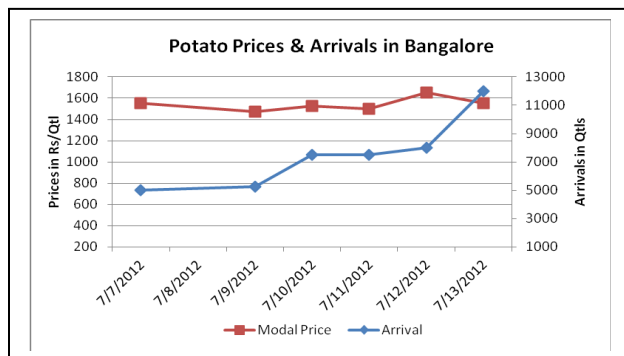
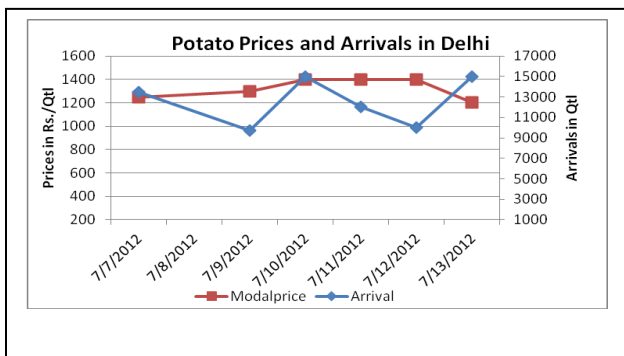
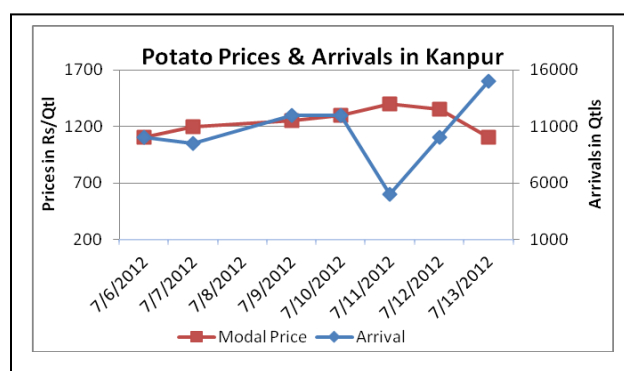
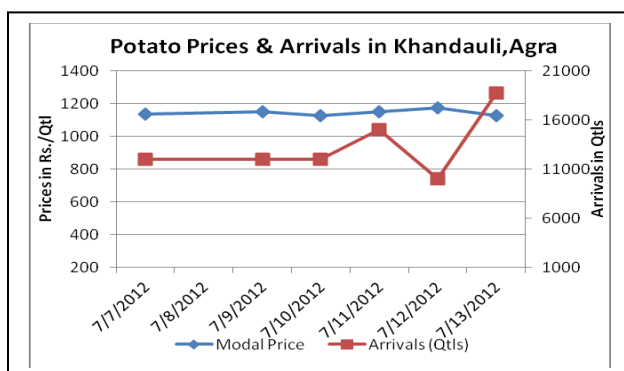


Potato Fundamentals

- Potato release and arrivals have increased in major mandi as seen in below charts after news of West Bengal govt intervening in West Bengal to check the soaring prices.
- In Delhi wholesale prices are hovering near Rs 1250/quintal, whereas in retail potato is selling in the range Rs. 1500-2000 depending upon the locality and quality of potato. Potato demand is expected to increase further as green vegetables prices have started to rise and consumers have no other choices left with them.
- In Bhubaneswar prices are ranging between Rs 1100/qrtl to Rs1200/qrtl. Prices of potato have increased because of the hoarders and middleman as the supply comes from West Bengal only.
- In West Bengal, so far 26% potato is released from cold stores. Though the release from cold storages were started almost one month early compare to last year. At present, farmers/traders want to release the potato but they are not able to fetch the expected prices Rs. 1300/Qtl after state govt intervened to check the rising prices.

Potato Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Potato Prices & Arrivals in UP Mandi as on 13/7/2012

Mandi	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Sirsa Ganj	Kanpur	Jalandhar	Indore	Bangalore
Price (in Qtl)	1100-1200	1100-1200	1200-1240	1000-1200	950-1100	500-1300	1500-1600
Arrivals (in Qtl)	150	1600	4500	15000	800	5000	12000

Potato Prices & Arrivals in UP Mandi as on 12/7/2012

Mandi	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Sirsa Ganj	Kanpur	Jalandhar	Indore	Bangalore
Price (in Qtl)	1100-1200	1050-1200	1200-1250	1200-1500	950-1100	600-1300	1600-1700
Arrivals (in Qtl)	200	1800	5000	10000	800	5000	8000

(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Potato Futures Prices at MCX as on 13th July 2012

Symbol	Exchange	Delivery Center	Expiry Date	Today's Close Price	Prev Close Price	Net Change	Today's Open Interest	Previous Day Open Interest	Change
POTATO	MCX	Agra	14-Jul-12	1206	1212.5	-6.50	2760	3240	-480.00
POTATO	MCX	Agra	14-Aug-12	1318	1318.7	-0.70	21330	21510	-180.00
POTATO	MCX	Agra	15-Sep-12	1443.9	1445	-1.10	19440	19560	-120.00
POTATOTRWR	MCX	Tarkeshwar	14-Jul-12	980	980	0.00	2070	2100	-30.00
POTATOTRWR	MCX	Tarkeshwar	14-Aug-12	1098	1089.1	8.90	5250	5100	150.00
POTATOTRWR	MCX	Tarkeshwar	15-Sep-12	1181.7	1174	7.70	14010	13890	120.00
					Total	8.30	64860	65400	-540.00

Potato Futures Prices at NCDEX as on 13th July 2012

Symbol	Exchange	Delivery Center	Expiry Date	Today's Close Price	Prev Close Price	Net Change	Today's Open Interest	Previous Day Open Interest	Change
POTATO	NCDEX	Agra	20-Jul-12	1135	1125	10.00	1200	1215	-15
POTATO	NCDEX	Agra	17-Aug	1260.2	1261	-0.80	2940	3675	-735
POTATO	NCDEX	Agra	20-Sep	1392.5	1387	5.50	4320	4260	60
					Total		8460	9150	-690

Technical Analysis - Potato- August Contract at MCX



Potato Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 13th July 2012

Centre Name	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Model Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrival (MT.)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
ABOHAR	1030	1240	1135	105	1800
AGRA	1080	1170	1125	150	1800
AMRITSAR	825	950	900	20	1500
CHANDIGARH	1125	1250	1188	60	1800
CHENNAI	1600	1800	1700	200	2400
DEHRADUN	1213	1380	1250	30	2000
GANGATOK	1400	1800	1600	2	1800
GUWAHATI	1400	1450	1420	170	1800
JAIPUR	1000	1100	1060	276	1600
JAMMU	1100	1200	1150	54	1500
KANPUR	1000	1200	1100	1260	1600
KOLKATA	1230	1250	1240	423	1450
LUCKNOW	1100	1250	1175	43	1700
MUMBAI	1100	1350	1250	1320	2000
PATNA	1150	1250	1200	80	1800
PUNE	1400	1500	1450	575	1800
RAIPUR	1200	1350	1300	33	2000
RANCHI	1200	1300	1280	240	1600
SHIMLA	1500	1800	1600	22	2400
SURAT	1100	1350	1300	200	2200
TRIVENDRUM	1900	2100	2000	20	2600

(Source: NHB)

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