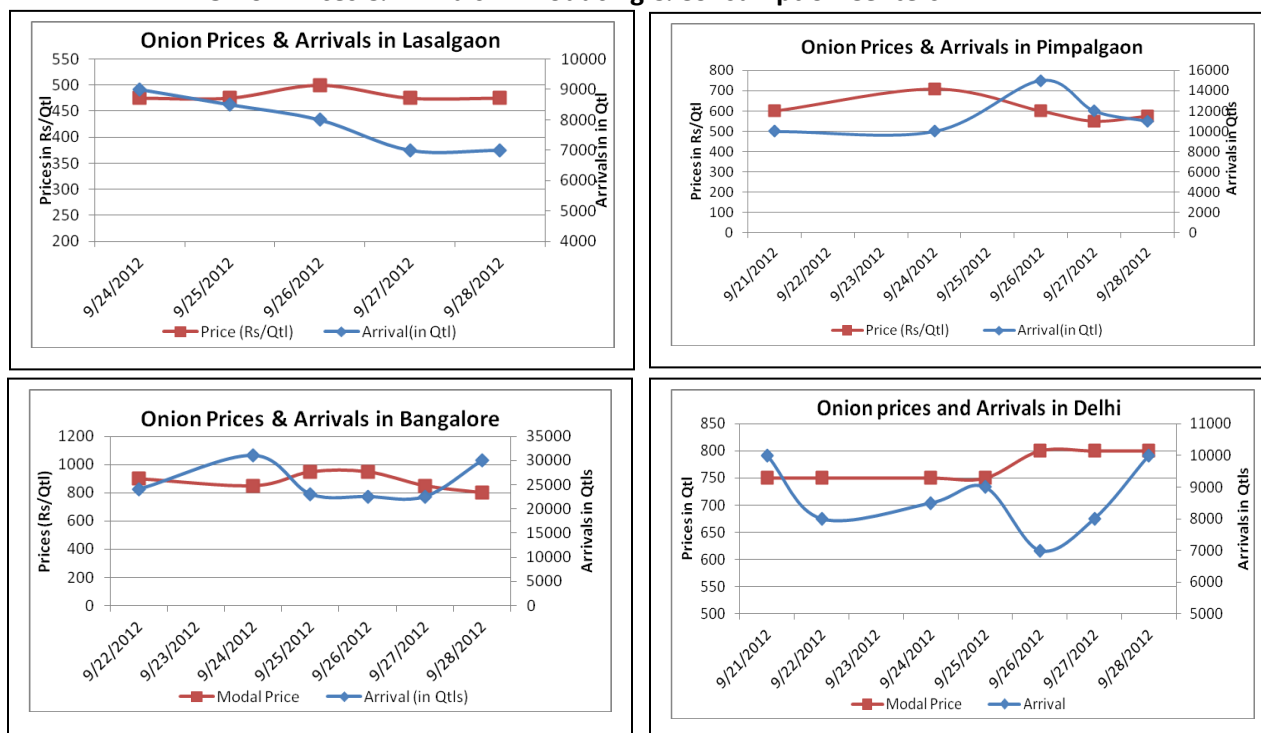


Onion Fundamentals:

- In Ahmadabad, onion is mainly coming from Maharashtra and local region (Saurashtra) which are contributing approximately 90 % and 10% to the total arrival. Prices are hovering in the range of Rs 950/ quintal to Rs 1450 / quintal and are likely to increase in coming days.
- In Pimpalgaon, arrivals have declined to 11500 quintals from 15000 quintals in last three days whereas prices have also fallen to Rs 560/ quintal from Rs 600/ quintal. Arrival and prices are declining because of slow market and arrival of fresh onion from southern region.
- According to trade sources, onion prices are expected to move up as from mid October as kharif crop is less by 20-25% compared to last year's crop and the arrival of crop is also late due to delayed sowing.
- In Bangalore, arrivals increased to 30000 quintals from 22500 quintals in last 2-3 days. Due to this increase in arrivals, prices fall down to Rs 800/ quintal from Rs 900/ quintal.

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 28/9/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	450-500	500-650	600-800	500-950	300-700	600-1000	-
Arrivals (in Qtl)	7000	11000	8000	12200	19000	30000	-

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 27/9/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	450-500	400-700	600-700	500-900	300-700	700-1000	350-950
Arrivals (in Qtl)	7000	12000	9600	9600	18000	22500	7000

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Onion Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 28th September 2012

Centre Name	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Modal Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrival (MT.)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
ABOHAR	750	930	840	110	1500
BHOPAL	600	800	700	75	900
BHUBANESHWAR	900	1000	950	400	1200
CHANDIGARH	700	800	750	80	1500
CHENNAI	1100	1300	1200	450	1600
DELHI	700	1000	850	1358	1500
GUWAHATI	950	1150	1000	110	1800
JAIPUR	600	700	660	344	1100
JAMMU	1000	1200	1100	130	1400
KOLKATA	1125	1250	1188	336	1800
MUMBAI	500	950	700	1220	1200
PATNA	700	800	750	30	1300
PUNE	650	750	700	975	900
RAIPUR	700	800	760	48	1300
RANCHI	800	1000	960	250	1200
SHIMLA	1100	1400	1300	15	1500
SRINAGAR	1600	1800	1700	60	2200
TRIVANDRUM	1200	1400	1300	50	1800

(Source: NHB)

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