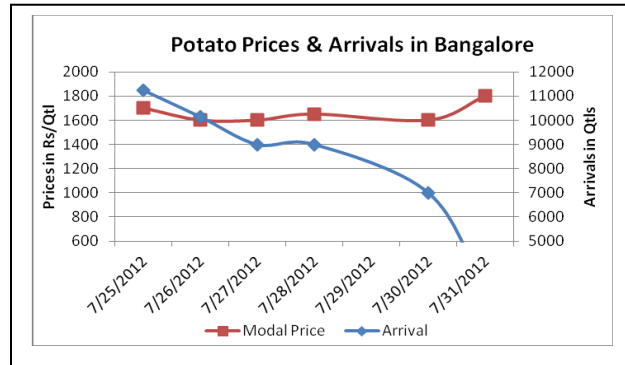
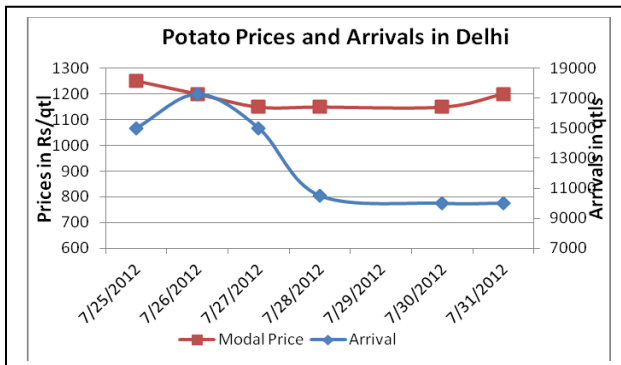
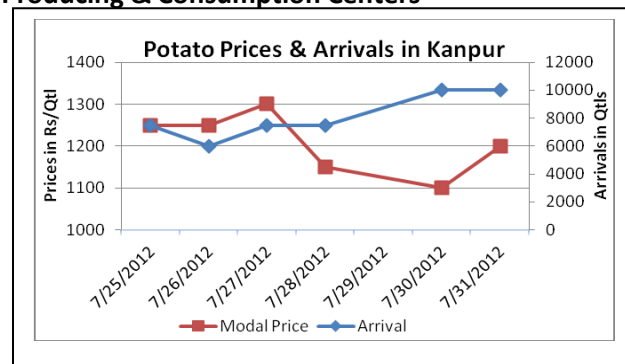
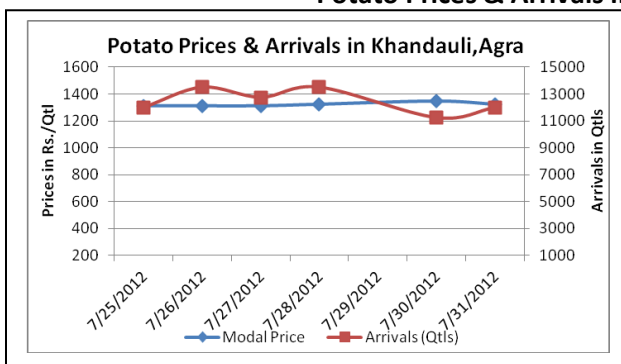


## Potato Fundamentals

- In a new revised circular of NCDEX, existing Special Margin of 15% (in cash) on the Long side shall be increased to 30%(in cash) and Special Margin of 5% (in cash) on the Short side shall be imposed on all the running contracts in Potato with effect from beginning of day Wednesday, August 01, 2012.
- In Hasan (Karnataka), this year early Kharif crop was grown in 8000 hectare which is less compared to last year where potato was grown in 20,000 hectare. This decrease in area was because of deficit rainfall and delay in monsoon. As per trade sources arrival of fresh potato in market will start from 3<sup>rd</sup> week of August.
- As per the trader from Delhi prices of potatoes are further expected to increase because of high green vegetables prices. So people are left with limited choice, Prices of potato likely to rise as demand is expected to high from month of August.
- In Bangalore potato is coming from Indore and U.P which are contributing 25% and 85% respectively of the total arrival. 'Chipsona' variety of the Indore is fetching the highest prices of Rs 1500- Rs1700 per quintal.

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in UP Mandi as on 31/7/2012

Mandi	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Sirsa Ganj	Kanpur	Jalandhar	Indore	Bangalore
Price (in Qtl)	1300-1350	1150-1200	1350	1000-1400	800-1000	500-1500	1600-2000
Arrivals (in Qtl)	12000	2000	7500	10000	1000	4500	3000

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in UP Mandi as on 30/7/2012

Mandi	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Sirsa Ganj	Kanpur	Jalandhar	Indore	Bangalore
Price (in Qtl)	1350	1200-1300	1400	1000-1200	800-1000	600-1500	1400-1800
Arrivals (in Qtl)	11250	2500	9000	10000	1000	4000	7000

(Source: AGRIWATCH)



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## Potato Futures Prices at MCX as on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2012

Symbol	Exchange	Expiry Date	Today's Close Price	Previous Close Price	Net Change	Today's Open Interest	Previous Day Open Interest	Change
POTATO	MCX	14-Aug-12	1300	1343.5	-43.50	11400	12600	-1200
POTATO	MCX	15-Sep-12	1359.4	1414.3	-54.90	16980	17010	-30
POTATO	MCX	15-Oct-12	1458.8	1519.1	-60.30	4050	4740	-690
POTATOTRWR	MCX	14-Aug-12	1012	1044.2	-32.20	5310	5400	-90
POTATOTRWR	MCX	15-Sep-12	1122.9	1166	-43.10	9090	9690	-600
POTATOTRWR	MCX	16-Oct-12	1205	1258	-53.00	3510	4410	-900
				Total		50340	53850	-3510

## Potato Futures Prices at NCDEX as on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2012

Symbol	Exchange	Expiry Date	Today's Close Price	Previous Close Price	Net Change	Today's Open Interest	Previous Day Open Interest	Change
POTATO	NCDEX	17-Aug	1222	1274.8	-52.80	1335	1635	-300
POTATO	NCDEX	20-Sep	1328	1375	-47.00	4200	4170	30
				Total		5535	5805	-270

## Technical Analysis - Potato- August Contract at MCX



## Potato Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2012

Centre Name	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Modal Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrival (MT.)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
AHMEDABAD	1100	1300	1200	170	1700
BARAUT	1400	1500	1450	13	1900
BHOPAL	1400	1600	1500	64	1800
CHANDIGARH	1000	1250	1125	62	1500
CHENNAI	1800	2000	1900	150	2600
GANGATOK	1500	1800	1650	2	2000
GUWAHATI	1500	1600	1550	130	2000
HYDERABAD	600	1750	1400	120	1900
JAIPUR	900	1000	955	264	1500
JAMMU	900	1000	950	40	1200
LUCKNOW	1125	1325	1225	41	2000
NAGPUR	1375	1525	1450	260	2000
PATNA	1150	1250	1200	60	1800
PUNE	1500	1700	1600	878	2000
RAIPUR	1250	1400	1325	25	2000
RANCHI	1200	1280	1250	200	1600
SHIMLA	1500	1700	1600	22	2000
SRINAGAR	1200	1400	1300	50	1800
SURAT	1000	1200	1100	250	1800
TRIVANDRUM	1800	2000	1900	20	2500

(Source: NHB)

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