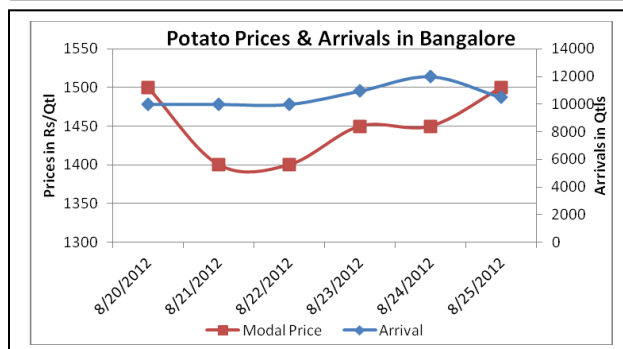
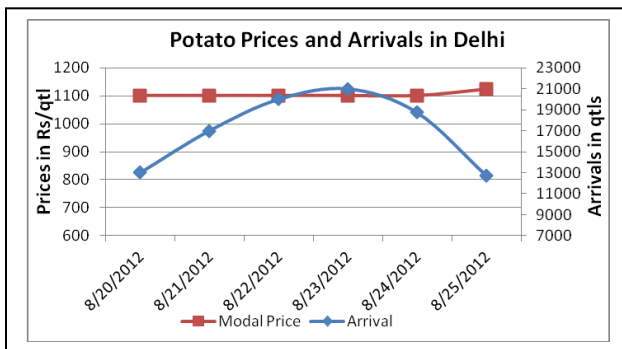
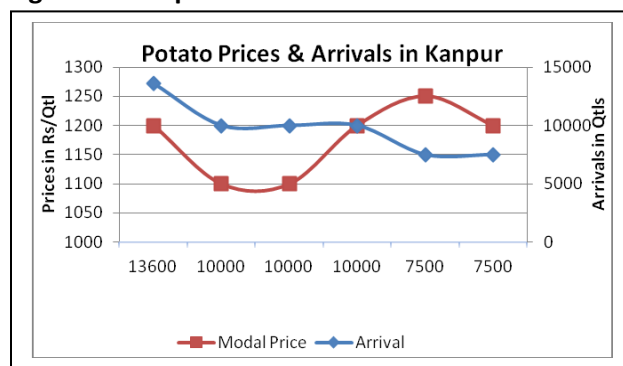
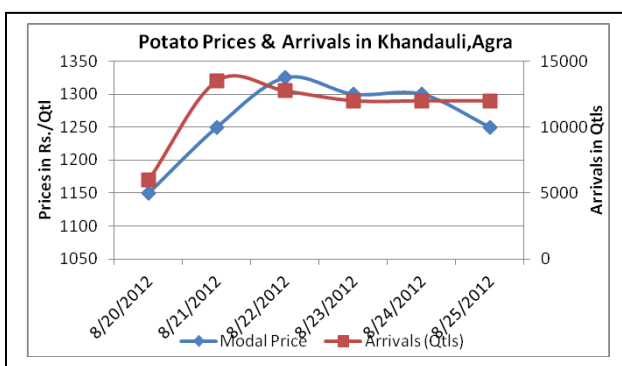


Potato Fundamentals:

- According to trade sources in Khandauli (Agra), prices of potatoes are stable from last one week and hovering in the range of Rs 1250 –Rs 1325 / quintal. Though the average released from cold storages has decreased by 33% compared to last week. Further the prices are expected to remain stable.
- In Delhi market, potatoes are coming from U.P, Karnataka and Shimla which are contributing approximately 7 %, 15% and 78% respectively to the total arrival. According to trade sources, potato of Shimla and Hassan origin are fetching the highest prices of Rs 20-21 /kg in Delhi's wholesale market.
- In Kanpur (Uttar Pradesh), average arrivals from cold storages have decreased to 7500 quintals from 10000 quintals in last 3-4 days. The decrease in arrival is due to heavy rainfall.
- In retail market, prices are hovering in the range of Rs 1500 to Rs 2800 / quintal all across the country. Prices in major growing areas like U.P and West Bengal are above Rs1500/ quintal.

Potato Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandi as on 25/8/2012

Mandi	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Sirsa Ganj	Kanpur	Jalandhar	Indore	Bangalore
Price (in Qtl)	1200-1300	1050-1200	1000-1350	1000-1400	650-850	500-1300	1300-1700
Arrivals (in Qtl)	12000	1800	6000	7500	-	7500	10500

Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandi as on 24/8/2012

Mandi	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Sirsa Ganj	Kanpur	Jalandhar	Indore	Bangalore
Price (in Qtl)	1300	1100-1200	1300	1200-1300	600-900	500-1300	1400-1500
Arrivals (in Qtl)	12000	3000	8000	7500	-	9000	12000

(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Potato Futures Prices at MCX as on 25th August 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	15-Sep-12	1181.4	1187.3	-5.90	11400	11460	-60
POTATO	MCX	15-Oct-12	1230.5	1247.1	-16.60	7200	6150	1050
POTATOTRWR	MCX	15-Sep-12	973.7	981	-7.30	5400	5790	-390
POTATOTRWR	MCX	16-Oct-12	1043.6	1046.5	-2.90	3035	2970	65
				Total			26370	665

Potato Futures Prices at NCDEX as on 25th August 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	20-Sep	1124	1136.9	-12.90	3153	3150	3
				Total			3150	0

Technical Analysis - Potato- September Contract at MCX



(Source: AGRIWATCH)



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Potato Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 25th August 2012

Centre Name	Variety	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Modal Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrival (MT.)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
ABOHAR	POTATO STORE	920	1240	1080	107	1800
AGRA	POTATO STORE	1100	1200	1150	230	1600
BARAUT	POTATO STORE	1300	1400	1350	12	1800
BHUBANESHWAR	POTATO STORE	1050	1150	1100	600	1450
CHENNAI	POTATO FRESH	1600	2000	1800	240	2800
GUWAHATI	POTATO FRESH	1600	1700	1650	30	2200
GUWAHATI	POTATO STORE	1450	1550	1500	140	2000
JAIPUR	POTATO STORE	1150	1250	1205	220	1700
JAMMU	POTATO FRESH	1300	1400	1350	45	2000
JAMMU	POTATO STORE	1000	1200	1100	45	1400
KOLKATA	POTATO STORE	1140	1160	1150	478	1300
LUCKNOW	POTATO STORE	1200	1450	1325	30	1900
NAGPUR	POTATO STORE	1200	1600	1400	300	2000
PATNA	POTATO STORE	1125	1250	1187	45	1800
RAIPUR	POTATO STORE	1300	1400	1350	30	2000
RANCHI	POTATO STORE	1245	1300	1290	250	1600
SRINAGAR	POTATO FRESH	1000	1200	1100	70	1500
SRINAGAR	POTATO STORE	1300	1400	1350	30	1800

(Source: NHB)

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