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Oilseeds Domestic Fundamentals:

Oilseeds prices noticed losses in various cash markets on new RM crop arrivals and dull trade activity, Wednesday. However, higher Malaysian palm oil and CBOT soybean limited the fall. The soybean supplies in MP remained flat at 1.5 lakh bags compared to the previous day. No aggressive buying reported in the market due to the uncertainties in meal exports to China.

International Oilseeds Fundamental:

US soybean export sales have picked up, the buyers have started to shift to US origin due to to the South American crop damage. Again in Argentina rainfall was reportedly highly insufficient during the week. Besides, the forecasts indicate again below-normal rainfall in the week ahead, which will further deteriorate the crop condition. Also in Brazil the rainfall distribution remained very uneven in the second half of January. Even the rains over some of the growing states could not prove to be beneficial.

Outlook:

Soybean prices (all paid, Indore) are likely to face downward pressure followed by new RM seed arrivals in near-term. The soybean prices (all paid, Indore) is expected to slightly fall towards 2460-2500 level in near term.

| CDEX Soybean Futures: | | | NCDEX RM Seed Futures: | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|---|---|--|---|---|--|--|---|
| +/- | Open | High | Low | Close | Contract | +/- | Open | High | Low | Close |
| 3.50 | 2545.00 | 2553.00 | 2531.00 | 2545.5 | April-12 | -10.00 | 3390.00 | 3408.00 | 3366.00 | 3388.00 |
| 1.50 | 2584.00 | 2589.00 | 2568.00 | 2581.0 | May-12 | -15.00 | 3439.00 | 3456.00 | 3412.00 | 3432.00 |
| 4.00 | 2610.00 | 2617.50 | 2597.00 | 2614.0 | Jun-12 | -9.00 | 3489.00 | 3489.00 | 3451.00 | 3472.00 |
| -1.50 | 2632.50 | 2640.00 | 2620.00 | 2632.0 | | | | | | |
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| Volume | Change | OI | Change |
|--------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| 67920 | -63020 | 236040 | -910 |
| 54290 | -61630 | 223460 | 270 |
| 16430 | -17680 | 111980 | 1070 |
| 4440 | -2560 | 13440 | 1760 |
| | 67920 54290 16430 | 67920-6302054290-6163016430-17680 | 67920-6302023604054290-6163022346016430-17680111980 |

Billed (Plant Delivery) price in spot vs. future price:

| Spread | Feb-12 | Mar-12 | Apr-12 | May-12 |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Spot | -52.5 | -88 | -121 | -139 |
| Feb-12 | | 35.5 | 68.5 | 86.5 |
| Mar-12 | | | 33 | 51 |
| Apr-12 | | | | 18 |

| Ear Month | Contract | Near Month | Contract | Basis: Spot –Future. |
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| Stocks | Demat | In-Process | Total | FED |
|--------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----|
| OLUCKS | 24.1.2012 | 24.1.2012 | 24.1.2012 | |
| Akola | 12033 | 840 | 12873 | |
| Indore | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Kota | 30060 | 2728 | 32788 | |
| Sagar | 1361 | 0 | 1361 | |

*SBN Fed Stocks Expiry on Jan '12

| Contract | Volume | Change | OI | Change |
|----------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| April-12 | 139090 | -101590 | 138200 | 1970 |
| May-12 | 28780 | -47790 | 62260 | -2680 |
| Jun-12 | 660 | -780 | 2770 | 60 |

| Spread | Apr-12 | May-12 | Jun-12 |
|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| Spot | 94.00 | 50.00 | 10.00 |
| April-12 | | | 84.00 |
| May-12 | | | 40.00 |
| Jun-12 | | | |

*Far Month Contract - Near Month Contract. Basis: Spot – Future.

| Stocks | Demat | In-Process | Total | FED |
|----------------|---------------|------------|-----------|-----|
| Olocka | 24.1.2012 | 24.1.2012 | 24.1.2012 | |
| S Ganganagar | 26807 | 0 | 26807 | |
| Bikaner | 16952 | 0 | 16952 | |
| Kota | 26366 | 0 | 26366 | |
| Jaipur | 37258 | 0 | 37258 | |
| Alwar | 8966 | 0 | 8966 | |
| Hapur | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
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*RMS Fed Stocks Expiry on 5 Feb '12



Oilseed Prices at Key Spot Markets:

| Commodity | Centre | Prices (| Rs/Qtl) | Change | |
|------------------|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--|
| | | 25/1/2012 | 24/1/2012 | | |
| | Indore –Plant | 2470-2515 | 2480-2525 | -10 | |
| | Indore –Mandi | 2400-2460 | 2400-2460 | Unch | |
| | Nagpur-Plant | 2450-2460 | 2480-2490 | -30 | |
| | Nagpur – Mandi | 2325-2425 | 2350-2450 | -25 | |
| | Kota-Plant | 2530-2540 | 2500 | +40 | |
| Soybean ` | Kota – Mandi | 2465 | 2375-2380 | +85 | |
| Soybean | Bundi-Plant | 2480-2510 | 2500-2525 | -15 | |
| | Bundi-Mandi | 2375-2410 | 2375-2425 | -15 | |
| | Baran-Plant | 2400-2425 | 2400 | +25 | |
| | Baran-Mandi | 2375-2470 | 2400-2420 | +50 | |
| | Bhawani Mandi Jhalawar – Kota Plant Delivery | 2500-2525 | 2500 | +25 | |
| | Jhalwar-Mandi | 2400-2425 | 2400-2440 | +25 | |
| | | | | | |
| | Jaipur – C | 3480-3485 | 3540-3545 | -60 | |
| | Alwar – C | 3350 | 3400 | -50 | |
| | SriGanganagar | 3100 | 3130 | -30 | |
| Rapeseed/Mustard | Delhi– C | 3450 | 3550 | -100 | |
| | Kota (Non-Condition) | 2950 | 2900 | +50 | |
| | Neewai | 3400 | 3425 | -25 | |
| | Hapur (UP) | 3375 | 3415 | -40 | |
| | | | | | |
| | Rajkot | 840 | 850 | -10 | |
| | Junagarh | - | - | - | |
| Groundnut Seed | Deesa | - | - | - | |
| | Kurnool | - | - | - | |
| | Amreli | - | - | - | |
| | Culharga | 20000 20000 | 07000 00000 | l la ala | |
| | Gulbarga | 28000-30000 | 27000-30000 | Unch -500 | |
| unflower Seed | Latur Solapur | 31000-32500 31000-32500 | 31000-33000 31000-32500 | -500 Unch | |
| | Udgir | - | - | - | |

Soybean Prices are in INR/bag. (1 bag=90 kg). Mandi prices – Loose, Mustard Seed Prices are in INR/bag (1 bag=85 kg) C – Condition (42%), *Groundnut seed in Rs/20 kg, Sunflower Seed in Rs/qtl.



Oilseed Arrivals in Key Centers

| Commodity | Centre | Arrivals in | Bags/Qtl | Change |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|-----------|--------|
| | | 25/1/2012 | 24/1/2012 | |
| | Madhya Pradesh | 150000 | 150000 | Unch |
| | Maharashtra | 70000 | 50000 | +20000 |
| Soybean | Rajasthan | 70000 | 20000 | +50000 |
| | Bundi (Raj) | 1200 | 800 | +400 |
| | Baran (Raj) | 3000 | 2000 | +1000 |
| | Jhalawar (Raj) | 500 | 700 | -200 |
| | • | | | |
| | Rajasthan | 42000 | 45000 | -3000 |
| Rapeseed/Mustard | Uttar Pradesh | - | - | - |
| | Madhya Pradesh | - | - | - |
| | | | | |
| Groundnut Seed | Gujarat | - | - | - |
| | | | | |
| Sunflower Seed | Maharashtra | - | - | - |

Other Oilseed Prices at Mumbai (INR/100 Kg):

| Oilseeds | 25/1/2012 | 24/1/2012 | Change |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Niger Seed (4% FM) | 3800 | 3750 | +50 |
| Sesame White 98/2/1 FM | 6075 | 6075 | Unch |
| Sunflower Seed | 3600 | 3600 | Unch |
| Kardi Seed 2% Exp Quality | 3150 | 3150 | Unch |
| Groundnut Kernel | 5275 | 5250 | +25 |
| Castor Seed (Bombay) | 3490 | 3500 | -10 |

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