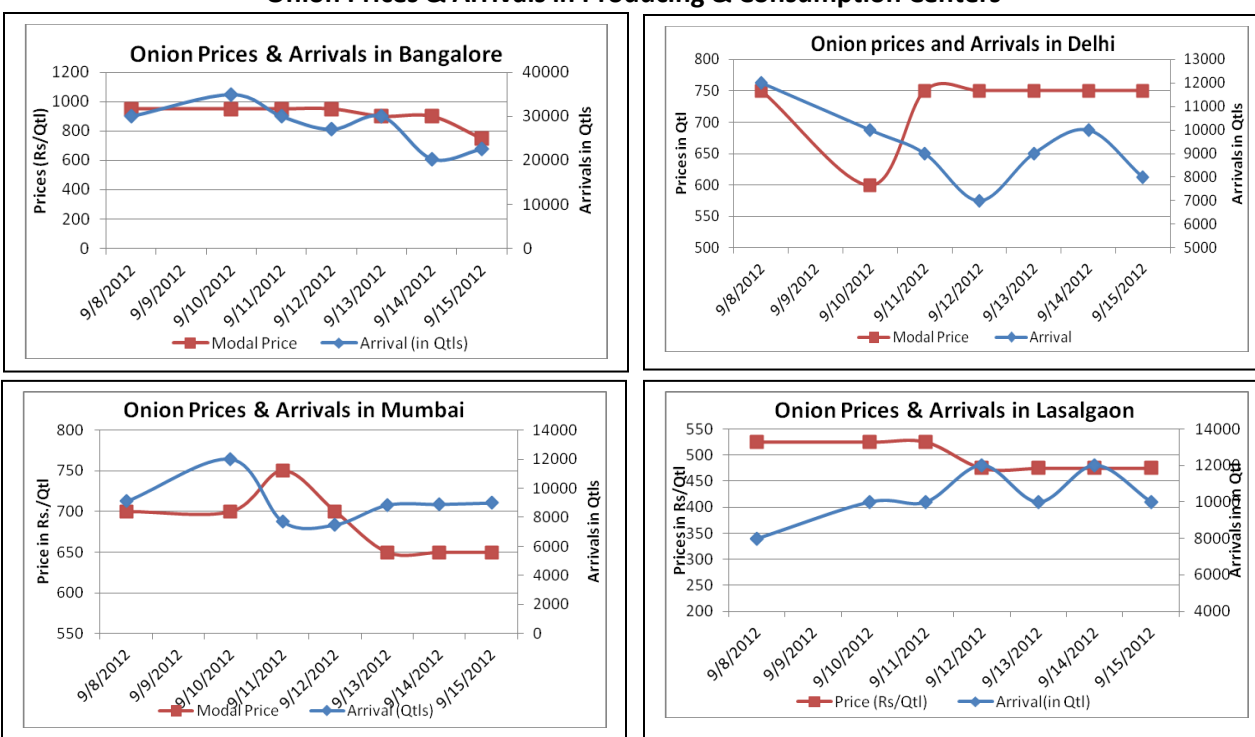


Onion Fundamentals:

- In Karnataka, local origin fresh onion has started arriving in market. According to trade sources, arrivals of fresh onion is expected to be in full pace in couple of weeks. Prices are hovering in the range of Rs 650/quintal to Rs 725/ quintal but further expected to increase.
- In Indore, prices of onion are low which are hovering in the range of Rs 400/ quintal to Rs 700/ quintal from last few weeks because average arrivals in markets has increased to 25000- 30000 bags (60 kg each) compared to previous year's 10000- 15000 bags (60kg each) per day at same time.
- According to trade sources in Lasalgaon, farmers are still holding good crop of onions and releasing damaged and low quality of onion in market. Because of low quality onion, average prices have declined to Rs 475/ quintal compared to previous week Rs 525 / quintal.
- In Rajkot, onion is coming from Nasik and Local region which are contributing 40% and 60% of the total arrival. Prices are hovering in the range of Rs 500 to Rs 650 /quintal and further expected to increase.

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 15/9/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	450-500	-	-	500-800	300-700	700-900	300-850
Arrivals (in Qtl)	10000	-	-	9000	19000	22500	8000

*Pimpalgaon & Pune market remain closed on Saturday

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 14/9/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	450-500	450-600	700-800	500-800	300-700	600-900	-
Arrivals (in Qtl)	12000	10000	865	8900	18000	20250	-

(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 15th September 2012

Centre Name	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Modal Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrival (MT.)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
AGRA	550	650	600	125	1000
AMRITSAR	680	775	725	170	1000
BHUBANESHWAR	950	1050	1000	400	1300
CHANDIGARH	900	1100	1000	70	1500
CHENNAI	1000	1200	1100	450	1600
GANGATOK	1200	1500	1400	2	1700
GUWAHATI	950	1250	1100	100	1800
HYDERABAD	400	600	500	35	800
JAIPUR	600	700	655	298	1100
JAMMU	1100	1200	1150	180	1500
KOLKATA	875	1250	1063	1904	1700
LUCKNOW	600	750	675	35	1000
NAGPUR	600	800	700	300	1000
PATNA	700	800	750	15	1200
RAIPUR	700	800	740	47	1400
RANCHI	900	1000	980	2500	1200
SHIMLA	1000	1200	1100	17	1500
SRINAGAR	1500	1600	1550	60	2000

(Source: NHB)

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