

TABLE 3.3 PROGRESS OF AFFORESTATION THROUGH SUCCESSIVE PLANS**(Area in lakh hectares; Expenditure in crores rupees)**

Sl.No	Plan Period	Area afforested during plan period	Cumulative Area	Expenditure in plan period	Cumulative expenditure
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	First 1951-56	0.52	0.52	1.28	1.28
2	Second 1956-61	3.11	3.63	6.86	8.14
3	Third 1961-66	5.83	9.46	21.13	29.27
4	1966-69	4.53	13.99	23.02	52.29
5	Fourth 1969-74	7.14	23.13	44.34	96.63
6	Fifth 1974-79	12.21	33.34	107.28	203.91
7	1979-80	2.22	35.56	37.10	241.01
8	Sixth 1980-85	46.50	82.06	926.01	1167.02
9	Seventh 1985-90	88.63	170.69	2426.63	3593.65
10	1990-91	13.87	184.56	627.79	4221.44
11	1991-92	17.25	201.81	705.72	4927.16
12	Eight 1992-97	79.50	281.31	3686.40	8613.56
13	Ninth 1997-02	80.50	361.81	7350.50*	15964.06
14	2002-2003	11.36	373.17	NA	NA
15	2003-2004	12.25	385.32	NA	NA

*Note: * Figures of Allocation. (Expenditure figures are awaited)*

Source: NAEF of MoEF, GOI.