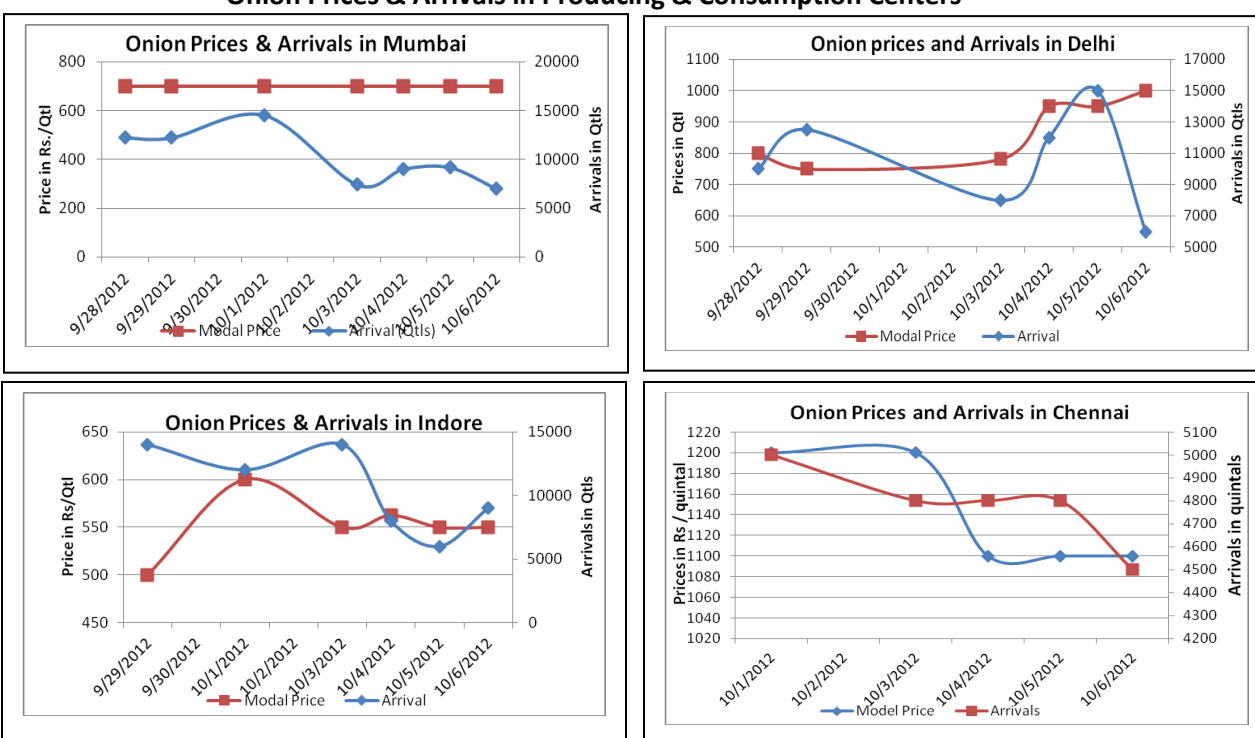


Onion Fundamentals:

- In Lasalgaon and Pimpalgaon markets of Maharashtra, there is strike for indefinite period due to dispute between mapari (official grain measurers) and traders over weighing charges and putting receipt numbers on onion bags. This would affect the auction process.
- In Bangalore, approximately 70% of total arrival is fresh onion. Around 70% harvesting of early crop completed in Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh.
- According to NHRDF, about 53% area in Haryana (2000 ha) and 44% area in Bihar (1200 ha) is expected to be covered under kharif onion as compared to previous year, whereas in Uttar Pradesh around 80% area under kharif onion (3000 ha) expected to be covered.
- In Nasik (Maharashtra), farmers are facing inconvenience while bring their produce to markets as of ongoing differences between Mapari and traders.

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 05/10/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	-	-	-	600-800	300-800	-	-
Arrivals (in Qtl)	-	-	-	7000	9000	-	-

*In Maharashtra and Karnataka market were closed

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 05/10/2012

Mandi	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Pune	Mumbai	Indore	Bangalore	Belgaum
Price (in Qtl)	-	-	600-700	500-900	300-800	800-1000	-
Arrivals (in Qtl)	-	-	9020	9150	6000	15000	-

(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 6th October 2012

Centre Name	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Modal Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrival (MT.)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
AGRA	580	640	610	60	1000
AHMEDABAD	500	700	600	278	900
BHOPAL	600	800	700	38	1400
CHANDIGARH	825	925	875	72	1500
CHENNAI	1000	1200	1100	450	1600
GANGATOK	1200	1500	1400	3	1600
GUWAHATI	1080	1420	1400	110	2000
JAIPUR	800	900	855	366	1300
JAMMU	1000	1100	1050	150	1500
LUCKNOW	600	750	675	36	850
MUMBAI	600	800	700	700	1200
PATNA	700	750	725	30	1300
RAIPUR	650	750	700	54	1200
RANCHI	800	900	880	210	1200
SHIMLA	1600	1800	1700	14	2000
SRINAGAR	1300	1400	1330	120	1800
SURAT	500	650	600	200	1200

(Source: NHB)

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