## **Land Holding classification**

The average land holding of farmers of district Patiala is 4.45 hac as against that of 3.95 for the Punjab State (Figure 8) but at the same time the trend for maximum number of farmers falling in the category of Semi medium and Medium farmers is the same (Figure 9)

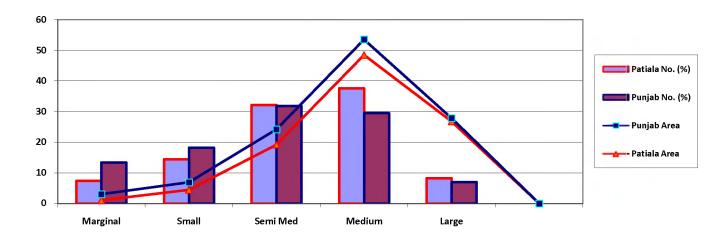
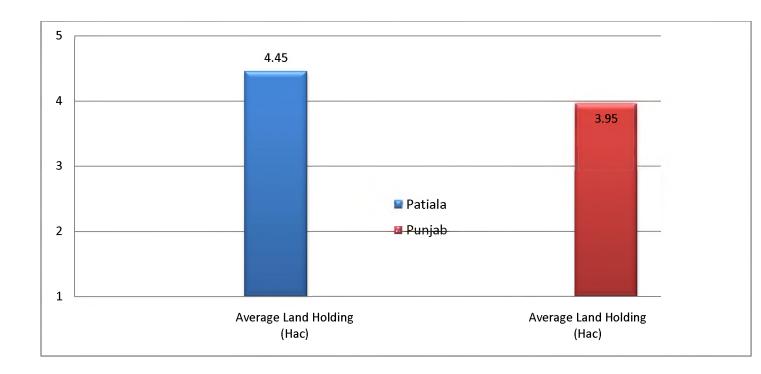


Figure 8 : Comparative Land Holding Classification (Number and Area) of Patiala and Punjab State

(<1 ha –marginal farmers, 1-2 ha- small farmers, 2-4- ha semi-med. Farmers, 4-10 ha- medium farmers and more than 10 ha-large farmers)

Figure9: Average Farm Size of District Patiala and Punjab State



Source: Village level Survey under RKVY and Deptt. Of Agriculture, Punjab