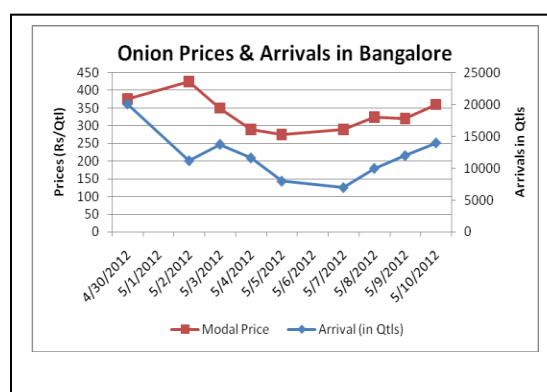
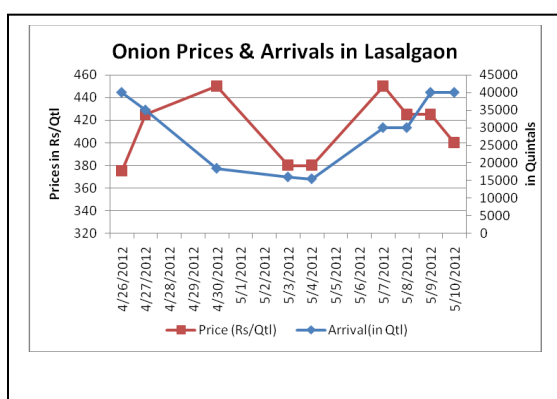


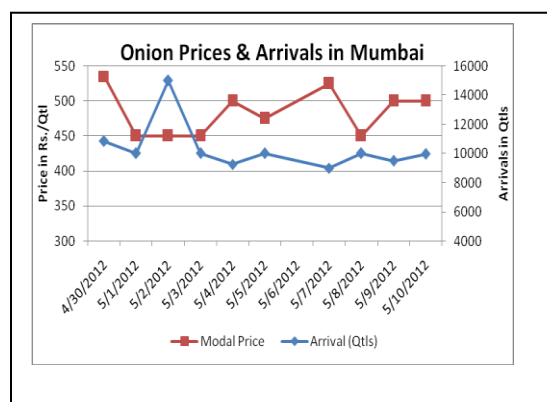
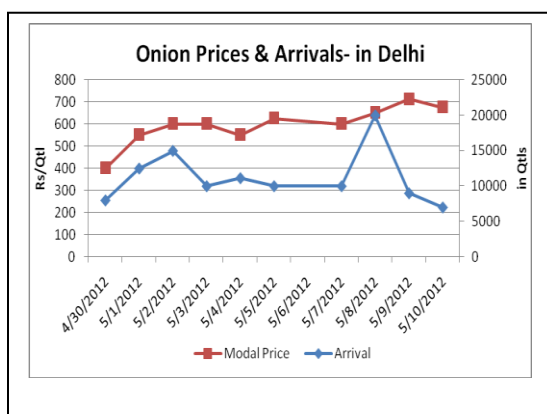
Onion Fundamentals:

- Average auction quantity has increased from 10000-15000 quintals to 20000-25000 quintals in Lasalgaon and Pimplagaon but still it is 50-60% of total arrivals coming to Mandi.
- Prices are bit suppressed in Maharashtra Mandi as Local arrivals in Rajasthan and Karnataka reducing demand for Nasik onion.
- Export demand is normal and mainly far-eastern and Gulf countries taking more interest at this time. At present, export prices are ranging between \$140-160/Ton FOB based on quality of onion.
- Meanwhile, retail prices are hovering in between Rs. 500-1500/Qtl. The highest prices of Rs. 1500/Qtl was recorded in Shimla, Trivendrum and Srinagar.
- As per news reports, farmers in Nasik districts demanding further Market Intervention Scheme and Minimum Support Price (MSP) for Onions

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: Agriwatch)



Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 11/05/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimplagaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	300-400	400-550	450-600	380-580	200-500	320-350	350-650
Arrivals (in Qtl)	50000	20000	8400	10800	9000	20000	10000

(Source: Agriwatch)

Onion Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 10th May 2012

S.No.	Centre Name	Min Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max Price (Rs/Qtl)	Avg Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrivals (MT)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
1	ABOHAR	430	580	560	130	1000
2	AGRA	530	585	560	52	1000
3	AHMEDABAD	250	450	350	210	800
4	AMRITSAR	650	800	750	175	1000
5	BANGALORE	550	650	600	1200	1200
6	BARAUT	700	800	750	4	1100
7	BHOPAL	250	350	300	180	400
8	BHUBANESHWAR	800	850	825	300	1000
9	CHANDIGARH	575	825	700	70	1400
10	CHENNAI	800	900	850	480	1200
11	DELHI	375	750	562	693	1200
12	GANGATOK	1200	1400	1300	3	1500
13	GUWAHATI	900	1000	950	150	1400
14	HYDERABAD	600	800	700	319	1000
15	JAIPUR	500	600	560	330	900
16	JAMMU	800	850	840	118	1200
17	KOLKATA	850	900	875	320	1600
18	LUCKNOW	600	700	650	24	1000
19	MUMBAI	400	600	550	995	1000
20	NAGPUR	350	550	450	430	1000
21	PATNA	650	700	675	40	1400
22	PUNE	450	600	570	840	700
23	RANCHI	505	680	650	218	900
24	SHIMLA	1200	1300	1250	12	1500
25	SRINAGAR	900	950	930	200	1500
26	SURAT	400	500	450	250	1000
27	TRIVENDRUM	900	1050	970	60	1500

(Source: NHB)

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