AGRIWATCH

Pulses

CHANA

Market Analysis:

- Most of the markets remained closed on account of Akshaya Tritiya.
- Buyer's unwillingness to offload the commodity at higher levels has erased the gains of past couple of days and reduced its prices by close to 1.5% in Delhi market.

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- Prices of Australian chickpeas are ruling steady in domestic markets from last few days as buyers are not purchasing the commodity
 due to the quality issues and comfortable supply of desi chana in spot markets.
- Total arrivals of new crop in Rajasthan have reduced (arrival is reported at 25000 bags compared to the previous day's arrival of 50000 bags) but despite of this prices are moving in southwards direction due to the dull demand.

Chana prices are expected to trade range bound with weak bias in coming days. However, major decline in chana prices is also not expected as prices are ruling at lower levels.

Technical Analysis:

- Candlestick pattern shows selling interest in the market.
- MACD is rising in negative zone which indicates possibilities of further improvement in chana prices.
- RSI is moving down in neutral zone indicates weakness in the market.
- Closing of price below 18 days EMA also hints for weakness in market.
- Selling at higher level for short term is advisable.

Trade Recommendation - Chana NCDEX (June.)

| Call | Entry | T1 | T2 | SL | | |
|----------------------|-------|------|------|------|--|--|
| SELL | <2425 | 2405 | 2395 | 2440 | | |
| Support & Resistance | | | | | | |
| S2 | S1 | PCP | R1 | R2 | | |
| 2380 | 2395 | 2416 | 2440 | 2455 | | |

Spot Prices of Chana at Key Markets

Chana Delhi 1106(NCCHAM1)2011/05/06 - Daily B:2415.00 A:2416.00 0 2422.00 H 2427.00 L 2406.00 C 2416.00 V 68,640 I 124,890 -12



| Centre | Grade/Variety/Origin | Prices | | • Change | Arrivals | | Change |
|----------------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Centre Graue/V | Graue/variety/Origin | 06-May-11 | 05-May-11 | Change | 06-May-11 | 05-May-11 | Change |
| Mumbai | Australian (Imported) | 2250 | 2250 | - | - | - | - |
| Delle | Rajasthan | 2240-2245 | 2265-2270 | -25 | 50 | 40 | +10 |
| Delhi | Madhya Pradesh | 2310-2315 | 2335-2340 | -25 | 50 | 40 | +10 |
| Bikaner | Desi | - | 2175 | - | - | 5000 | |
| Indore | Kantewala | - | 2340 | - | - | 5000 | |
| Kanpur | Desi | 2440 | 2430 | +10 | 1600 | 1200-1300 | +300 |
| | Gauran | - | 2275-2600 | - | - | 1000 | - |
| Latur | Annagiri | - | 2500-2600 | - | - | 700 | - |
| | G-12 | - | 2400 | - | - | 300 | - |

*all prices are tax paid except Bikaner which is loose prices *arrivals of chana in all the markets are in haos (1 hao = 100 Ko) excent Delhi where the arrivals are in motors/trucks.

PEAS

Market Analysis:

- Mostly weak sentiments witnessed in spot markets except desi peas.
- Fall in chana prices has influenced peas prices and resulted in marginal decline in desi peas prices in Kanpur market.
- New crop arrival in Kanpur market is reported at 500 bags and trade participants believe that desi peas arrival will not increase in coming days and due to this major decline is not expected in desi peas prices.
- On contrary, stockists are also hesitating in maintaining stock at current higher levels.

Peas prices are expected to move range bound with firm bias.

| Cambra | Pri | Cha | |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----|
| Centre | 05-May-11 | 04-May-11 | Chg |
| Mumbai White Canadian | 1801-1811 | 1801 | +10 |
| Mumbai White American | 1860-1870 | 1850 | +20 |
| Mumbai Green Canadian | 2100-2300 | 2100-2300 | |
| Mumbai Green American | 2600 | 2600 | |
| Kanpur Desi | 2110 | 2120 | -10 |



TUR

Market Analysis:

- Most of the markets remained closed on account of Akshaya Tritiva.
- Buyer's unwillingness to purchase Burmese tur at increased prices has erased the gains of last day and resulted in sharp decline of Rs 100/qtl.
- Comfortable availability of tur in domestic markets is weighing on its prices and supply will remain comfortable in near term also which will further restrict major uptrend in tur prices.
- Additionally, regular inflow of Burmese Tur in domestic markets will further add to the supply line and hence keep the prices under control.

Domestic tur prices are expected to trade with weak bias due to the weak demand.

Tur Spot Market Prices

| Centre | Origin/Variety/ Grade | 06-May-11 | 05-May-11 |
|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Mumbai | Burmese lemon | 3075-3100 | 3100-3200 |
| Delhi | Burmese Tur | 3300-3350 | 3350 |
| Chennai Gulbarga | Burmese lemon | 3050 | - |
| | Red | - | 3500 |
| Latur | Red | - | 2800-3650 |
| Jalgaon | Red | - | 3000-3500 |

MOONG

Delhi

Kanpur

Jaipur

Market Analysis:

- Mostly steady tone featured in key moong cash markets.
- Moong arrivals have decreased in Jaipur market by 66% during last four days but no changes are recorded in its prices due to the subdued trading activities.
- Burmese moong prices (C&F) at Chennai port are reported at \$1200/ton but domestic prices of Burmese moong in Chennai is reported at Rs 5600/qtl and due to such a huge disparity, Indian importers are not entering into fresh contracts with Burmese exporters.

No major movement in moong prices is expected in near term and prices will remain range bound.

Moong Spot Market Prices

Desi

Moong

06-May-05-May-11 Centre Origin/Variety/Grade 11 3900 Mumbai Annaseva **Moong Australia** Chennai Pedishewa **Mertha City** 5200 Raj Line 5700 Indore Chamki -

URAD Market Analysis:

- Most of the markets remained closed on account of Akshaya Tritiya.
- Poor offtake of Burmese urad in Indian markets is consistently weighing on its prices.
- Moreover, weakness is also recorded in desi urad prices due to the poor offload of the commodity.
- But since stock position of desi urad is tight and it will restrict any major downtrend in its prices.
- Sowing intention of urad in India is favorable and this will further try to keep the prices under control.

Subdued demand is likely to keep urad prices under control in near term.

| Urad Spot Market Prices | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|-----------|--|--|--|
| Centre | Origin/Variety /Grade | 06-May- 11 | 05-May-11 | | | |
| Mumbai | Burmese FAQ | 3925 | 3950 | | | |
| Delhi | Burmese FAQ | 4025 | 4100-4150 | | | |
| Chennai | Burmese FAQ- SQ | 4050-4650 | - | | | |
| Indore | Desi | - | 3500-3600 | | | |
| Vijayawada | Polished | 4800 | 4800 | | | |
| Jalgaon | Desi | - | 4000-4200 | | | |

MASOOR

Market Analysis:

- Masoor prices witnessed mostly steady sentiments.
- Despite of the reduced arrivals, desi masoor prices have erased gains of previous day as buyers are reluctant to pay high prices for the commodity.
- Unacceptable level of agro chemical in Canadian lentils has once again raised the concerns of less trade between Canada and European countries and it will increase the availability of Canadian lentils for Indian markets during next season and hence weigh on masoor prices.

Dull demand of the commodity is expected to weigh on domestic masoor prices.

Masoor Spot Market Prices

| - | - | Centre | Origin/Variety/Gr ade | 06-May-11 | 05-May-11 |
|---------------|-----------|---------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| 5200 | 5200 | Mumbai | Red Lentils | 2700-2900 | 2900 |
| 5200 | 5200 | | Chaanti export | 4000-4100 | 4050-4150 |
| 5700 | 5700 | Delhi | MP/ Kota Line | 2850 | 2750-2800 |
| - | 5000 | | UP/Sikri Line | 3050-3100 | 3050-3100 |
| 4100 | 4100 | Kanpur | Mill Delivery | 3020 | 3025 |
| | | Kalipul | Bareilly Del. | 3060 | 3080 |
| 3500- 4100 | 3700-4100 | Indore | Masra | - | 3050 |
| 4100 | | | 1 | | |



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Dall Prices

Tur Dall

| | 06-05-2011 | 05-05-2011 |
|--------------|------------|------------|
| Jalgaon | - | 5600-5800 |
| Latur | - | 6000 |
| Indore | - | 5400 |
| Gulbarga | - | 5300-5400 |
| Katni | - | 5550-5650 |
| Katni (sava) | - | 4450-4500 |

Masoor Dall

| | 06-05-2011 | 05-05-2011 |
|----------------|------------|------------|
| Kanpur (Malka) | 3450 | 3500 |
| Indore | - | 3550 |
| Delhi (badi | 3550 | 3600 |
| masoor) | | |
| Delhi (choti | 4000-4050 | 4000-4050 |
| masoor) | | |
| Katni | - | 3400-3575 |

Chana Dall

| | 06-05-2011 | 05-05-2011 |
|----------|------------|------------|
| Jalgaon | - | 2900-3000 |
| Latur | - | 2800-2900 |
| Akola | - | - |
| Kanpur | 2750 | 2780 |
| Bikaner | - | 2600 |
| Indore | - | 3200 |
| Delhi | 2650-2750 | 2650-2700 |
| Gulbarga | - | 2800-2900 |
| Katni | - | 2800-3050 |

Urad Dall

| | 06-05-2011 | 05-05-2011 |
|-----------------|------------|------------|
| Jalgaon | - | 5500-5700 |
| Bikaner (Split) | - | 5400 |
| Indore | - | 6700 |

Moong Dall

| | 06-05-2011 | 05-05-2011 |
|-----------------|------------|------------|
| Jalgaon | - | 6300-6400 |
| Bikaner (Split) | - | 5700 |
| Indore | - | 6200 |





Pulses

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Indicative International Prices (C&F, \$/MT): 05-05-11

| Commodity | Origin | Chennai Port | Mumbai Port |
|----------------------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Tur Arusha | Tanzania | - | - |
| Tur Lemon | Burmese | - | - |
| Tur FAQ | African | - | - |
| Tur | Malawi/Mozambique | - | - |
| Yellow Lentils (Richleas)* | Canadian | - | - |
| Yellow Lentils (Laird)* | Canadian | - | - |
| Red Lentils (Oct-Nov) | Canadian | - | - |
| Yellow Peas* | Canadian | - | - |
| Yellow Peas | Ukrainian | - | - |
| Yellow Peas* | U.S. | - | - |
| Urad FAQ*(New) | Burmese | - | - |
| Urad SQ*(New) | Burmese | - | - |
| Chickpea | Australian | - | - |
| Moong Pedishewa* | Burmese | - | - |
| Moong | Tanzania | - | - |
| Moong Annashewa | Burmese | - | - |
| (*Loot Trodod) | L | | |

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(*Last Traded)

FOREX

| Country/Continent | Currency | Value in Rupees | Value in Rupees |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | 05-05-11 | 06-05-11* |
| USA | Dollar | 44.57 | 44.79 |
| European Union | Euro | 66.23 | 665.01 |
| Japan | Yen (100) | 55.48 | 55.78 |
| United Kingdom | GBP | 73.58 | 73.53 |

Source: RBI; *Saturday's value taken from xe.com

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