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▸ Crop production and management

Exercise : NCERT

In our country three categories of crops are grown:

- **Kharif Crops:**

The crops which are grown in the rainy season (i.e., from June to September) are called Kharif crops. Paddy, maize, soybean, groundnut, and cotton are Kharif crops.

- **Rabi Crops:**

The crops are grown in the winter season (i.e., from October to March) are called rabi crops. Examples of rabi crops are wheat, gram, pea, mustard, and linseed.

- **Zaid Crops (or Summer Crops):**

The crops grown in the summer season are (called zaid crops. Moong, muskmelon, watermelon, cucumber, gourd and bitter gourd are examples of zaid crops.