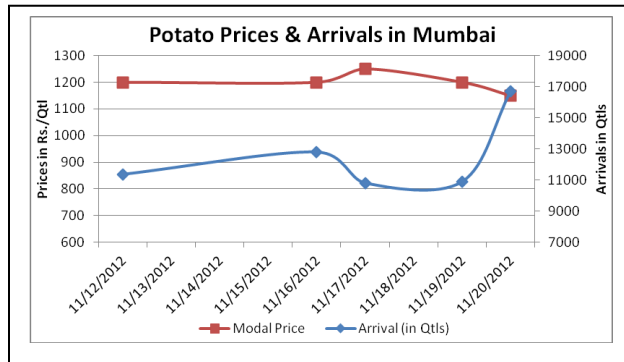
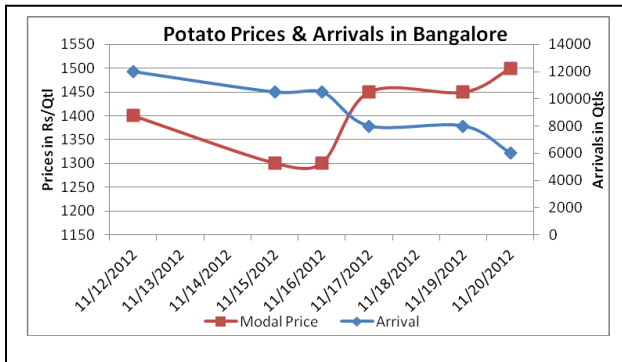
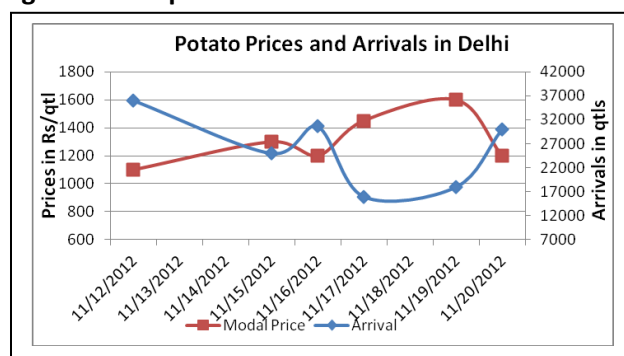
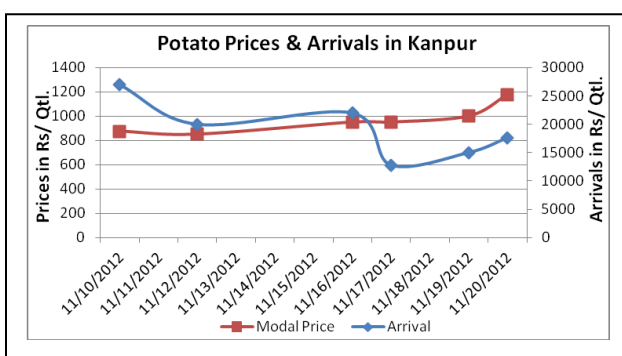


## Potato Fundamentals:

- According to trade sources, in Bihar fresh potato are expected to arrive in market in a couple of weeks.
- In Bangalore, potatoes are arriving in market from U.P and local region which are contributing approximately 65% and 35% respectively to the total arrival.
- In Bangalore, arrivals have decreased by 20% in last 3-4 days because of higher prices which are hovering in the range of Rs 1200 to Rs 1600/ quintal.
- In U.P sowing is almost completed and in few parts of Agra potato is in germination stage with a 4-6 inch average height of the plants.
- Meanwhile in retail market, prices are hovering in the range of Rs 1000 to Rs 2300/ quintal. Maximum prices were seen in Trivandrum at Rs 2300/ quintal followed by Bangalore and Guwahati each at Rs 2000/ quintal.

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandi as on 20/11/2012

Mandi	Ludhiana	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Ahmedabad	Bangalore
Price (in Qtl)	600-1250	-	1100-1200	850-1500	500-1100	800-1300	1400-1600
Arrivals (in Qtl)	3000	-	200	17600	7500	2570	6000

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandi as on 19/11/2012

Mandi	Ludhiana	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Ahmedabad	Bangalore
Price (in Qtl)	600-1250	-	1200	900-1100	500-1100	900-1300	1400-1500
Arrivals (in Qtl)	3000	-	400	15000	4000	2130	8000

(Source: Agriwatch)

## MCX- Potato Futures Analysis: (as on 20<sup>th</sup> Nov 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-Mar-13	737.2	732	5.20	14550	14550	0
POTATO	MCX	15-Apr-13	703.5	701.7	1.80	10620	10590	30
POTATO	MCX	15-May-12	725	720	5.00	3570	3330	240
				Total				270

(Source: MCX)

## Daily Price Chart of MCX- Agra March Contract:



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Potato MCX March contract, prices are continuously increasing from last 3 days which suggest that market participants are taking long positions. Prices are finding resistance at a level of 740 levels and support of 734. Prices are still in the range of Rs. 730- 740 as we were expecting earlier. RSI in upward direction is also indicating further bullishness in market for short term.

## Potato Prices in major markets – Mandi vs. Retail as on 20<sup>th</sup> November 2012

Centre Name	Variety	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Modal Price (Rs/Qtl)	Arrival (MT.)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
AGRA	POTATO STORE	850	950	900	88	1500
AHMEDABAD	POTATO STORE	800	1300	1050	257	1600
AMRITSAR	POTATO STORE	600	700	650	25	1000
BANGALORE	POTATO FRESH	1300	1500	1400	405	2000
BARAUT	POTATO STORE	1300	1400	1350	16	1800
BHOPAL	POTATO STORE	800	1000	900	160	1200
BHUBANESHWAR	POTATO STORE	1350	1400	1375	450	1600
CHENNAI	POTATO FRESH	1800	2000	1900	140	2400
DEHRADUN	POTATO FRESH	1625	1778	1725	32	2500
DEHRADUN	POTATO STORE	1185	1240	1200	22	1800
GANGATOK	POTATO STORE	1200	1600	1400	3	1900
GUWAHATI	POTATO FRESH	1400	1600	1500	60	2000
GUWAHATI	POTATO STORE	1100	1200	1150	150	1700
HYDERABAD	POTATO FRESH	800	1500	1300	170	1700
JAIPUR	POTATO FRESH	1200	1300	1255	70	2000
JAIPUR	POTATO STORE	900	1000	955	130	1500
JAMMU	POTATO FRESH	1600	1700	1650	18	2000
JAMMU	POTATO STORE	1000	1200	1100	36	1600
KOLKATA	POTATO STORE	1280	1300	1290	450	1500
LUCKNOW	POTATO STORE	1000	1250	1125	70	1500
MUMBAI	POTATO FRESH	1100	1400	1200	1672	2000
PUNE	POTATO FRESH	1200	1500	1400	765	1800
RAIPUR	POTATO STORE	1200	1350	1300	25	2000
SHIMLA	POTATO FRESH	1400	1600	1500	22	1700
SRINAGAR	POTATO FRESH	1300	1400	1350	40	1800
SRINAGAR	POTATO STORE	1500	1700	1600	70	2000
SURAT	POTATO STORE	1200	1300	1250	210	2000
TRIVANDRUM	POTATO FRESH	1650	1850	1750	20	2300

(Source: NHB)

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