

Pulses Daily Report

November 12, 2009

URAD SPOT MARKET

- Desi urad prices witnessed steady to firm tone in the domestic market.
- Good demand from the millers and the processors is supporting the market.
- Sowing operations of the rabi crop are beginning in the key growing regions.
- Government has released first advance estimates of kharif urad which is estimated at 0.88 million metric tonnes.
- Imported urad prices witnessed steady to weak tone amid lack of fresh buying inquiry.
- According to the government's press release kharif urad crop's cropped area this year and last year as on 29th October is equal to 22.40 lakh ha and 20.90 lakh ha respectively.
- Urad prices are expected to trade steady to weak in near term.

| Spot Market Pr | ices of Urad | | (R | s/Qtl) | |
|--------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------|-------------------|
| Origin/Grade | Centre | 11.11.09 | 10.11.09 | Change | Arrival / bags |
| Burma FAQ (New) | Mumbai | 5325 | 5350 | -25 | |
| Burma FAQ (New) | Delhi | 5450 | 5450 | - | |
| Burma FAQ-SQ | Chennai | 5350- 5825 | 5450- 5950 | -75 | |
| Desi(New) | Indore | 5900- 6000 | 5800- 5900 | +100 | |
| Desi | Kanpur | 4800- 5200 | 4800- 5150 | +50 | |
| Desi | Jalgaon | 5500- 6000 | 5500- 6000 | - | 300 |

CHANA SPOT MARKET

- · Chana prices recovered recent losses to certain extent amid short -covering.
- However prices are unlikely to hold the recent gains amid huge carryforward stocks.
- Expectation of lower rabi acreage this season following dry conditions in western Rajasthan supported the market.
- Sowing is also going on in Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan. Rainfall in near -term can boost further sowing operations.
- Meanwhile government's rabi seed data disclosed chana seed availability is of 1265809 gtls i.e. its is in excess of 174354 qtls over requirement of 1091455 qtl's.
- Chana prices are likely to trade range -bound with weak bias in near -term.

TRADING STRATEGY

- Candlestick formation shows indecision in the market. Chana price has closed above 9 days and 18 days EMAs thus supporting bullish movement in short and medium term.
- MACD's move upwards in positive zone reveals increase in bullish momentum.
- RSI is increasing in neutral region and stochastic oscillator is declining in neutral territory supporting sideways movement in near -term.
- Chana futures price is likely to trade range -bound with firm bias in near -term.

NCDEX Futures Prices Movement (November) Chana 0912(NCCHAZ9)2009/11/11 - Daily <mark>B:2653.00</mark> A:265<mark>4.00</mark> 0 2650.00 H 2675.00 L 2633.00 C 2654.00 V 141,760 I 89,310 -1 2800 2750 2650 2600 2550 2500 2450 EMA(9) 2650.1 (18) 2611.1 MACD 50 2108 DIE 40 -10 RSI(9,MA(6)) 57.9066 80 70 60 50 10

TRADE RECOMMENDATION

| Contract | Call | Entry | T1 | T2 | SL | S2 | S1 | PCP | R1 | R2 |
|----------------|------|-------|------|------|------|-----------|------|------|------|------|
| NCDEX - Dec | BUY | >2634 | 2670 | 2682 | 2620 | 2610 | 2630 | 2654 | 2670 | 2695 |

| Spot Market Pri | Spot Market Prices of Chana | | | | |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------------|--------|------------------|
| Origin/Grade | Centre | 11.11.09 | 10.11.09 | Change | Arrival / bag |
| Chana (Australia) | Mumbai | 2475 | 2450- 2475 | - | |
| Rajasthan Desi | Delhi | 2500 | 2450- 2475 | +25 | 70 Motors |
| MP Desi | Delhi | 2500 | 2450- 2475 | +25 | |
| Kantewala New | Indore | 2375 | 2350 | +25 | 1500 |
| Desi | Kanpur | 2425 | 2435 | -10 | |
| Gauran New | Latur | 2375 | 2350 | +25 | |
| Annagiri New | Latur | 2475 | 2450 | +25 | |
| G-12 New | Latur | 2400 | 2375 | +25 | - |
| Desi (Loose) | Bikaner | 2500 | 2450 | +50 | 300 |

TUR SPOT MARKET

- Tur prices witnessed steady to weak tone following expected arrival pressure in the market.
- Buyers are hesitant to buy around current levels expecting further decline in prices.
- In Karnataka new crop arrival has started in small quantity and is expected in full swing by the end of month.
- Government has released first advance estimates of kharif tur, which is estimated at 2.47 million metric tonnes.
- As per the government's press release cropped areas for kharif tur this year and last year as on 29th October is equal to 35.92 lakh ha and 34.47 lakh ha respectively.
- The government's rabi seed data disclosed tur seed availability is matching the requirement of 2110 qtl's.
- Tur prices are likely to extend weak tone in near -term.

| Spot Market Prices of Tur | | | | (Rs/Qtl) | | |
|---------------------------|----------|---------------|---------------|----------|------------------|--|
| Origin/Grade | Centre | 11.11.09 | 10.11.09 | Change | Arriva I Bags | |
| Burmese Lemon New | Mumbai | 5450 | 5550 | -100 | | |
| Burmese Lemon New | Delhi | 5600 | 5700 | -100 | | |
| Red tur (New) | Gulbarga | 5610 | 5750 | -140 | 400 | |
| Red Tur (New) | Latur | 5600- 5700 | 5600- 5700 | - | | |
| White Tur | Latur | 5700- 5750 | 5700- 5750 | - | - | |
| Red Tur MH | Indore | 5650 | 5700 | -50 | | |
| Red Tur (New) | Jalgaon | 5700- 5800 | 5700- 5800 | - | | |

PEAS SPOT MARKET

- Desi peas prices witnessed mostly steady to firm tone except slight weakness in Kanpur market.
- Recovery in chana and chana product prices lent some support to the market.
- State-run MMTC invited bids for import of 32,000 metric tonnes of pulses in the domestic market. The closing date of bids is on November 16, 2009.
- Imported peas prices noticed steady tone following lack of fresh buying inquiry.
- The expectation of decrease in Canadian and Ukrainian yellow peas output this year is also supporting international prices.
- Peas prices are expected to trade range -bound with weak bias in near -term.

| Spot Market Prices of Peas | (Rs/Qtl) | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|--|--|
| Centre | 11.11.09 | 10.11.09 | | |
| Mumbai (White Canada) | 1520-1530 | 1520-1530 | | |
| Mumbai (White American) | 1550-1560 | NA | | |
| Mumbai (Green Canadian) | 1900-2000 | 1900-2000 | | |
| Mumbai (Green American) | 2200-2400 | 2200-2300 | | |
| Kanpur (Desi) New | 1725 | 1730 | | |
| Kanpur (White Can) | 1730 | 1720 | | |

MASOOR SPOT MARKET

- Desi masoor prices witnessed steady to weak tone in accordance with tur.
- Arrival of the new tur crop is weighing on prices as shift in demand will be noticed when tur prices become cheaper.
- Sowing operations of the current rabi crop has started.
- Expectation of decrease in acreage under masoor in UP on insufficient rains this season are lenting some support to the market.
- Canada's masoor production in 2009-10 is estimated to be record 1.4 Mt due to significant rise in area.
- Masoor prices are likely to trade range -bound with weak bias in near -term.

Spot Market Prices of Masoor

(Rs/Qtl)

| Centre | 11.11.09 | 10.11.09 | Arrival / bags |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|
| Mumbai (Red Lentil) | 4450 | 4450 | - |
| Delhi-MP/kota Line | 4500-4650 | 4500-4650 | - |
| Delhi- UP/Sikri New | 4800-4900 | 4800-4900 | - |
| Delhi-Chanti export | 6100-6200 | 6100-6200 | - |
| Kanpur local mill delivery | 4700 | 4720 | - |
| Kanpur new- Bareilly Delivery | 4760 | 4770 | - |
| Indore- Masra | 4625 | 4600 | 1000 |

MOONG SPOT MARKET

- Desi moong prices witnessed steady tone following lack of fresh demand.
- Expected lower output in the current season will support the market.
- Government has released first advance estimates of kharif moong which is estimated at 0.52 million metric tonnes denoting around 50% of last year's output.
- According to the government's press release cropped area for kharif moong this year and last year as on 29th October is of 24.01 lakh ha and 22.35 lakh ha respectively.
- Moong prices at spot markets are expected to trade range -bound with firm bias in near -term.

Spot Market Prices of Moong

(Rs/Qtl)

| Origin/Grade | Centre | 11.11.09 | 10.11.09 | Arrival Bags |
|---------------------------|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|
| Pedishewa | Mumbai | 6200 | 6200 | - |
| Green | Mumbai | 5900 | 5900 | - |
| Maharashtra Chamki New | Delhi | 6700-6800 | 6700-6800 | - |
| New Kisangarh | Delhi | 6900-7000 | 6900-7000 | - |
| Moong Mertha City | Delhi | 6700-6800 | 6700-6800 | - |
| Moong Kekdi New | Delhi | 6500-6700 | 6500-6700 | - |
| Chamki New | Indore | 6100 | 6100 | 1000 |
| Desi | Kanpur | 6300 | 6300 | 800 |
| Chamki-New | Jalna | 6000-6500 | 6000-6500 | 200 |
| Chamki-New | Akola | 6000-6500 | 6000-6500 | 500 |
| Moong NEW | Jaipur | 6800 | 6800 | 5000 |
| Chamki-New | Jalgaon | 6000-6600 | 6000-6600 | 500 |

FOREX (RBI)

| Country/ Continent | Currency | Value in Rupees |
|-----------------------|----------|--------------------|
| USA | Dollar | 46.57 |
| European Union | Euro | 69.72 |
| Japan | 100 Yen | 51.89 |
| United Kingdom | GBP | 77.92 |

Indicative C&F Levels of Pulses (\$/MT)

| Commodity | 11-11-09 |
|---|-----------|
| Tur Arusha Tanzanian at Chennai | 960 |
| Tur Lemon Burmese at Chennai | 1295-1300 |
| Tur FAQ African | - |
| Tur Malawi/Mozambique | - |
| Yellow Lentils - (Richleas) Canadian at Tuticorin | 870 |
| Yellow Lentil (Laird) Canadian at Tuticorin | 890 |
| Red Lentils Canadian (Nov-Dec Shipment) | 830-835 |
| Yellow Peas - Canadian | 310 -315 |
| Yellow Peas - Ukrainian | - |
| Yellow Peas - US | - |
| Urad FAQ Burmese at Chennai | 1200 |
| Urad SQ Burmese at Chennai | 1290-1300 |
| Chickpeas Australian at Tuticorin | 545-550 |
| Moong Pokako Burmese | - |
| Moong Aniyar Burmese at Chennai | 1250 |
| Moong 3.25 mm Chinese at Chennai | 1400 |

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