natural resource development component covering various programmes like soil conservation, small scale irrigation, horticulture plantation, inter-cropping in horticulture and arable crop development, through strengthening of credit and marketing institutions and provision of extension and training services is expected to bridge the supply and demand gap in both food production and consumption facilitating better food security along with adequate nutrition standards. Aside, in the long run, these programmes are expected to improve the income levels and consequentially standards of living. The approach of implementation being peoples participation, the element of sustainability of change is expected to be assured.



STUDY AREA:

The study area is confined to watershed areas of APTDP in 3 districts namely, 1) Srikakulam 2) Visakhapatnam and 3) East Godavari, since these three areas reflect the ethnic and cultural diversity of the project areas.

HOUSE FOOD SECURITY:

For the purpose of the study household food security (HFS), surveillance mechanism is expected to focus on the aspects of availability, accessibility, acceptability (culturally), adaptability (nutritionally) and amendability (sustainability).

STUDY DESIGN:

As a first step the available literature and information dealing with applied nutritional aspects specific to the study area, obtained through surveys during the last decade, is collected to delineate the possible and available quantitative parameters of change. However, it was found that most of such Surveys/studies due to methodological and coverage reasons are not compatible with the objective of current study.

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As a second step one ITDA namely Paderu is chosen for eliciting information on household food security through customary Survey method adopting oral enquiry approach. The ITDA spreads over 11 Mandals out of which 4 Mandals . viz, Paderu, Chintapally, G.K.Veedhi, and Munchingput Mandals are selected purposively. The Survey being carried out in summer season is supplementary in nature to the similar surveyes in the same area conducted by Tribal Cultural Research and Training Institute during the rainy and winter seasons of 1990, to reflect the cultural and nutritional nuances of tribals living in watershed areas of Visakhapatnam district. In all, 10 villages in different watershed areas were covered in this study. The list of village along with house-holds and its distance from Mandal Headquarters are given in appendix.

Rural Rapid Appraisal method as a third step is followed for eliciting information on changes in consumption pattern, covering the following aspects, in ITDA of Rampachodavaram and Seethampeta.

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- 1) To identify key linkages between food intake and important aspects of diet pattern.
- 2) To explore the dietary changes within the dynamics of food system.

The RRA method was carried out in 6 villages in East Godavari district spread over 3 watershed areas and 4 villages in 3 watershed areas of Srikakulam district. Initial group discussions followed by selective key informant approach was followed in these villages.

The traditional food chart of the tribals contains the following items:-

- 1) Cereals like coarse grains, millets, Sorghum(Jowar) and Ragi.
- 2) Traditional pulses such as Redgram.
- 3) Leafy vegetables of forest plant leaves available for most of the years.
- 4) Tubers which grow widely in the forest areas.
- 5) Fish from ponds and meat from game-hunting.

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However, due to various interventions namely regulatory, technological, welfare, marketing substantive changes both in terms of quantity and quality are expected to take place which have direct bearing on household food security. From the survey data current dietary and nutritional status are analysed.

DIETARY INTAKE:- The intake of green leafy vegetables is surplus in rainy season. The availability of roots & tubers for these groups is surplus in rainy season and marginal (2.60%) in summer season. Except in winter season the intake of oil is very less. This is due to availability of more fish in winter season and also occurrence of number of tribal festivals in this season including Sankranti. The nutrient deficiencies that arise due to non-consumptions of green leafy vegetables, roots & tubers are compensated by cereals, pulses and vegetables in winter season. In summer season, major deficiency is observed in the intake of fruits. Excepting mango and jack, no other fruits are available during the season. The average dietary intake of tribals in three major seasons of a year is presented in table 1.

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The analysis reveals the following:

1. Consistently in all the three seasons flesh foods and fruits intake is found to be in deficit with highest deviations from R.D.A.
2. Green leafy vegetable intake is very low in winter season, and also in summer season, although it is found marginally surplus in rainy season. Iron intake is higher than R.D.A. in rainy and winter seasons.
3. Vitamin 'A' intake is consistently within the recommended zone in all the three seasons. Similar is the case with reference to Thiamine.

NUTRIENT INTAKE:- The analysis of Nutrient intake is carried out in the customary fashion by converting the quantities of various food items consumed into the associated standard values of nutrients. The season specific average values of nutrients intake is presented in Table-2.

2. From the table it can be observed that the intake of Iron is surplus throughout the year. Similar is the case with respect to Vit. 'A' and Thiamine. The intake of proteins is surplus in rainy season, whereas it is deficit in winter season. The same phenomenon is observed for Calcium also. This is due to availability of fish, green leafy vegetables particularly in rainy season. Roots & tubers also

add proteins in their diet in rainy season. Oil and fat intake is surplus only in winter season. Cereals, pulses and vegetables intake is found to be significantly deficit in rainy season only.

RRA Exercise:- The RRA exercise indicated the following changes.

A.Cereal Consumption:

1. Increase in production of rice in the area due to implementation of certain poverty alleviation programmes, construction of checkdams etc, and consequently change in cropping pattern and use of high yielding varieties of seeds, fertilizers and pesticides which are supplied by ITDA's lead increased consumption of Rice.
2. Rice supply through public distribution system (DR DEPOTS) at low prices i.e. on subsidised rates improved cereal consumption.
3. Even though the consumption of rice increased, preference <sup>to</sup> ~~ancestors~~ <sup>as</sup> Ragi which is the traditional food in the morning, in the afternoon and also in lean seasons, remained the same.



4. Production of ragi and other sister millets/cereals decreased due to decrease in area of operation. It is due to induction of social forestry schemes like cashew plantation and coffee plantation in podu area. Reduced production of ragi increased the dependency on rice supplied through D.R. Depots.
5. The dietary intake in cereals increased in quantity although there was a change in the composition of items resulting in seasonal disturbance in nutritional intake status, but protein calorie malnutrition is not found among tribals of the study area.

B Consumption of Konda Kandulu, the traditional pulse.

1. The availability decreased due to technology and extension interventions displacing traditional pulses of konda kandulu by high yielding varieties like LRG 30, in a limited area.
2. Purchasing of dalls from the market or DR Depots.





C Vegetables: & Leafy Vegetables:

1. The consumption of traditional leafy vegetables like palleru, mulagaku etc. Which are available in homesteads and forests decreased due to depletion of forests. Their dependence on exotic vegetables like tomato, Potato, brinjal, Sanke-guard etc., which are brought through technological interventions increased. However, the traditional vegetable like pumpkin and french beans are still grown in the backyards.

D Fruits:-

1. The consumption of fruits is decreasing, due to increased market facilities. In earlier days they used to eat mangoes, jack fruits and citrus fruits. Now-a-days they sell it in the market. Due to such sales they are looking<sup>to</sup> the mango kernels also which they eat by powdering in lean seasons.

E Roots & Tubers:- The availability of roots and tubers decreased due to extinction of forest areas. The roots & tubers gives energy.



F Meat:- The eating a game meat is also decreased due to extinction of forest and introduction of forest regulation Acts etc.

G. Milk & Milk Products:- Milk was not a traditional food item among the tribals. But now , sporadic changes are observed because of influence of non-tribals. Consumption of tea has become a regular habit in certain households.

H. Toddy:- Cases of addiction to arrack are increasing, displacing some times supplementing consumption of Tatikallu, Kethakallu, Jeelugu Kallu etc. The addiction of arrack is ascribable to Government policy for supply of Govt. arrack at cheaper rates. The availability of caryota urens (Jeelugukallu) decreased due to indiscriminate tapping.

I M.F.P:- Despite availability of MFP in sufficient quantities, tribals are not going for the collection of MFP because it is time taking activity and also involves foraging farther places and the rates

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for certain . items like Nux. = Vomica seeds, Myrobalams are not remunerative. However, the tribals are still collecting only certain : items like Gum, honey, tamarind etc. for which they get good remuneration.

The synthesis of quantitative and qualitative results indicate that an integrated surveillance mechanism to monitor the changes in H.F.S. is feasible with customary Quin-Quinneal surveys to elicit qualitative information dovetailed by a qualitative information through Rapid Rural Appraisal approach conducted in every season in key villages.

Conclusions:- The exercise taken up here is

exploratory in nature. . In spite of various methodological and time limitations the exercise indicate the following:-

1. Interventions of new technologies perturb the House hold food systems though not in a catastrophic way.

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2. Tribals are optimising their utility functions by carefully allocating their available resources, which include their labour service, to suit the technological and regulatory interventions.
3. Development has brought along with it evils of arrack drinking and selective commercial out look.



APPENDIX

VISAKHAPATNAM DISTRICT

Sl. No.	Name of the Water shed	Name of the Village	No. of House Holds
1.	Molakapalem	Modapalli	35
		Pulabanda	30
		Vantla Mamidi	45
2.	Sujanakota	Kinchayiputtu	40
		Sujana kota	45
		Vanabha singi	35
		Sujanapeta	60
3.	Gudem	G.K.Veedhi	40
		Poojari pakalu	34
		G.Patha Veedhi	30

EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT

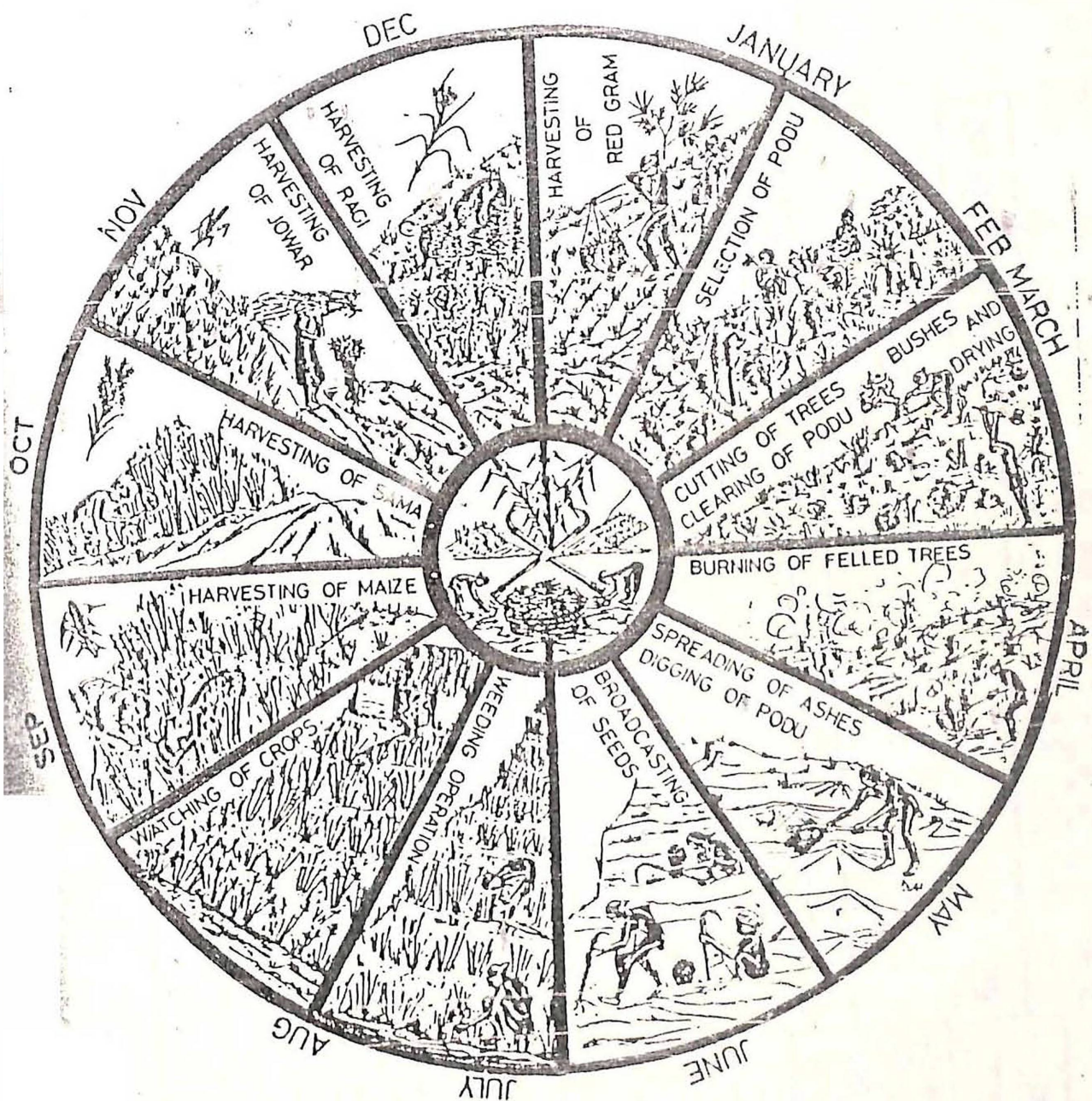
1.	Palem	Thatiwada	50
		Palem	40
2.	Devarapalli	Devarapalli	60
3.	Kutrawada	Ketchalawada	35
		Boduluru	45
		Kuduru	30

SRIKAKULAM DISTRICT

1.	Danjubai	Ghattigumda	44
2.	Kusimi	Kusimi	45
3.	Kusimiguda	Dabara	33
4.		Mittameedhiguda	9

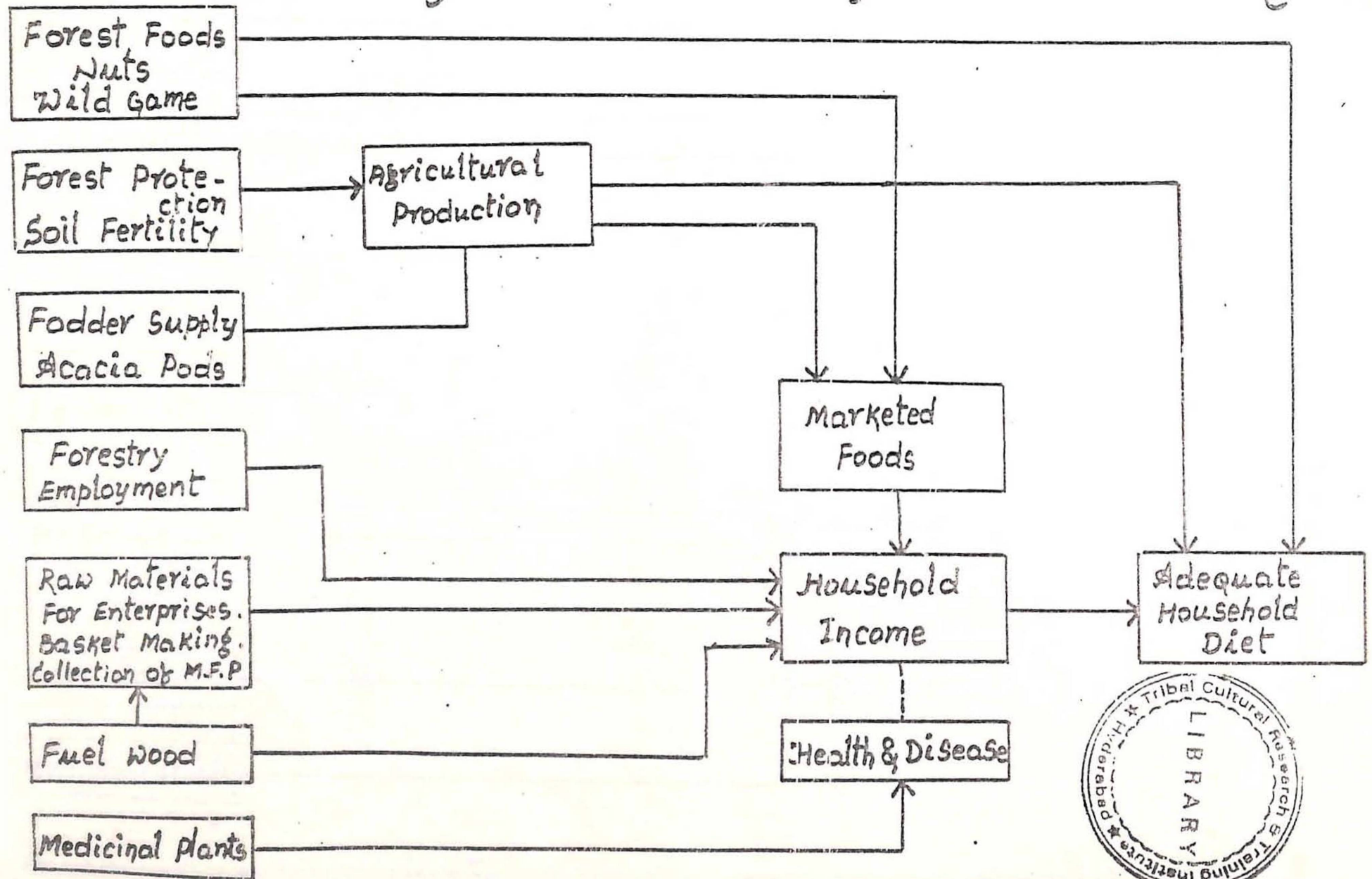


# CYCLE OF SHIFTING CULTIVATION





# Forestry, Food Security, And Nutrition



# Forestry, Food

Forest Foods  
Nuts  
Wild Game

Forest Protection  
Soil Fertility

Agricultural  
Production

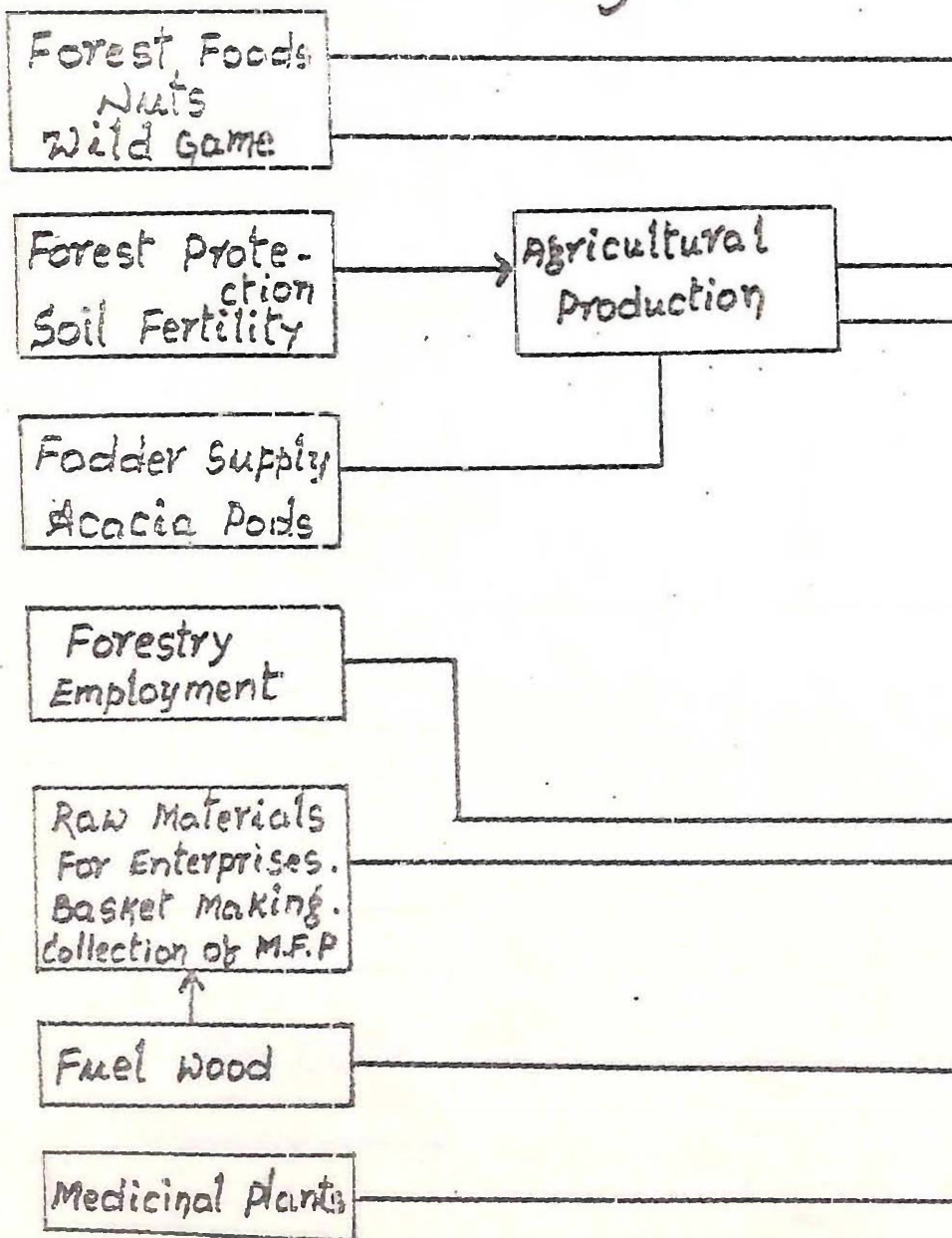
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Acacia Pods

Forestry  
Employment

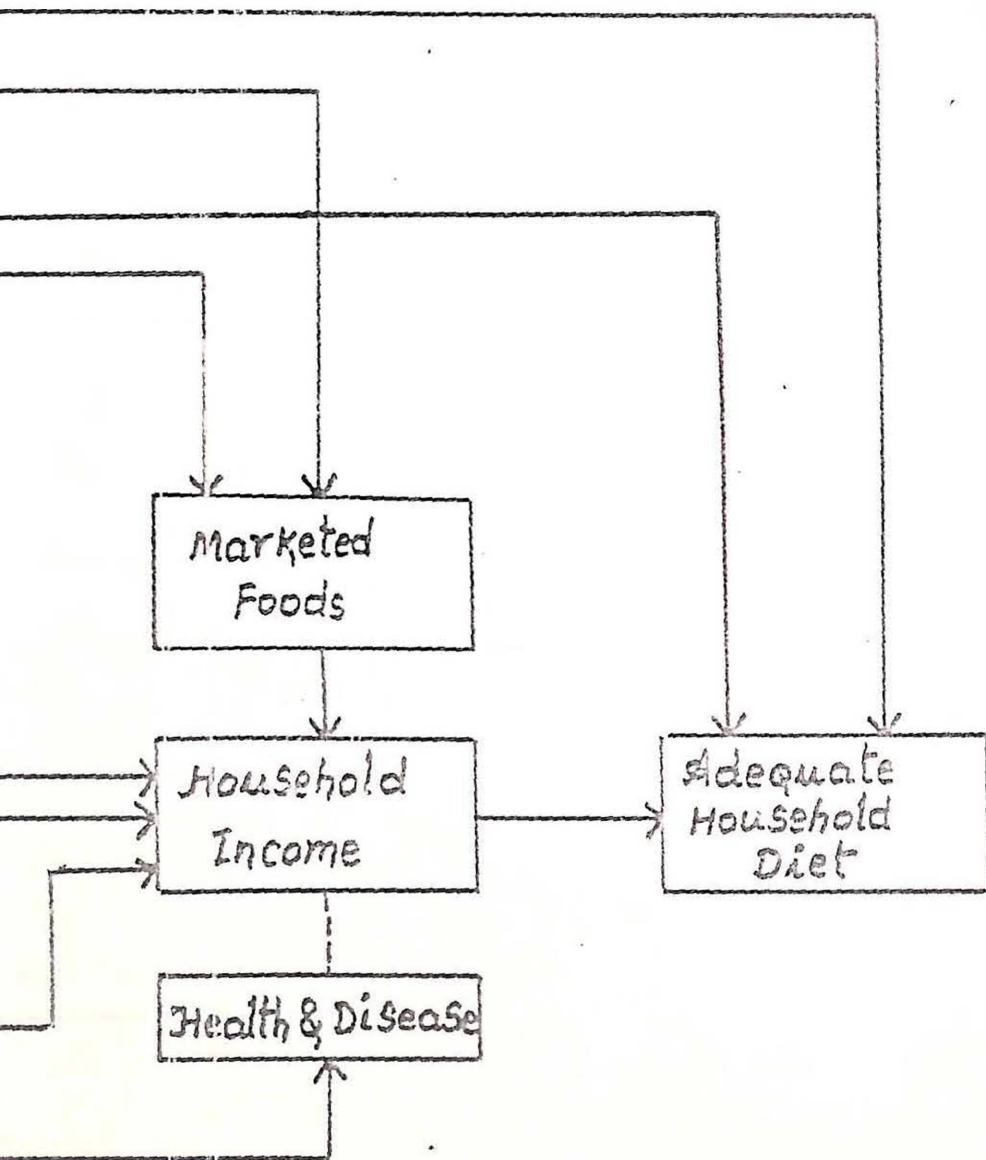
Raw Materials  
For Enterprises.  
Basket Making.  
Collection of M.F.P

Fuel Wood

Medicinal Plants



## Security, And Nutrition



## Food Sources

Forest  
Roots & Tubers

Green Leafy  
Vegetables

Agricultural  
Production

Marketed  
Foods

Wild Game

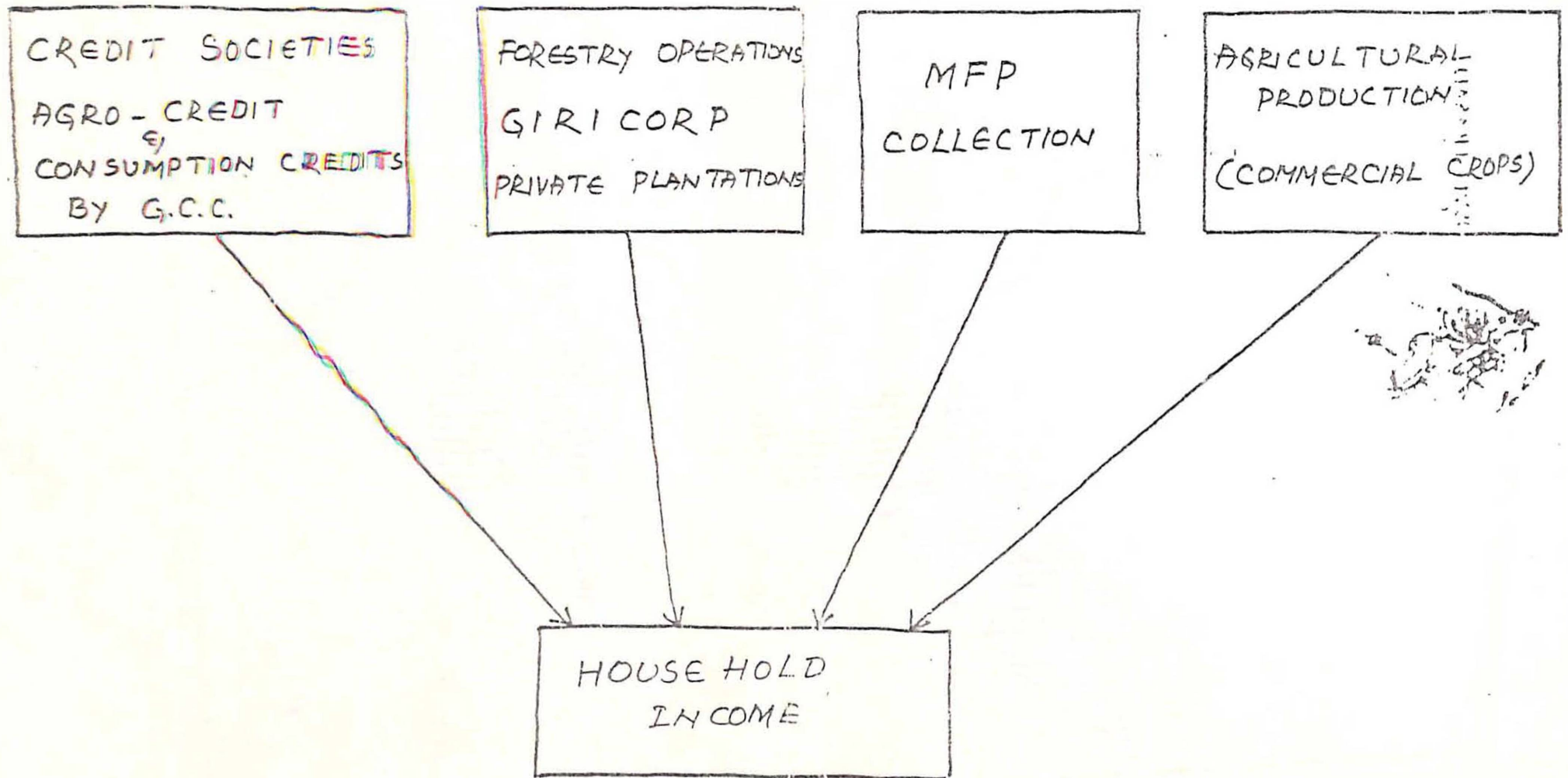
## Food Sources From Forests

FOOD

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graph LR; A[Forest Roots & Tubers] --> F[FOOD]; B[Green Leafy Vegetables] --> F; C[Agricultural Production] --> F; D[Marketed Foods] --> F; E[Wild Game] --> F;
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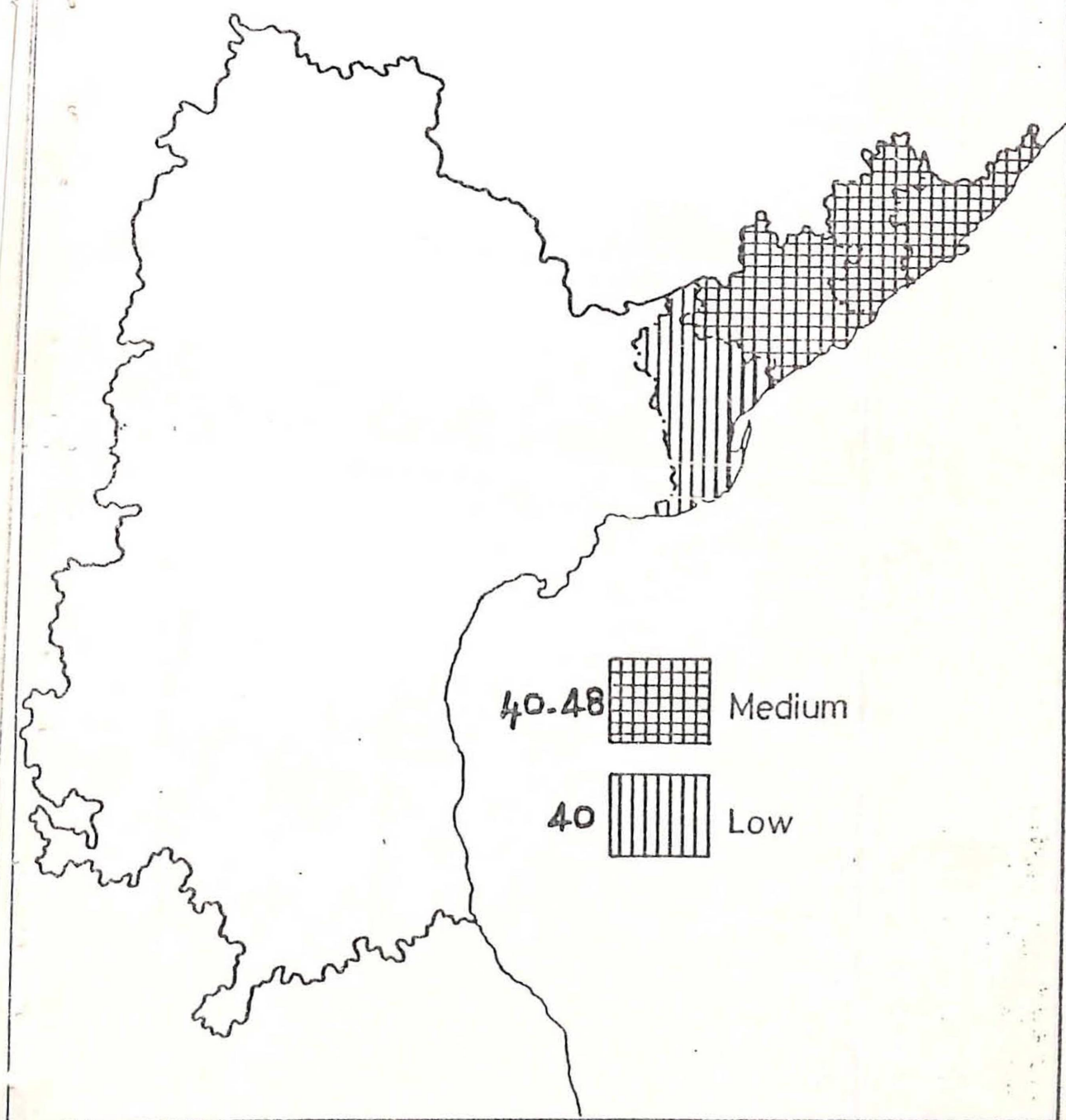


# FACTORS INFLUENCING THE ECONOMY

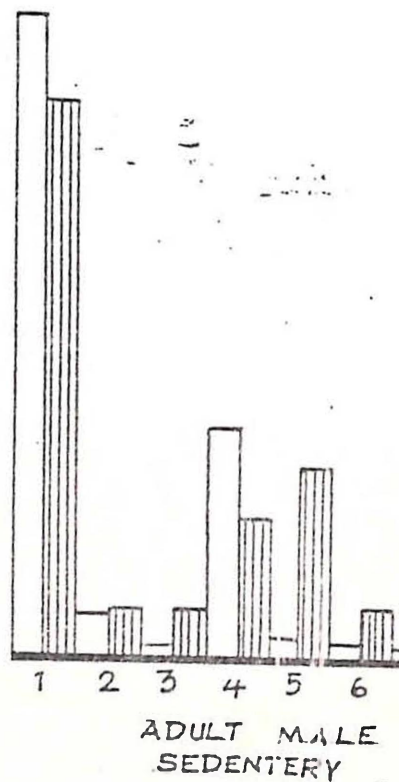
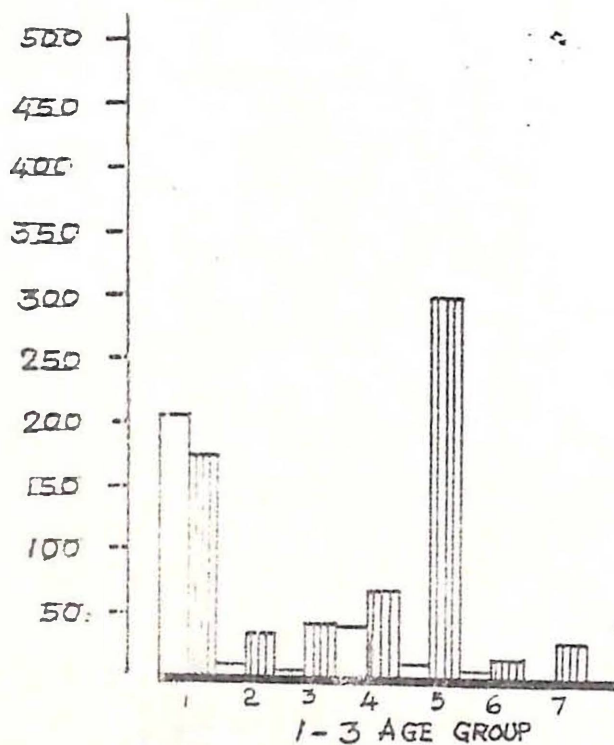




Andhra Pradesh  
PREVALENCE OF MALNOURISHMENT  
I.F.A.D. DISTRICTS



# AVERAGE INTAKE OF FOOD STUFF PERDAY



(MIS)



RDA

1. CEREALS

2. PULSES

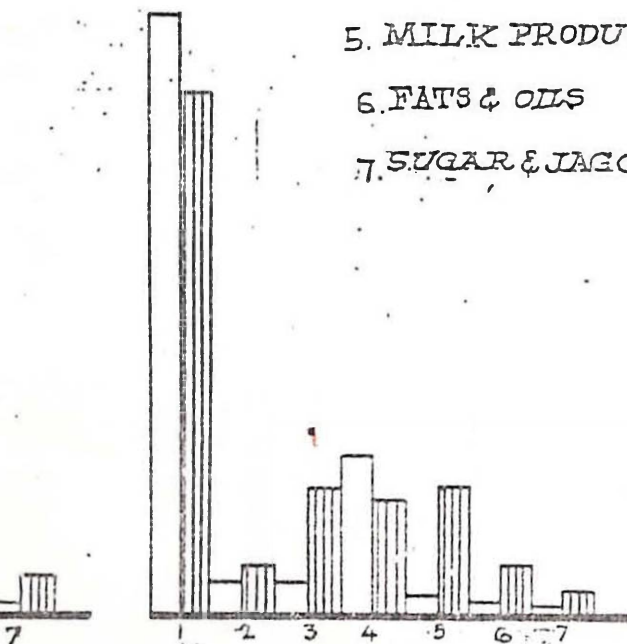
3. GLV

4. VEGETABLES

5. MILK PRODUCTS

6. FATS & OILS

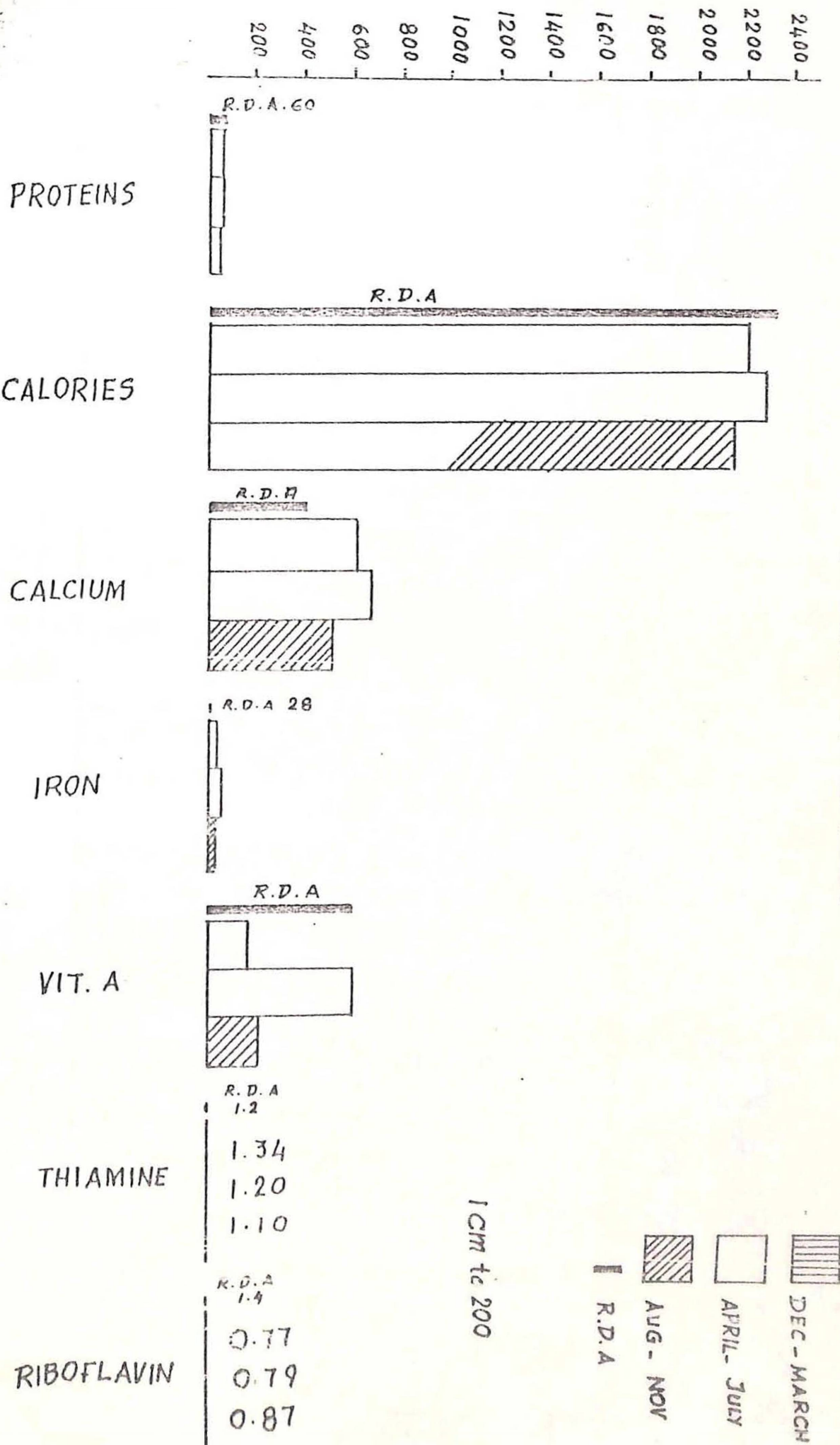
7. SUGAR & JAGGERY



ADULT FEMALE  
SEDENTARY

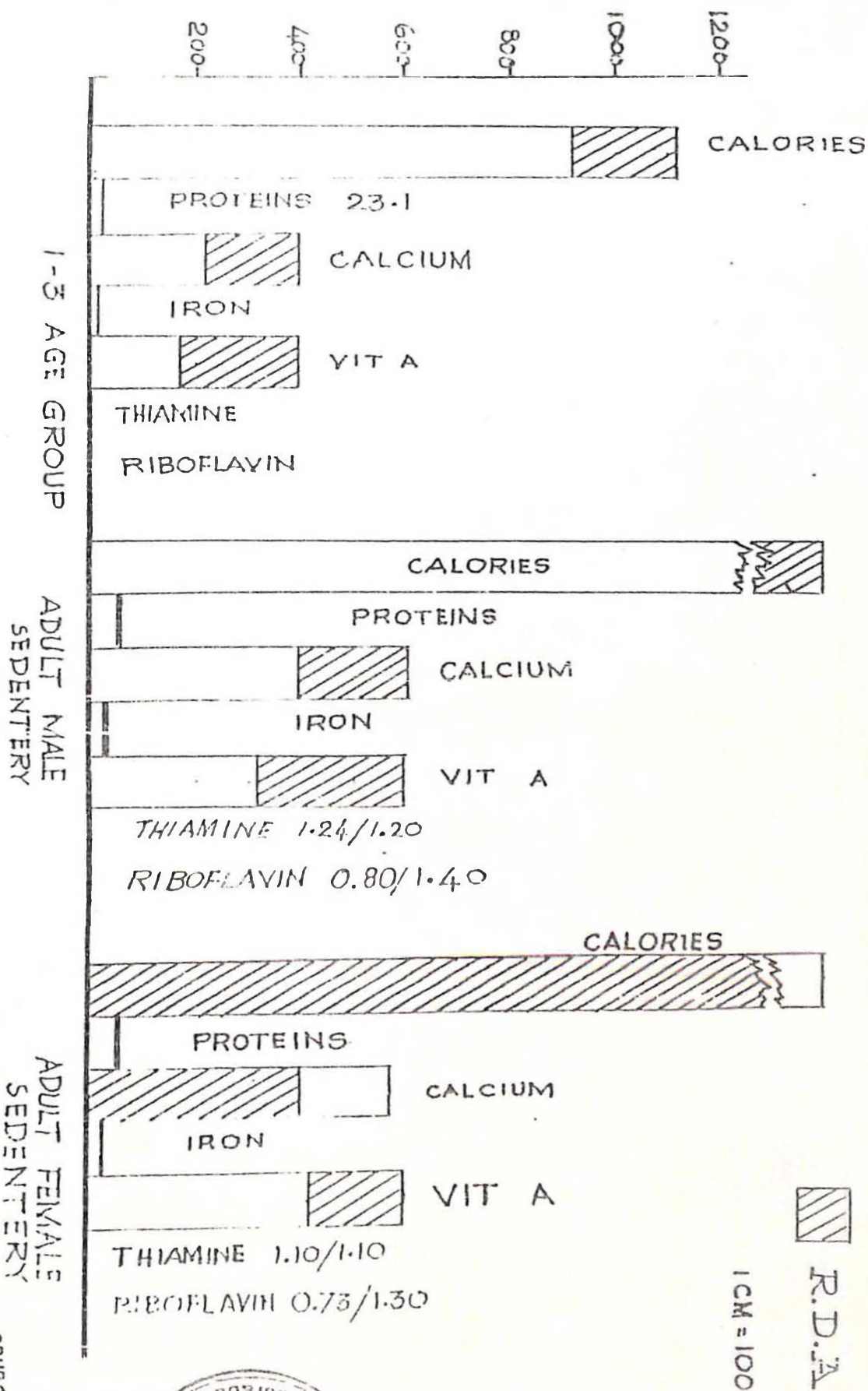
SOURCE N.I.N

# AVERAGE INTAKE OF NUTRIENTS BY SEASONS IN ADULT MALES





Average intake of NUTRIENTS per day  
in Tribal Areas of M.P.



SOURCE A  
NIN



## FOOD INTAKE OF THE TRIBALS OF NORTH COASTAL DISTRICTS OF ANDHRA PRADESH.

S.No	Study/Food intake in gms.	Particulars.	Cereals	Pulses	Green leafy Veg.	Other Veg	Roots & Tubers.	Fruits.	Meat & Fish.	Milk & Curds.	Sugar & Jaggery.	Oil.
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.
1.	Anuradha rao and K. Chittamma Rao. Marebumilli. 1982.	Intake PCU: (N=50 Households)	490 (130)	12 (30)	0 (0)	23 (46)	13 (26)	— —	— —	1 0	9 (30)	— —
2.	P. Prashadamma, P. Geervani and K. Chittamma Rao. "Profile of Tribal families in G. Dist." 1983.	Intake PCU: (N=150 Households)	572 (174)	9 (23)	6 (15)	51 (100)	19 (38)	3 —	13 —	27 (18)	9 (30)	6 (15)
3.	Susmita Subha Rani Ch. and G. Sarojini. Bhadragiri Village. Dist. 1984.	a. Pregnant Women (N = 37)	440 (110)	6 (11)	1 (3)	18 (24)	18 (24)	— —	— —	— —	— —	1 (1)
		b. Lactating Women (N = 45)	460 (102)	2 (3)	2 (2)	7 (10)	26 (35)	— —	— —	— —	— —	1 (1)
4.	Rajwajikshmi J.F. and P. Geervani. Tribal Food habits. 1987.	Intake women 15-45 years (N=170 Households)	470 (90)	26 (56)	48 (48)	113 (282)	23 (46)	— —	19 (64)	— —	— —	— —
5.	MSF, T.C.S & T.I		385	78	85	83	80	42	34	—	—	55
	RDA PCU		460	40	40	60	50	—	—	150	30	40
	RDA Adult women (Moderate)		440	40	100	40	50	—	—	150	20	25
	RDA Pregnant women (Moderate)		445	55	100	40	50	—	—	200	30	20
	RDA Lactating women (Moderate)		470	70	100	40	50	—	—	200	30	30

Figures in parenthesis indicate % of RDA

NUTRIENT INTAKE OF TRIBALS OF NORTH COASTAL DISTRICTS OF ANDHRA PRADESH.

S.No	Study/Food intake in G.S.	Particulars.	Calories Kcals	Protiens g	B.Carotene g	Thiamine mg	Ribofla- vin(mg)	Vit - C mg	Calcium mg	Iron mg
1.	Anuradha Rao and K. Chittamma Rao. Mareduvilli. ITDA R.C.VARAM. 1982.	Intake PCU: (N=50 Households)	1636 (68)	42 (76)	120 (4)	1.7 (142)	0.54 (39)	11 (28)	90 (20)	18 (75)
2.	P.Fushoanna. P.Geervani and K.Chittamma Rao. "Profile of Tribal families in G.Dist." 1983.	Intake PCU: (N=150 Households)	2206 (92)	54 (98)	344 (11)	0.82 (68)	0.78 (56)	211 (528)	418 (93)	25 (104)
3.	Sujatha Subba Rani Ch. and S.Sarojini. Bhadrachari Vijaya. Dist.1984.	a. Pregnant Women (N = 37) b. Lactating Women (N = 45)	1596 (64) 1600 (55)	34 (63) 35 (54)	119 (10) 250 (22)	0.8 (57) 1.1 (73)	0.7 (51) 0.7 (44)	6.9 (14) 7.2 (9)	250 (25) 428 (43)	20 (66) 23 (77)
4.	Rajyalakshmi .P and P. Geervani. Tribal Food habits. 1987. (N=170 Households)	Intake women 15-45 years	1729 (179)	46 (103)	620 (21)	1.4 (122)	0.8 (64)	20 (50)	620 (138)	45 (139)
5.	VSP. T.C.R & T.I		2611	54	3459	1.7	1.6	11	113	35
	RDA PCU		2400	55	3000	1.2	1.4	40	400-500	24
	RDA Adult women (Moderate)		2200	45	3000	1.1	1.3	40	400-500	32
	RDA Pregnant Women (Moderate)		2200+ 300	50	3000	1.3	1.5	40	1000	40
	RDA Lactating women (Moderate)		2200+ 550	70	4600	1.4	1.6	80	1000	32

Figures in parenthesis indicate % of RDA

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TRIBAL SURVEY - HOUSEHOLD SCHEDULE  
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State	District	Mandal	Village	Hamlet:	
	Name of the Head				
Family No.	of the Family		Tribe	Sub-Tribe(if any)	Type of House

Household members and their Demographic particulars

Sl.No	Name of the Member	Relation to the Head	Sex	Date of Birth	Age (Years)	Marital Status	Literacy	Physiological Status	Major Occupation	Covered for Diet (Yes/No)	clinical (Yes/No)
1.											
2.											
3.											
4.											
5.											
6.											
7.											
8.											
9.											
10.											

Land Holdings (in acres) Total	Wet	Dry	Podu	Land leased out
Area under different crops(during last 1 year)				



Area under different crops(during last 1 year)

Name of the crop	Paddy	Wheat	Jowar	Other Millets	Nuts & oil seeds	Pulses	Others
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Area in Acres

Total yield (q)

Rate/Quintal

Applicable to women (above 15 years) and children below 3 years

\*\* Record information such as cause of death, reasons for absence, number of days(in a month) gainfully employed, family planning practices.

LIVESTOCK OF DIFFERENT TYPES

Live stock	Milch		Bullocks	Calves & Non-milch cows		Sheep	Goats	Poultry	Pigs	Others
	Cows	Buffaloes		Buffaloes						

Number

Value of  
Total yield(Rs)

COLLECTION OF FOREST PRODUCE DURING LAST ONE YEAR

Type of Material

Total quantity(q)

Value/Quintal(Rs)

Total Family Income/  
Annum:

Total family expendi-  
ture /Annum:

Loan taken  
if any :

PARTICULARS OF ASSISTANCE RECEIVED UNDER ITDP DURING LAST ONE YEAR

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TRIBAL SURVEY INDIVIDUAL DIETARY INTAKE (ORAL QUESTIONNAIRE)

Sl.No	State	District	Village	Hamlet	Date
			Name	Serial number of individual	
			Age in years		
			Sex		
Physiological status:					
NPNL/Lact/Preg/BF+S/S					
Height(cm)					
Weight(kg)					
Arm circumference(cm)					
Fat fold at triceps(mm)					
Clinical signs(Code No)					
Usual frequency of meals per day:					
Type of Preparation	Food Stuffs	Raw amount (g)	Total cooked Qty	Individual's Intake (cooked quantity)	
Left over of previous day					

Breakfast

Type of preparation	Food Stuff	Ra/ amount	Total cooked Quantity	Name of the individual							Left over
Lunch				1.	2.	3.	4.	5	6	7.	

Tea and snacks

Dinner

\* of the preparation



TRIBAL SURVEY - NUTRITION ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE\*

State: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_ Taluk: \_\_\_\_\_ Mandal: \_\_\_\_\_

F.No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sl.No. \_\_\_\_\_ Village: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the Subject: \_\_\_\_\_ SEX : M / F Dt.of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the father/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Age-Years-Months \_\_\_\_\_

Micrological status: BF/BF+S/Not BF Prg/Lact/NPNL/Not applicable

Duration in months \_\_\_\_\_

Anthropometry: \_\_\_\_\_ Arm circumference(cm) \_\_\_\_\_

Height (cm): \_\_\_\_\_ fat fold at triceps(mm) \_\_\_\_\_

Weight (kg): \_\_\_\_\_

CLINICAL EXAMINATION:

1. Sparse:	01	Teeth:	Caries	24
Discoloured	02		Mottled Enamel	25
Moon face	04		Goitre	26
Cedema	05	Tuberculosis		27
Emaciation	06		Filariasis	28
Marasmus	07		Leprosy	29
Conj.xerosis	08		Others(Specify)	30
Bitot's spot	09			
Night blindness	10	HISTORY OF MORBIDITY:		
Angular stomatitis	11	* Diarrhoea		31
Red and raw	14	* Dysentery		32
Papillae Atrophie	15	** Measles		33
Papillae Hypertrophic	16	** Whooping cough		34
Pellagra	17	** Typhoid		35
Phrynoderma	18	** Upper Respiratory		37
Koilonychia	19	infection		37
Epiphyseal Enlargement	20	** Malaria		36
Beading of ribs	21	** Lower Respiratory		38
Knockness : Bow legs	22	infection		
Frontal Parietal Bossing	23			

During last 1 week

\* During last 1 month



TRIDAL SURVEY - NUTRITION ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE\*

State: District Taluk Mandal  
 F.No. Sl.No. Village: Date:  
 of the Subject: SEX : M / F Dt.of birth  
 of the father/guardian: Occupation: Age-Years-Months

Ecological status: BF/BF+S/Not BF Prg/Lact/NPNL/Not applicable

Duration in months

Anthropometry: Arm circumference(cm)  
 Height (cm): fat fold at triceps(mm)  
 Weight (kg):

**PHYSICAL EXAMINATION:**

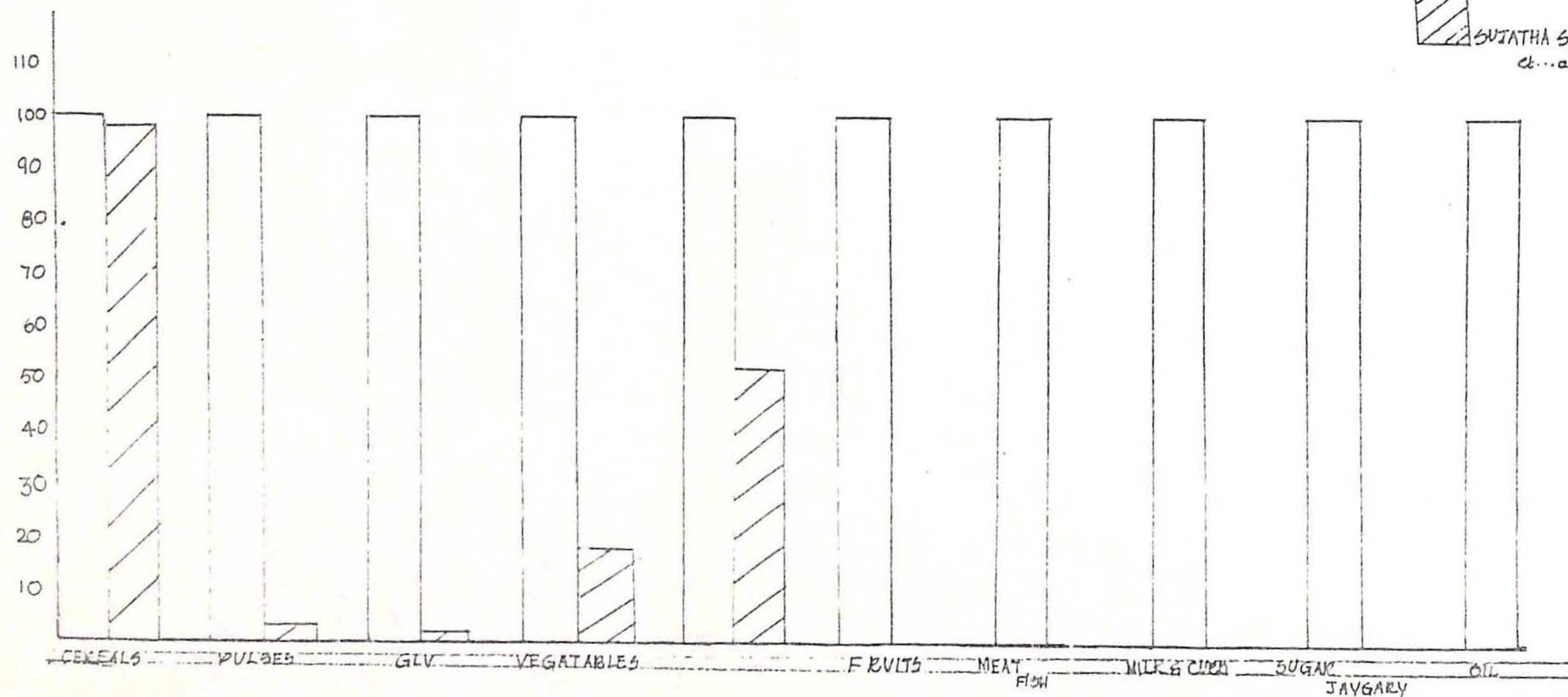
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Emaciation	06		Filariasis	28
Marasmus	07		Leprosy	29
Conj.xerosis	08		Others(Specify)	30
Bitot's spot	09			
Night blindness	10	<b>HISTORY OF MORBIDITY:</b>		
Angular stomatitis	11		* Diarrhoea	31
Red and raw	14		* Dysentery	32
Papillae Atrophied	15		** Measles	33
Papillae Hypertrophic	16		** Whooping cough	34
Pellagra	17		** Typhoid	35
Phrynoderma	18		** Upper Respiratory	37
Keilonychia	19		infection	37
Epiphyseal Enlargement	20		** Malaria	36
Beading of ribs	21		** Lower Respiratory	38
Knockness : Bow legs	22		infection	
Frontal Parietal Bossing	23			

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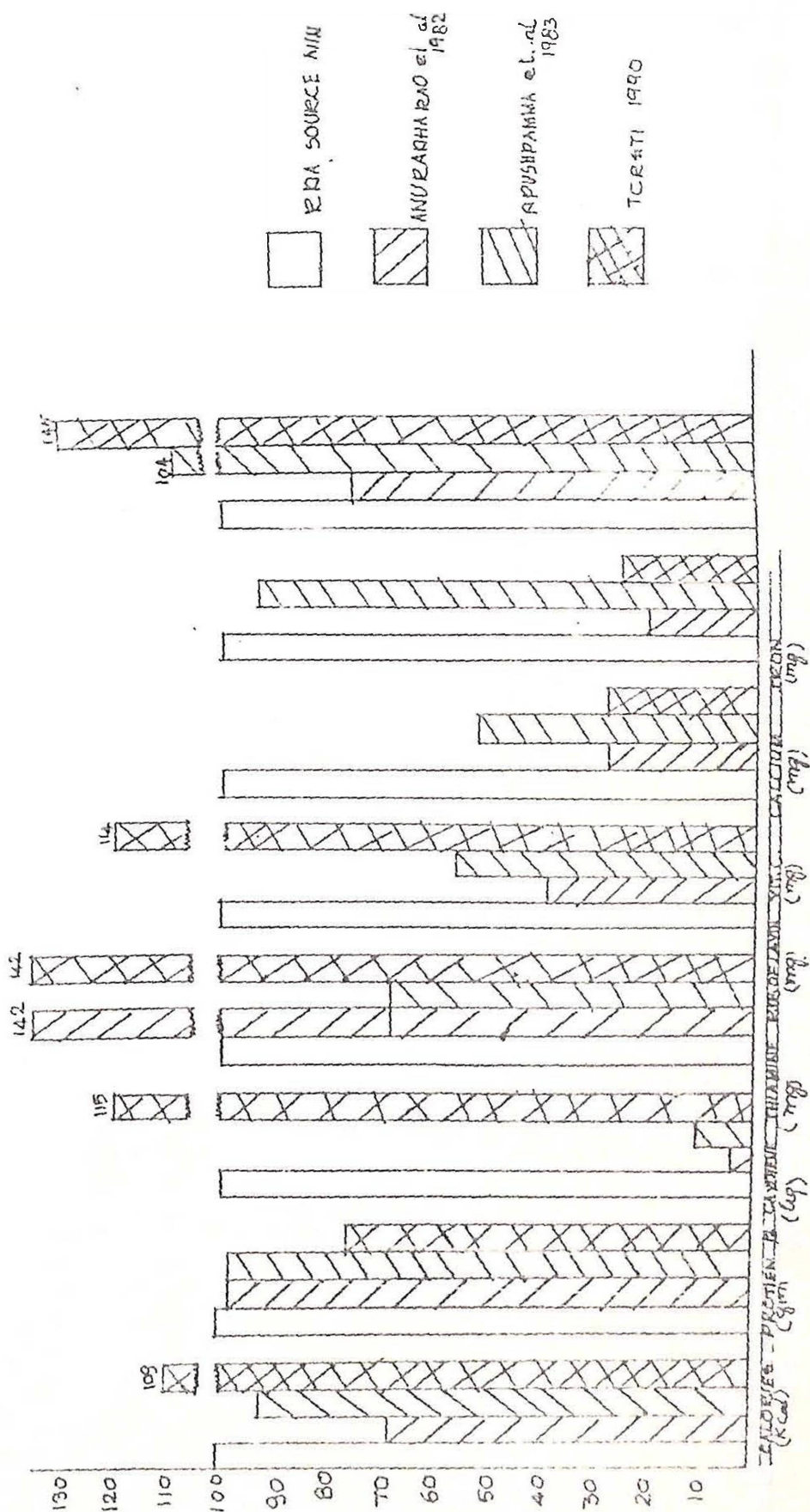
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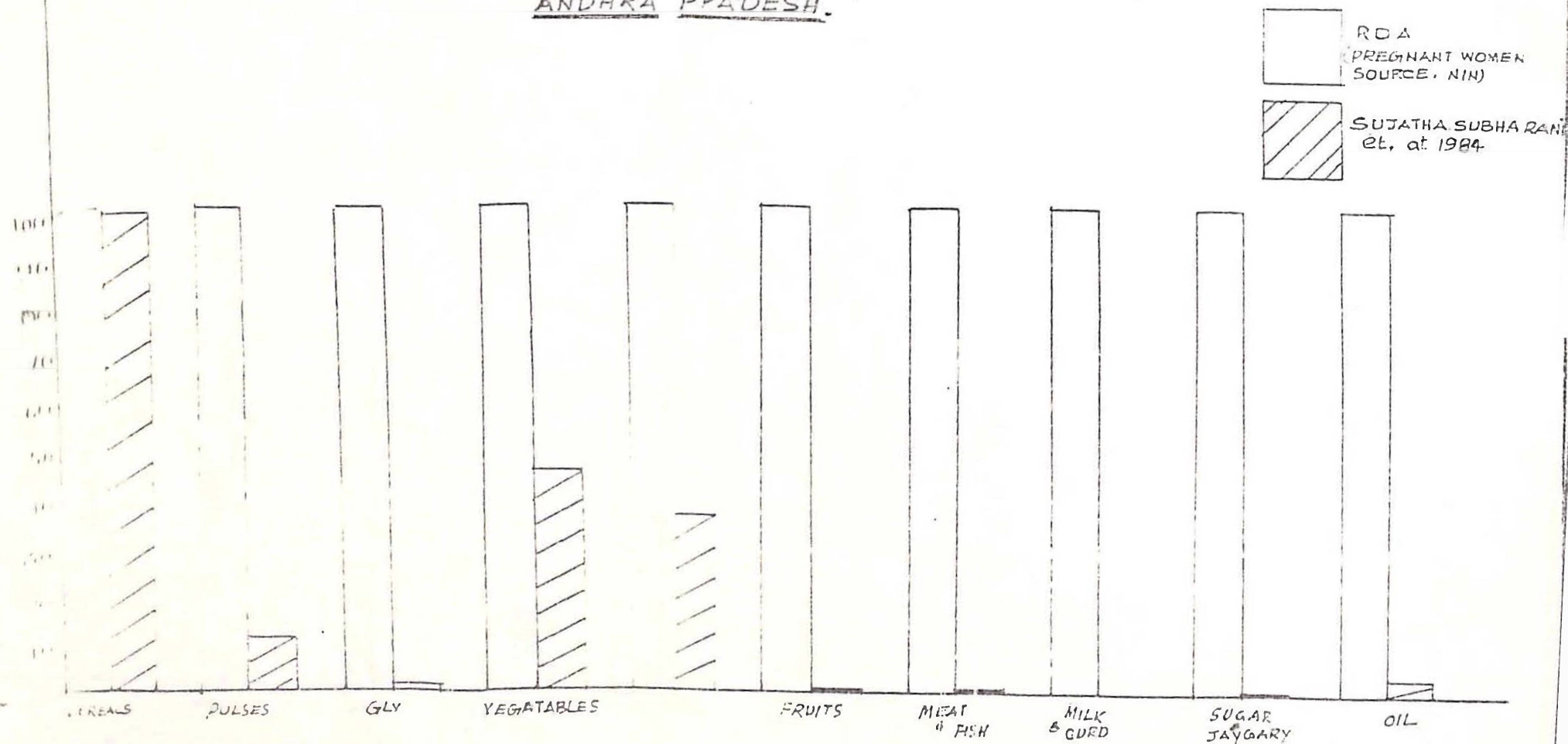


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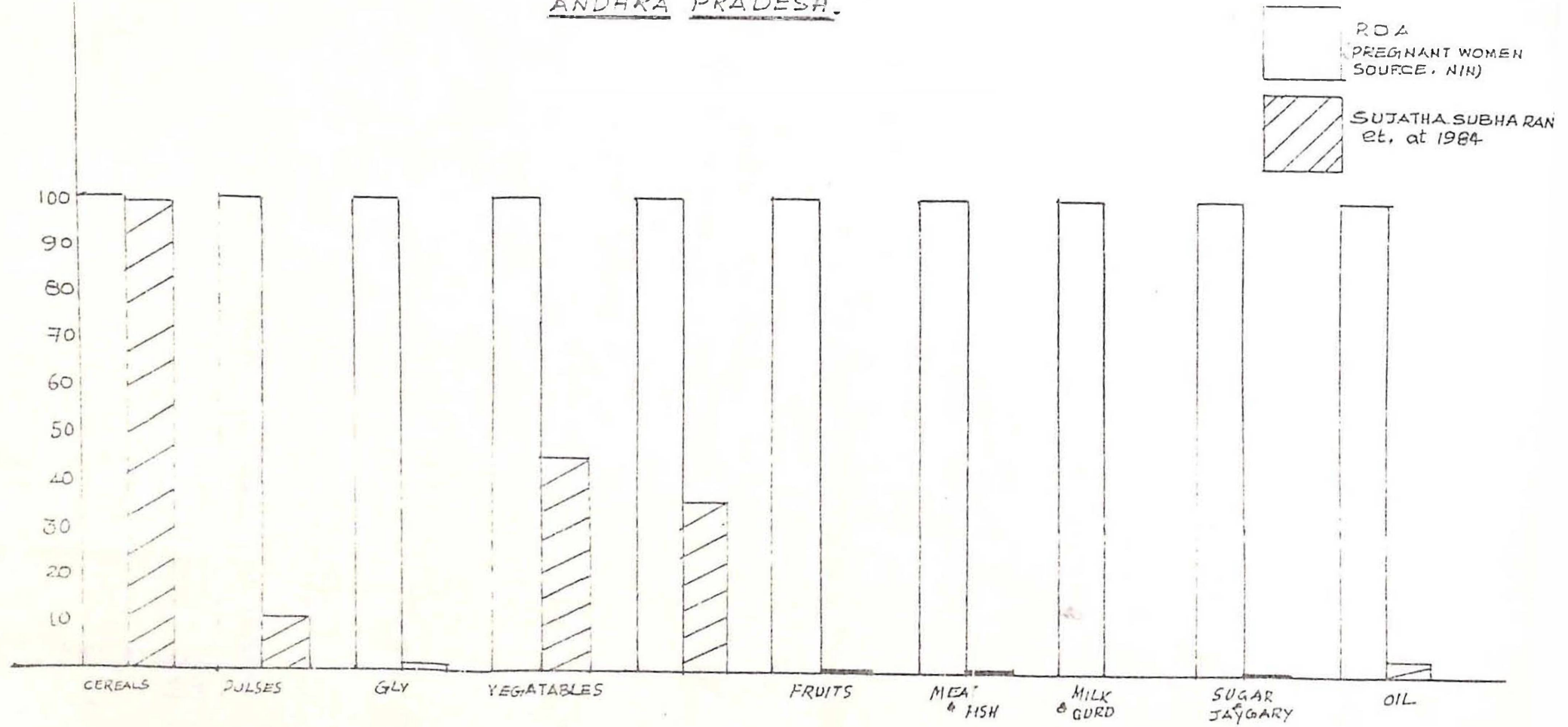


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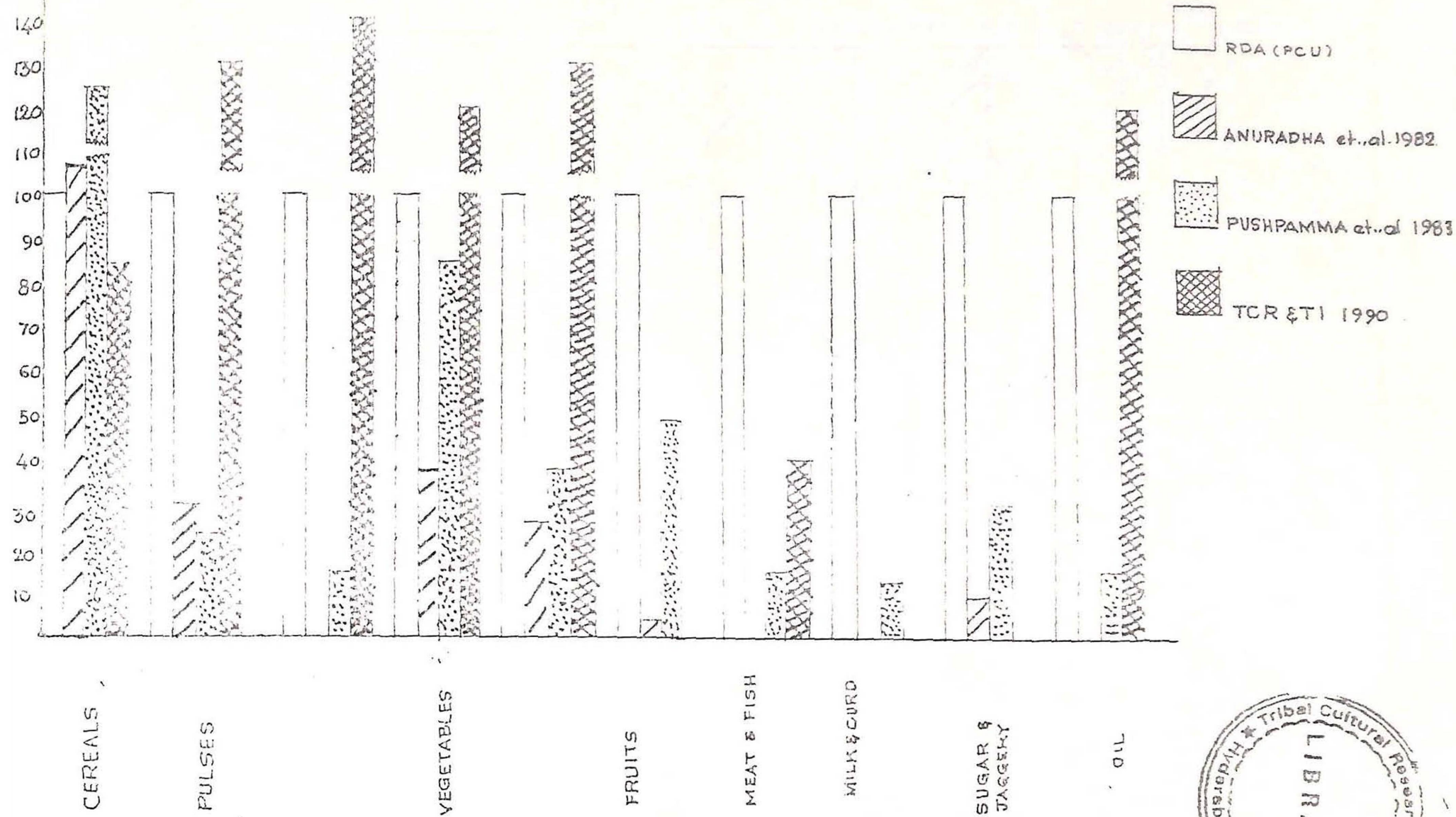




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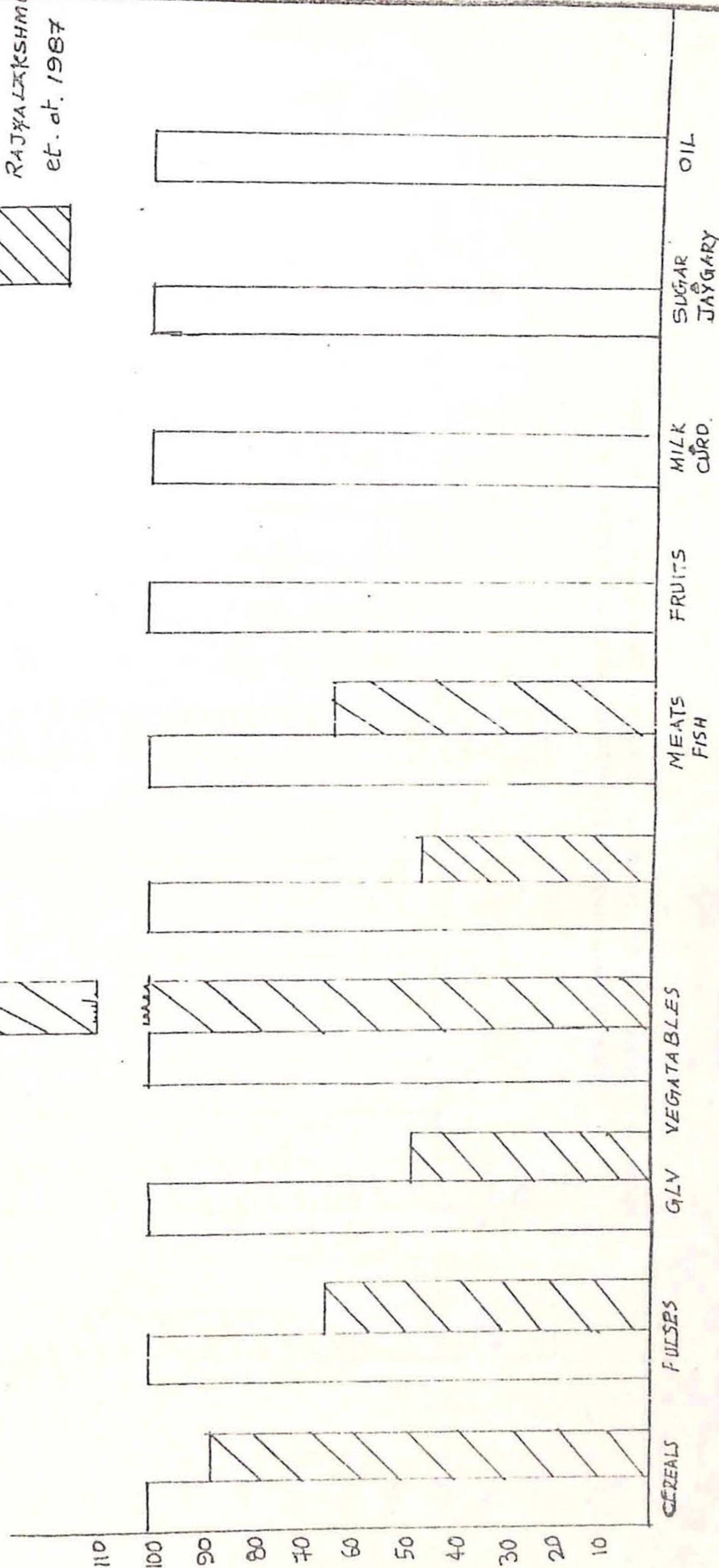


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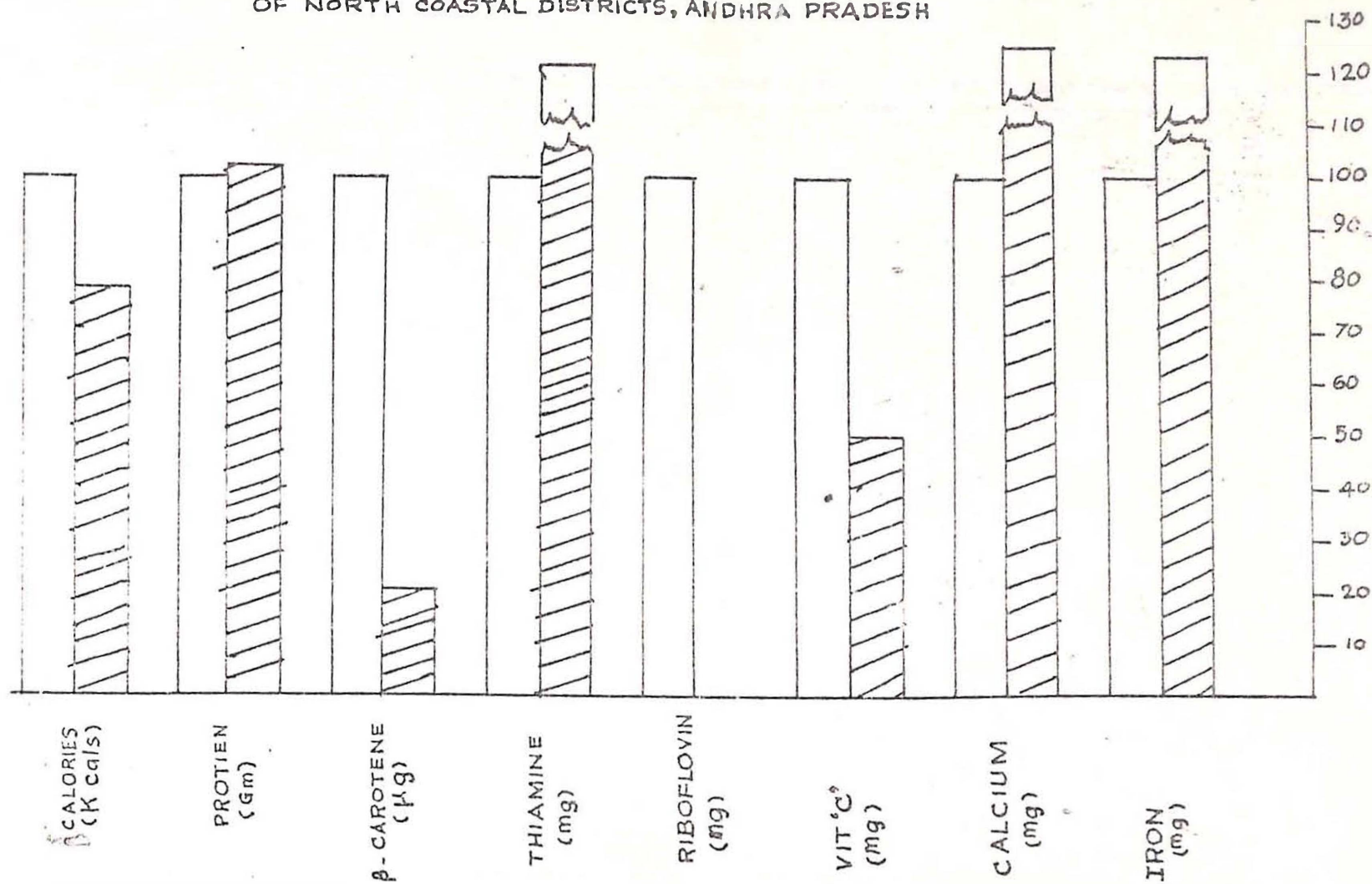
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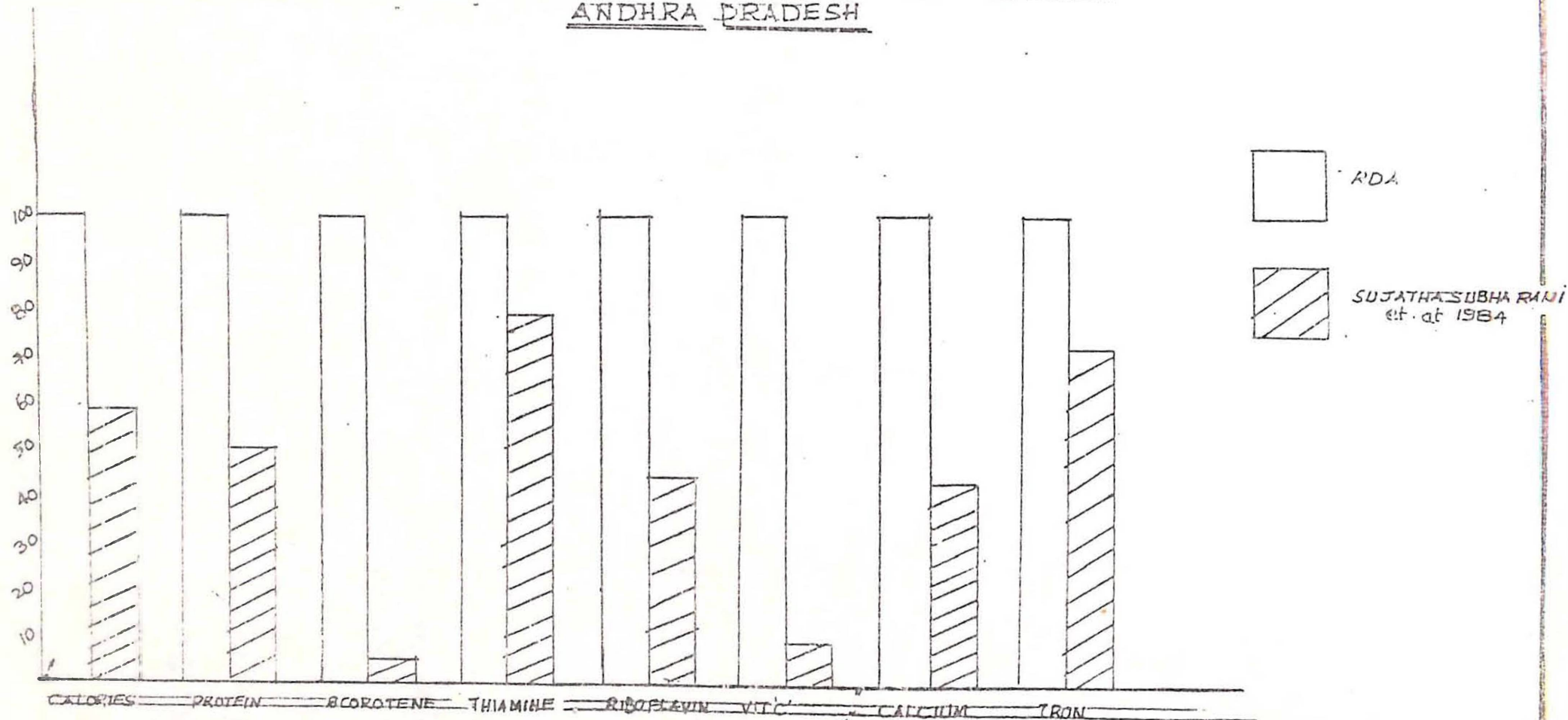


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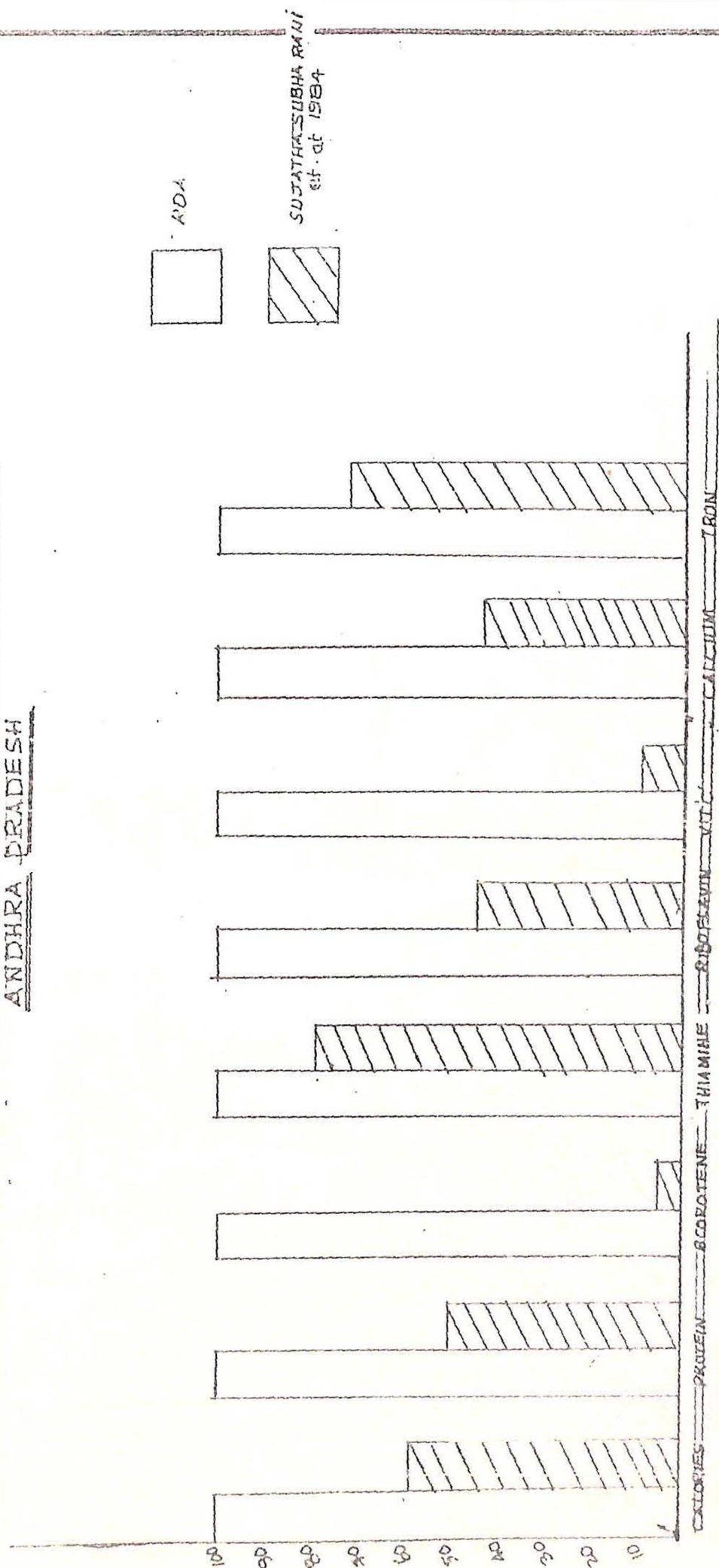




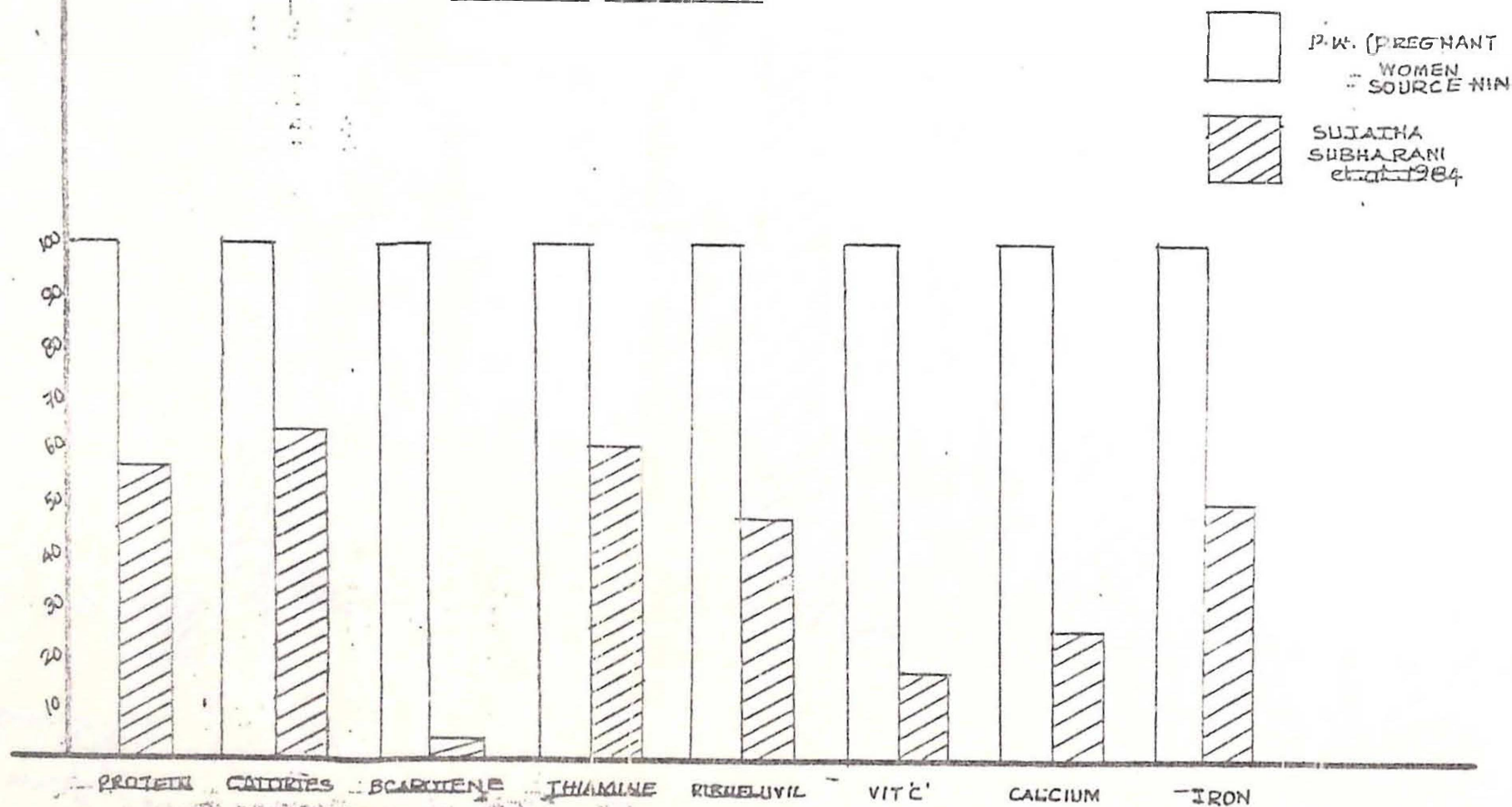
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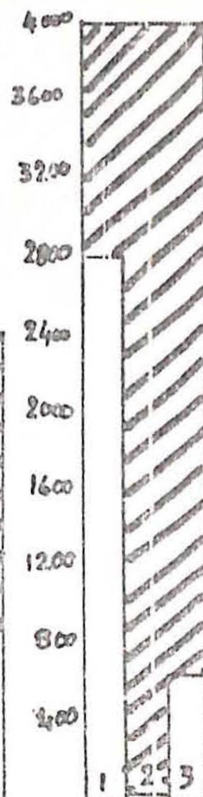
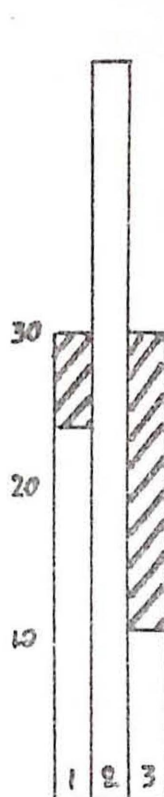
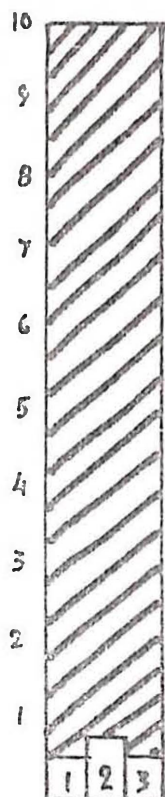
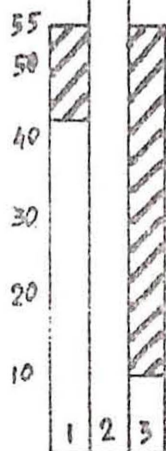
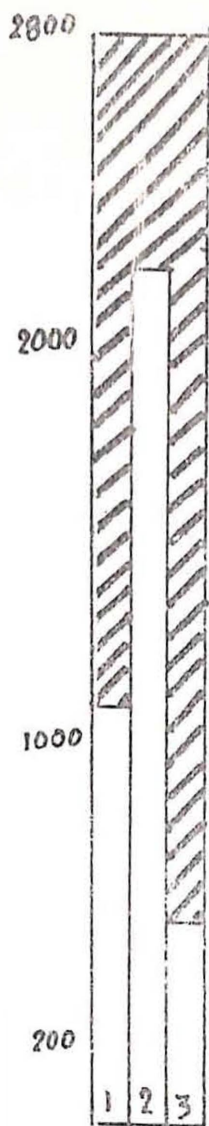


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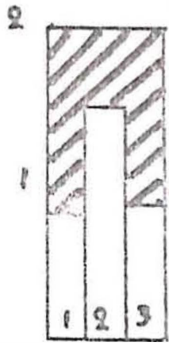




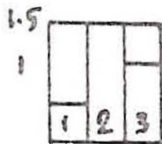
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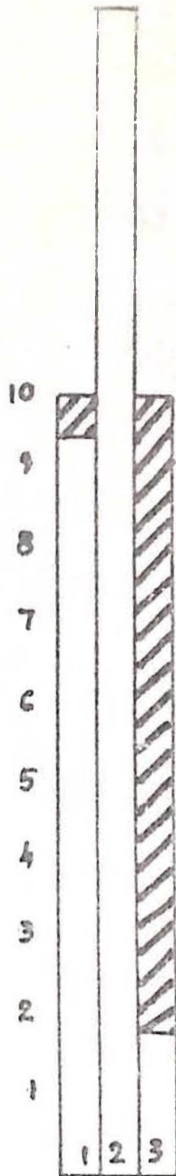
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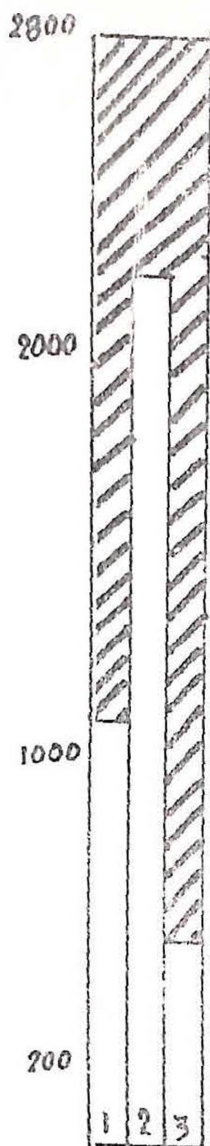


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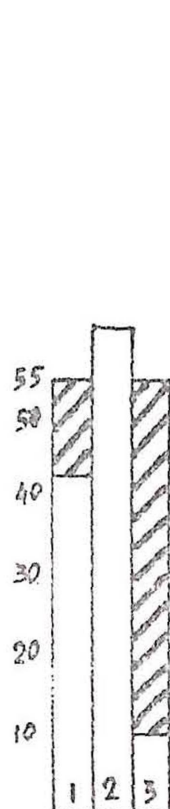


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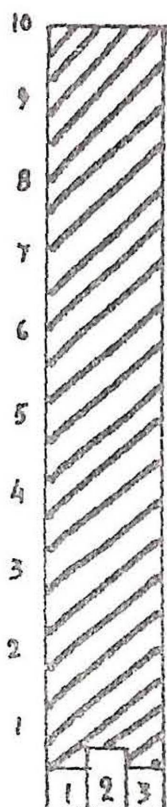
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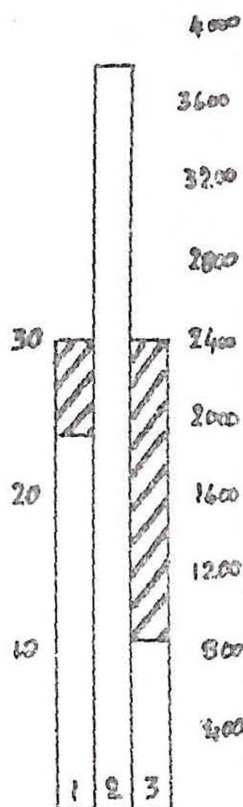
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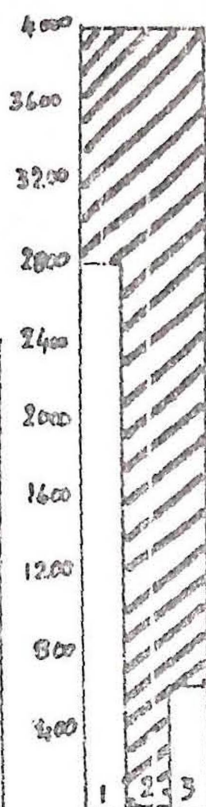
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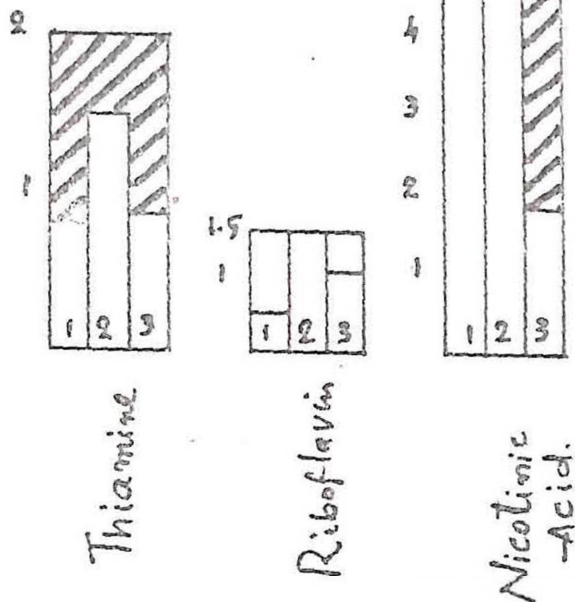


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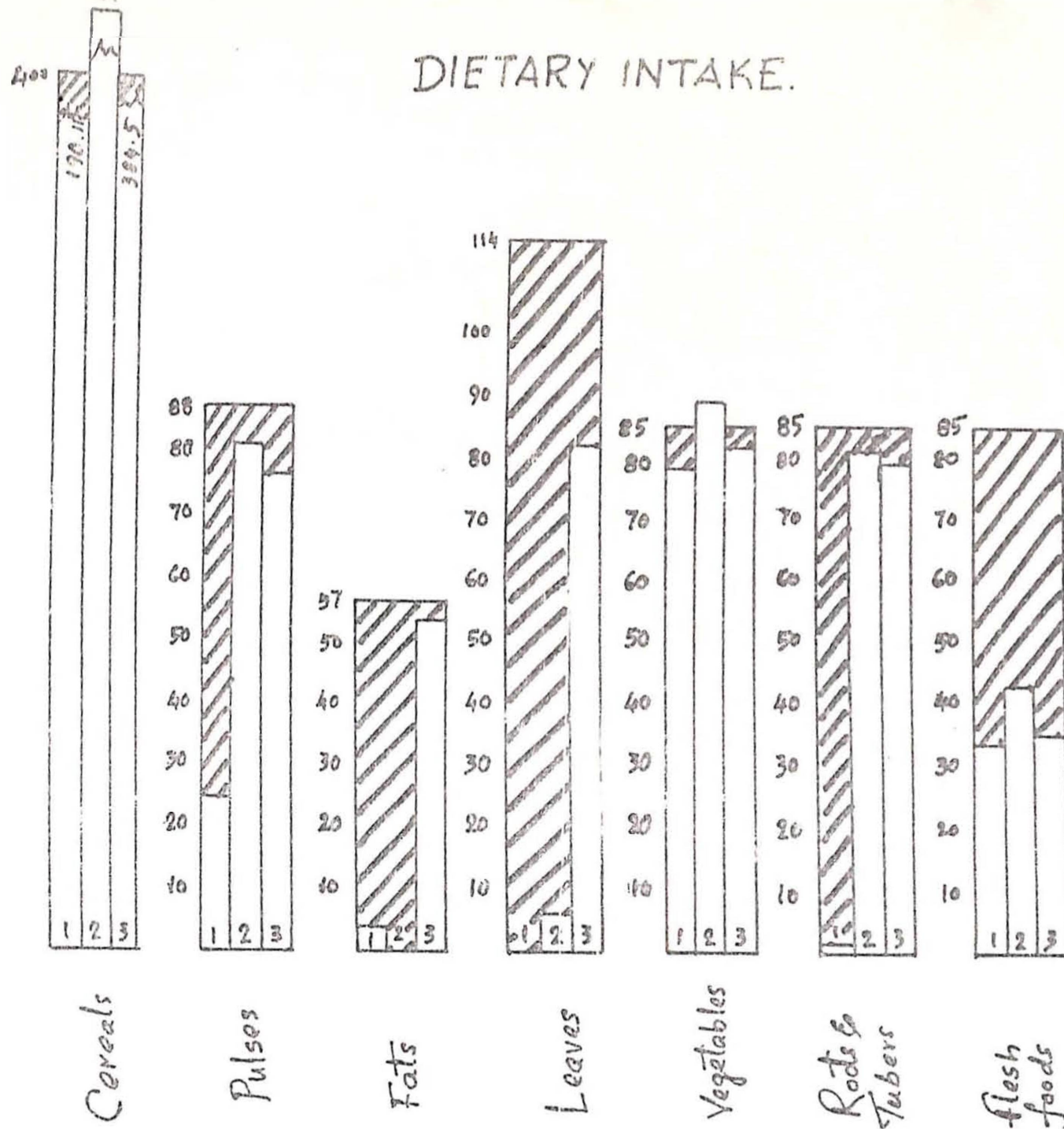


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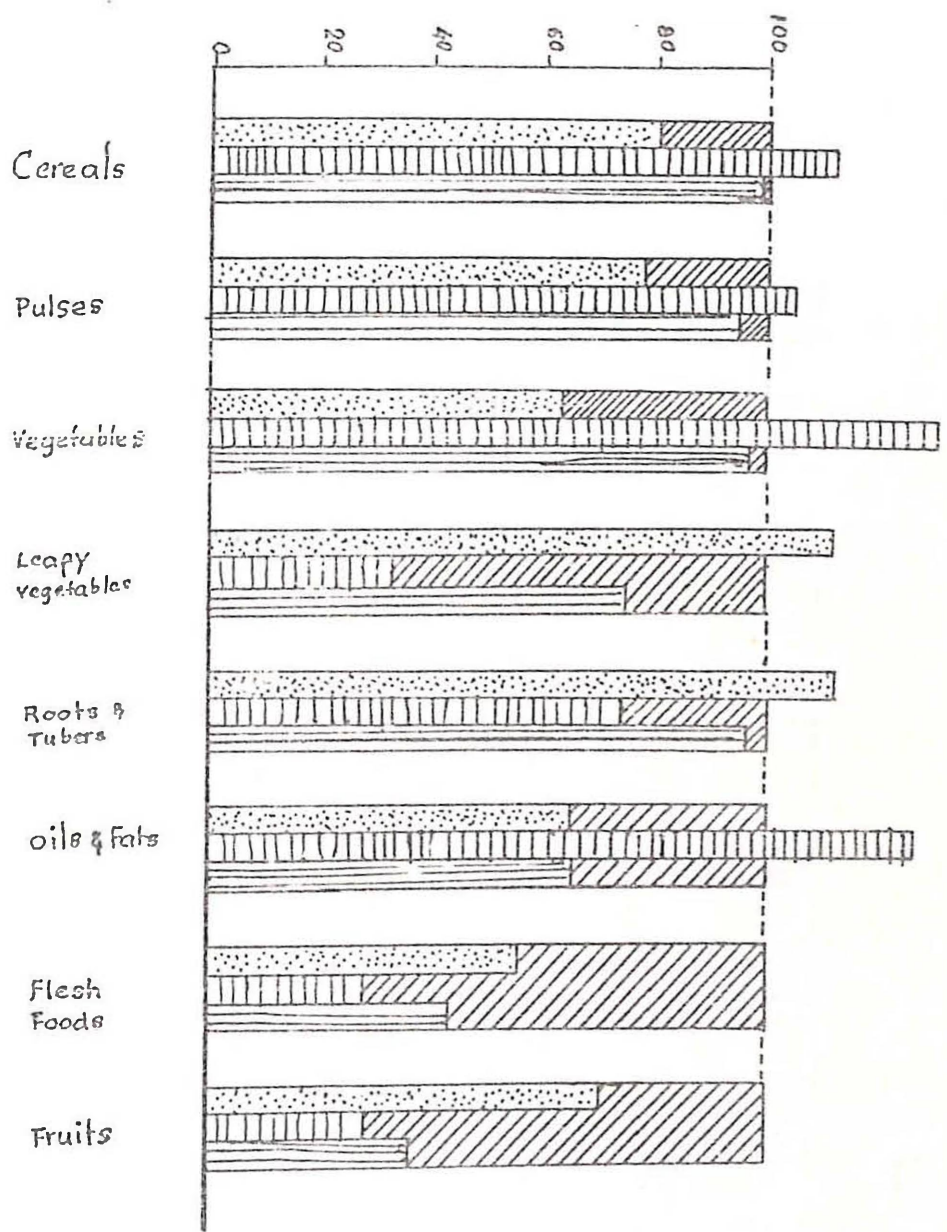


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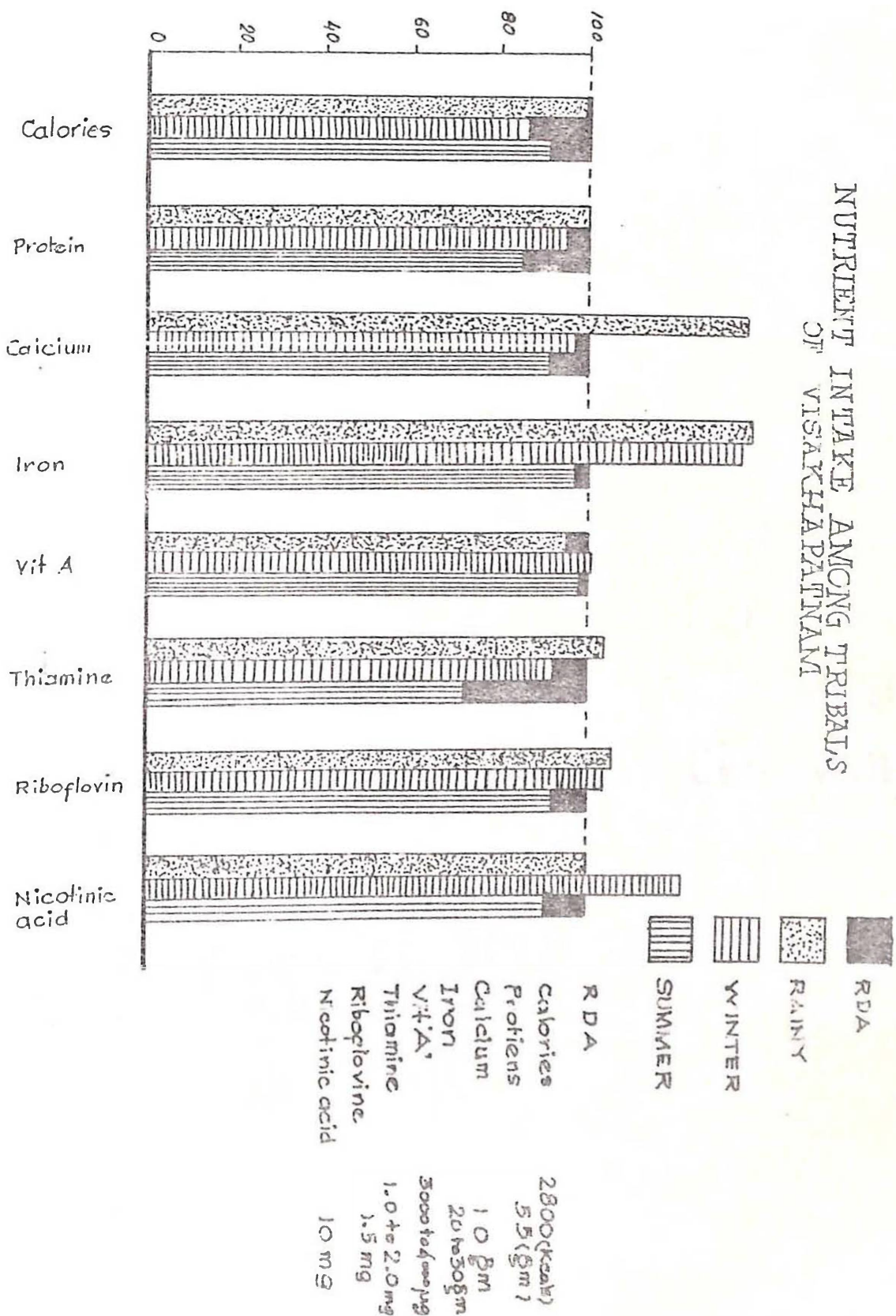
Percentage of Dietary Intake among Tribals  
of Visakhapatnam



RDA (Foods in grams)  
 Cereals : 400  
 Pulses : 85  
 Vegetables : 85  
 Green leafy : 114  
 Roots : 8  
 Tubers : 85  
 Oils & Fats : 57  
 Flesh Foods : 85  
 Fruits : 85

RDA  
 Rainy  
 Winter  
 Summer

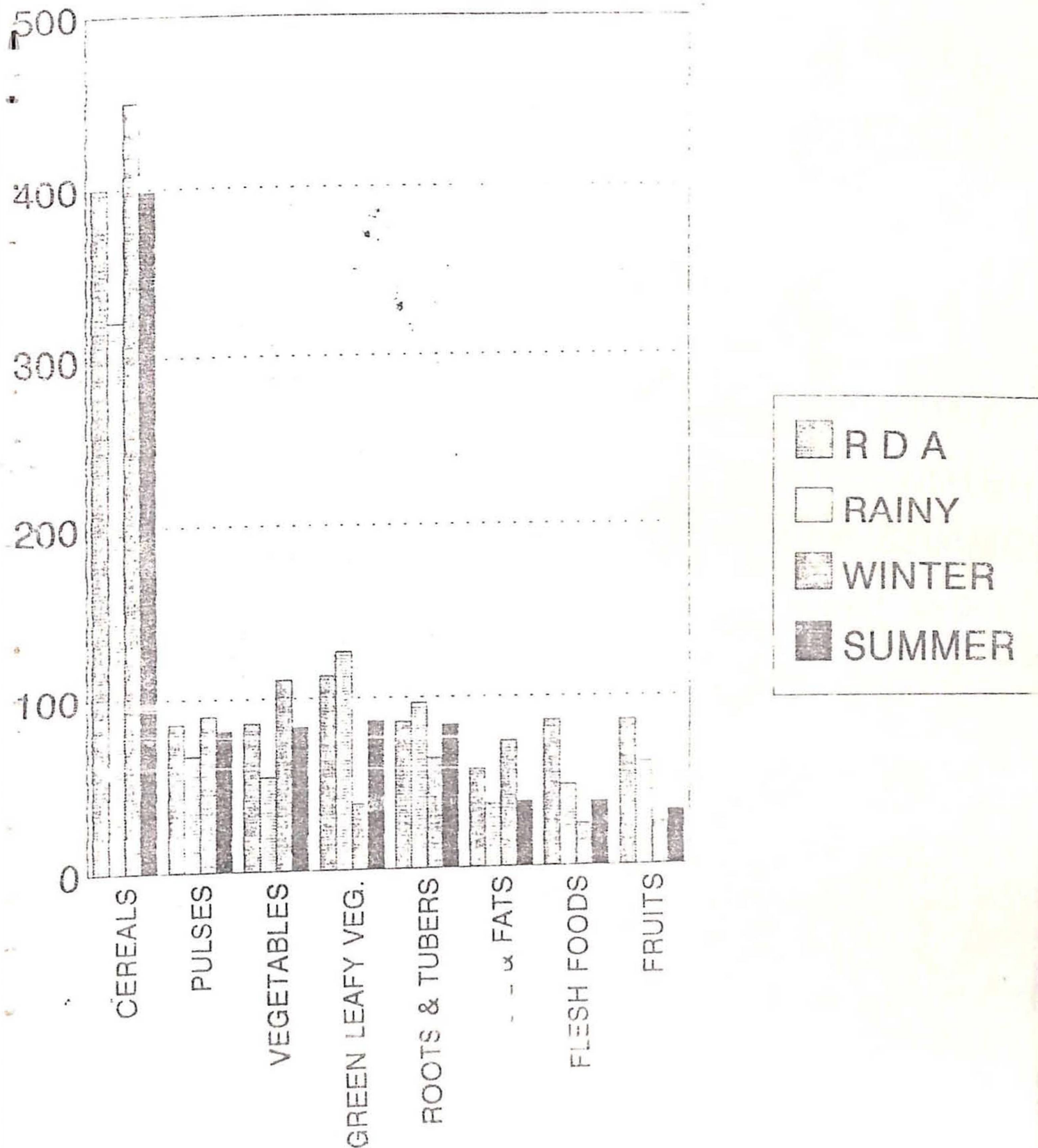
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# DIETARY INTAKE AMONG TRIBALS OF VISAKHAPATNAM DISTRICT

PER CU / PER DAY

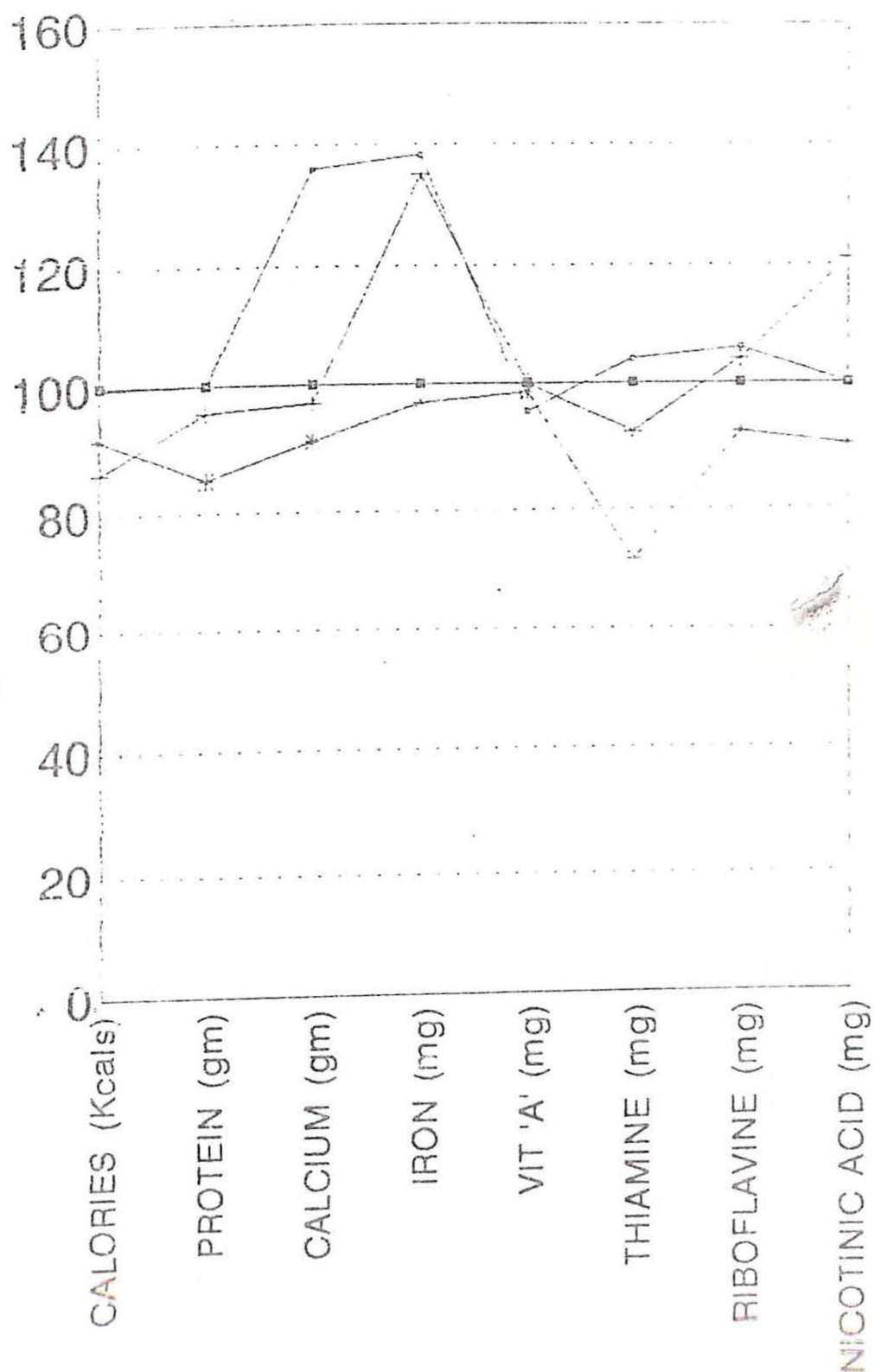
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# NUTRIENT INTAKE AMONG TRIBALS OF VISAKHAPATNAM DISTRICT

PER CU / PER DAY



- +— RAINY
- +— WINTER
- +— SUMMER
- +— R D A

Intake is percentage of RDA which is taken as 100%



TABLE -II

## DIETARY INTAKE AMONG TRIBALS OF VISAKHAPATNAM DISTRICT

PER CU / PER DAY

(In gms)

FOODS	R D A	RAINY			WINTER			SUMMER		
		ACTUAL INTAKE	% DEFICIT	% SURPLUS	ACTUAL INTAKE	% DEFICIT	% SURPLUS	ACTUAL INTAKE	% DEFICIT	% SURPLUS
BEANS	400	320.85 (80.21)	19.79	--	449.20 (112.30)	--	12.20	398.21 (99.55)	0.45	--
PEASES	85	66.54 (78.28)	21.72	--	89.52 (105.32)	--	5.32	60.70 (71.41)	5.06	--
VEGETABLES	85	53.94 (63.46)	36.54	--	111.90 (131.72)	--	31.72	82.49 (97.05)	2.95	--
GREEN LEAF VEGETABLES	114	127.99 (112.27)	--	12.27	38.03 (33.36)	68.76	--	85.85 (75.31)	24.69	--
ROOTS & TUBERS	85	96.42 (113.44)	--	13.44	63.69 (74.93)	25.07	--	62.79 (73.87)	2.60	--
Oil & FATS	57	36.57 (64.16)	35.84	--	72.66 (127.62)	--	27.62	37.45 (65.70)	34.30	--
MEAT/PODS	85	47.06 (55.36)	44.64	--	24.50 (28.82)	71.18	--	37.00 (43.53)	58.47	--
EGGS	85	59.74 (70.28)	29.72	--	24.60 (28.94)	71.06	--	30.89 (36.34)	63.66	--

(Figures in parenthesis denotes percentage intake of foods)

TABLE -III

## NUTRIENT INTAKE AMONG OF VISAKHAPATNAM DISTRICT

PER CU / PER DAY

NUTRIENTS	R D A	RAINY			WINTER			SUMMER		
		ACTUAL INTAKE	% DEFICIT	% SURPLUS	ACTUAL INTAKE	% DEFICIT	% SURPLUS	ACTUAL INTAKE	% DEFICIT	% SURPLUS
KALORIES (Kcals)	2600	2790.66 (99.67)	0.33	--	2417.1 (93.33)	13.67	--	2585.85 (91.64)	6.36	--
PROTEIN (gm)	55	55.01 (100.02)	--	0.02	52.58 (95.60)	4.40	--	48.76 (88.02)	14.98	--
CALCIUM (gm)	1.0	1.36 (136.00)	--	36.00	0.92 (92.00)	3.00	--	(0.91) (91.00)	9.00	--
IRON (mg)	20 TO 30	34.53 (138.16)	--	72.65 TO 15.10	33.95 (135.80)	--	69.75 TO 13.17	24.35 (97.40)	18.83	21.75
IT 'A' (ug)	3000 TO 4000	3339.09 (95.40)	16.52	11.30	3519.23 (100.55)	12.02	17.30	3459.27 (96.54)	13.52	15.31
BIAMINE (mg)	1.0 TO 2.0	1.56 (104.00)	22.00	56.00	1.36 (92.00)	31.00	36.00	1.06 (72.00)	46.00	6.00
ISOFLAVINE (mg)	1.5	1.60 (106.67)	--	6.67	1.56 (104.00)	--	4.00	1.36 (92.00)	6.00	--
NIOTINIC ACID (mg)	10	10.07 (100.70)	--	0.70	12.19 (121.90)	--	21.90	9.05 (90.50)	9.50	--

(Figures in parenthesis denotes percentage intake of Nutrients)

Phylogenetic Sources to Food  
FOODS AVAILABLE IN IPAD AREA

Sl. No.	Local Name	Common Name	Botanical Name	Srika-kulam	Visakha-patnam	East Godavari	Vizia-nagaram
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>I. ROOTS AND TUBERS</b>							
1	Nara Theega	-	-	*	*	*	*
2	Belika Theega	-	-	*	-	-	-
3	Noolu Teegalu	-	-	*	*	*	*
4	Arika Teegalu	-	Dioscorea oppositifolia	*	*	*	*
5	Dhula kanda	Bitter yam	Amorphophallus campanulatus	*	-	-	*
6	Doldumpa	-	-	*	*	*	*
7	Sare kanda	Sweet yam	Amorphophallus campanulatus	*	*	*	*
8	Pendalam	Khamealu	Dioscorea alata	*	*	*	*
9	Chedu Dumpa	-	Dioscorea bulbifera	*	*	*	*
10	Karra pendalam	Tapioca	Manihot esculenta	*	*	*	*
11	Chilogada Dumpa	Sweet potato	Spomen batatas	*	*	*	*
12	Puli Dumpa	-	Dioscorea hispida	*	*	*	*
13	Pandimutulu	-	Dioscorea pentaphylla	*	-	-	-
14	Theega gedda	-	-	*	*	*	*
15	Chedu gedda	Wild yam	Dioscorea versicolor	*	*	*	*
16	Pindi Dumpa	-	-	*	*	*	*
17	Theega Dumpa	-	-	*	*	-	*
18	Pandiga Dumpa	-	-	*	-	-	-
19	Yam Dumpa	Yam elephant	Amorphophallus Campanulatus	-	-	-	-
20	Tamara Dumpa	Lotus Root	Nelumbium nelumbo	*	*	*	*
21	Chama Dumpa	Colocasia	Colocasia antiquorum	*	*	*	*
22	Vulli	Onion	Allium cepa	*	*	*	*
23	Alu	Potato	Solanum tuberosum	*	*	*	*
<b>II. GREEN LEAFY VEGETABLES</b>							
1	Palleru	Nerringi	Tribulus terrestris	*	*	*	*
2	Janapa	Sun hemp leaves	Crotalaria juncea	*	*	*	*
3	Boodanam	-	-	*	*	*	*
4	Mulagaku	Drumstick leaves	Moringa oleifera	*	*	*	*
5	Godim	-	-	*	-	-	-
6	Chilleru	-	-	*	-	-	-
7	Gongura	Spinach	Hibiscus cannabinus	*	*	*	*
8	Thota kura	Amaranth	Amaranthus gangeticus	*	*	*	*
9	Veduru chigullu	Bamboo shoots	Bambusa arundinacea	*	*	*	*
10	Cumadi	Pumpkin leaves	Cucurbita maxima	*	*	*	*
11	Bottlegourd	Bottlegourd	Lagenaria vulgaris	*	*	*	*
12	Cauli flower	Cauliflower	Brassica oleracea	*	*	*	*
13	Chamukura	Colocasia leaves	Colocasia antiquorum	*	*	*	*
14	Dodikura	-	-	*	*	*	*
15	Goddikura	-	-	*	*	*	*
16	Ponnaganti kura	Ponnaganti	Alternanthera versatilis	*	*	*	*
17	Cabbages	Cabbage	Brassica oleracea	*	*	*	*
18	Chinta Chiguru	Tamarind leaves	Tamarindus indica	*	*	*	*

\* Indicates availability.

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### III. V E G E T A B L E S

1	Pottakayi						
	Snake Gourd	Snake Gourd	Trichosanthes anguina	*	*	*	*
2	Gummadi	Pumpkin	Cucurbita maxima	*	*	*	*
3	Pochhi Arati	Green plantain	Musa sapientum	*	*	*	*
4	Vankaya	Brinjal	Solanum melongena	*	*	*	*
5	Benda	Ladies finger	Abelmosches esculentus	*	*	*	*
6	Tomato	Tomato	Lycopersicum esculentum	*	*	*	*
7	Dosakaya	Cucumber	Cucumis sativus	*	*	*	*
8	Soya beans	Soya beans	Phaseolus vulgaris	*	*	*	*
9	Green chilles	Chilles	Capsicum annum	*	*	*	*
10	Mulaga kaya	Drumstick	Moringa oleifera	*	*	*	*
11	French Beans	French beans	Phaseolus vulgaris	*	*	*	*
12	Pandiriseda pandlu (wild Tomato)	Tomato	Lycopersicum esculentum	*	*	*	*
13	Anapakaya	Bottle Gourd	Lagenaria vulgaris	*	*	*	*

### IV. S E E D S

1	Veduru Biyyam	Bamboo seeds	Bambusa arundinacea	*	*	*	*
2	Mamidi Tanka	Mango seeds	Mangifera indica	*	*	*	*
3	Addapikkalu	Adda seeds	Bauhinia vahlii	*	*	*	*
4	Jeedi pikkalu	Cashew nut	Anacardium occidentale	*	*	*	*
5	Chinta pikkalu	Tamarind	Tamarindus indica	*	*	*	*
6	Teeka kayalu	-	-	*	*	*	*
7	Mushrooms	Mushrooms	Agaricus Species	*	*	*	*
	(Putta kokkulu, Guggilam kokkulu, Keradu kokkulu, Geddi kokkulu)						
8	Gottipikkalu	-	-	-	*	*	*
9	Colaba seeds			-	-	-	*

### V. C E R E A L S

1	Gantelu	Bajra	Pennisetum typhoideum	*	*	*	*
2	Korra	Italian millet	Setaria italica	*	*	*	*
3	Jonna	Jowar	Sorghum vulgare	*	*	*	*
4	Alu / Arika	Varagu	Paspalum scrobiculatum	*	*	*	*
5	Qada (Puppulu)	Sama millet	Echinochloa frumentacea	*	*	*	*
6	Tydalu / chollu	Finger millet	Eleusine coracana	*	*	*	*
7	Biyyam	Rice	Oryza sativa	*	*	*	*
8	Sama	Sama little millet	Panicum miliare	*	*	*	*
9	Makka Jonna	Maire	Zea mays	*	*	*	*



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
VI. P U L S E S							
1	Minnulu	Black gram	Phaseolus mungo	*	*	*	*
2	mosalu	Green gram	Phaseolus aureus	*	*	*	*
3	Robbarlu	Cow pea	Vigna catzang	*	*	*	*
4	Chikkudu	Field Bean	Dolichos lablab	*	*	*	*
5	Judumulu	-	Vigna Species	*	*	*	*
6	Vulavulu	Horsegram	Dolichos biflorus	*	*	*	*
7	Kandi	Red gram	Cajanus cajan	*	*	*	*
8	Dukka Chikkudu or Dukka pikka	-	Mucuna -pruriens	*	*	*	*
9	Tam-Tamal	French Bean	Phaseolus vulgaris	-	*	*	-
VII. NUTS AND OIL SEEDS							
1	Jeedi pikkalu	Cashew nut	Anacardium occidentale	*	*	*	*
2	Veru senaga	Ground nut	Arachis hypogea	*	*	*	*
3	Asudalu	Castor	Ricinus communis	*	*	*	*
4	Olusulu	Niger	Guizotia abyssinica	-	*	*	-
5	Avaalu	Mustard	Brassica nigra	*	*	*	*
6	Kobbari	Coconut	Cocos nucifera	*	*	*	*
VIII. F R U I T S							
1	Panasa	Jack fruit	Artocarpus intergrifolia	*	*	*	*
2	Jama	Guava	Psidium guajava	*	*	*	*
3	Bathai, Nimma	Citrus fruits	Citrus Species	-	*	*	-
4	Hamidi	Mango	Mangifera indica	*	*	*	*
5	Anaasa	Pine Apple	Ananas squamosa	*	-	-	-
6	Jeedi Hamidi Kayalu	Cashew fruit	Anacardium occidentale	*	*	*	*
7	Banana (Arate)	Banana	Musa Species	*	*	*	*
8	Bamaphal	Bullocks Heart	Annona reticulata	*	-	-	-
9	Beredu	-	Syzygium cumini	*	*	*	*
IX. B R E V E R A G E S							
1	Tati kullu	Palmyra	Borassus flabellifer	*	*	*	*
2	Jeelugu Kallu	Caryota	Caryota urens	*	*	*	*
3	Ippa Sara	Mohwa	Bassia longifolia	*	*	*	*