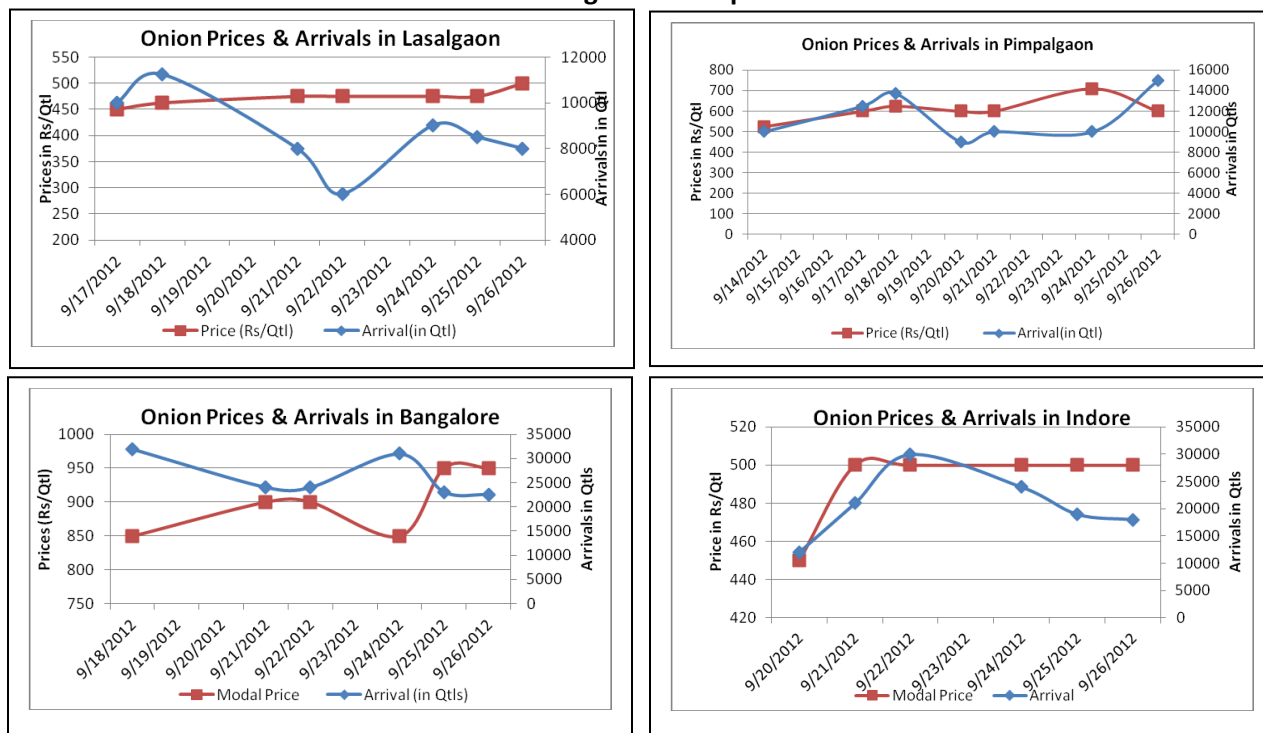


Onion Fundamentals:

- According to trade sources, August and September are periods when exports slow in view of monsoon. Also, it is when farmers generally tend to run out of stocks or would prefer to push only those grades that are vulnerable to damage which result into decline in exports.
- In Bangalore (Karnataka), prices have increased to Rs900/ quintal from Rs850/ quintal against higher arrival in last one week as local produced onion are available in market. Prices are likely to remain stable throughout the week.
- In Bangalore and Lasalgaon market, onion arrivals have decreased in last few days which resulted into small increase in prices.
- In all the markets, across the country prices are hovering in the range of Rs 900 to Rs 2000 per quintal. Maximum prices were seen in Srinagar followed by Trivandrum and Gangatok at Rs 2000, Rs 1800, and Rs 1700 per quintal respectively.

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 26/9/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	475-525	550-650	500-800	550-900	300-700	800-1100	350-950
Arrivals (in Qtl)	8000	15000	8000	11300	18000	22500	7000

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 25/9/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	450-500	-	450-800	600-900	300-700	900-1000	300-850
Arrivals (in Qtl)	8500	-	9000	7500	19000	23000	8000

(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 26th September 2012

Centre Name	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Modal Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrival (MT.)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
AGRA	700	790	745	100	1500
AMRITSAR	650	750	700	180	1000
BHOPAL	750	850	800	55	950
CHANDIGARH	875	1000	937	70	1500
CHENNAI	1000	1200	1100	480	1600
DELHI	675	900	790	1189	1600
GANGATOK	1200	1500	1400	2	1700
GUWAHATI	900	1200	1050	100	1800
JAIPUR	600	700	660	340	1100
JAMMU	1000	1100	1050	127	1400
LUCKNOW	600	700	650	24	900
NAGPUR	550	800	675	390	1000
PATNA	700	800	750	180	1300
PUNE	700	800	750	910	900
RAIPUR	700	800	740	49	1300
RANCHI	918	1010	990	260	1200
SHIMLA	1050	1300	1200	15	1500
SRINAGAR	1600	1750	1700	60	2000
TRIVANDRUM	1200	1400	1300	45	1800

(Source: NHB)

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