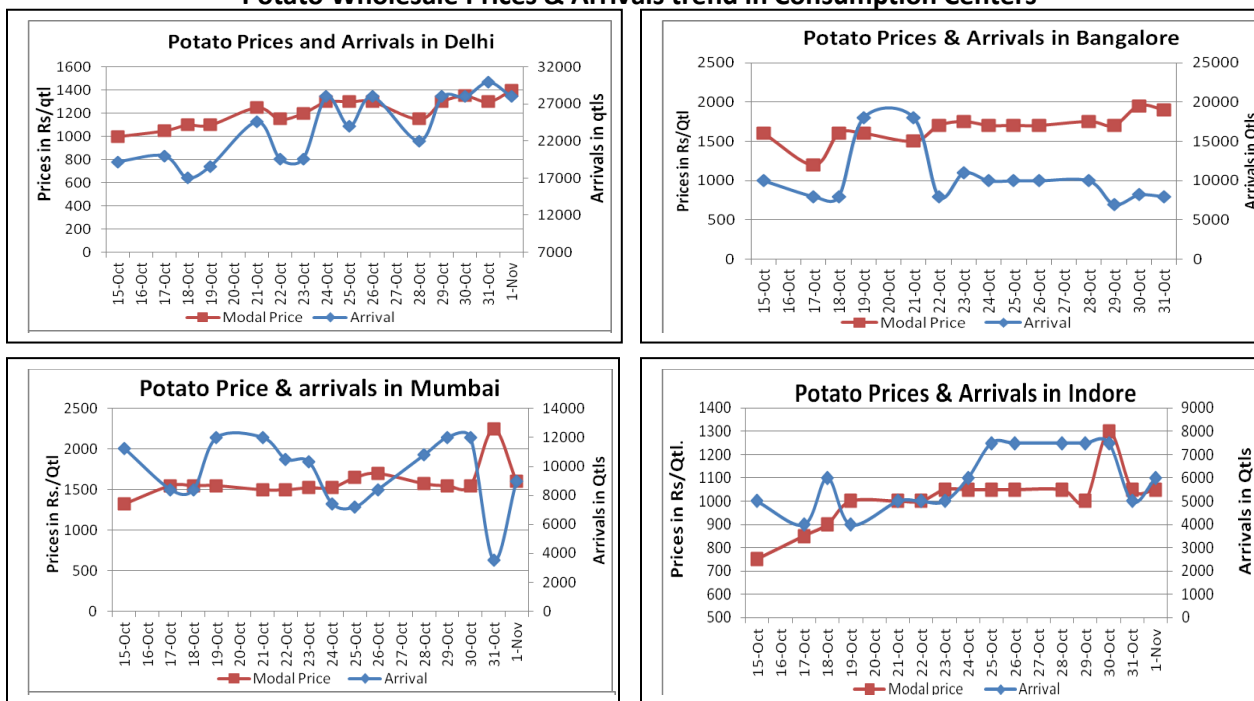


## Potato Fundamentals:

- New crop arrivals will come to the market from Punjab region from mid November.
- Lower arrivals from cold storage along with higher seed demand from major potato producing states support potato prices in the spot market.
- Sources revealed that prices of green vegetables are sky rocketing and consumer's dependence on potato has increased. It too has influenced prices. However, we expect prices to stay steady for next fifteen days. Once seed demand comes to an end, prices will start decreasing.
- New crop arrivals will come to the market from Punjab region within the next fortnight.
- Potato sowing will start after Diwali festival. In West Bengal an U.P, sowing is expected to start after 'Diwali' only which normally starts during mid of October.
- In West Bengal, Tarkeshwar market prices have reported steady at Rs. 1340/ quintal.

## Potato Wholesale Prices & Arrivals trend in Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 1.10.2013

Mandis	Burdwan(W.B)	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Bangalore
Price (Rs./Qtl)	1200	1200-1400	1300-1400	1000-1400	500-1600	1340	Closed
Arrivals (Qtl)	--	90000	400	23000	6000	--	--

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 31.10.2013

Mandis	Burdwan(W.B)	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Bangalore
Price (Rs./Qtl)	1200	1200-1300	1400-1500	1000-1400	500-1600	1340	1800-2000
Arrivals (Qtl)	--	108000	800	25000	5000	--	8000

(Source: Agriwatch)

## Potato Futures Analysis: (As on 02<sup>nd</sup> October 2013)

	Exchange	Expiry Date	Today's Close Price	Previous Close Price	Net Change	Today's Open Interest	Previous Day Open Interest	Change
POTATO	MCX	31-Mar-14	887.20	881.30	+5.9	8745	8325	+420
POTATO	MCX	30-Apr-14	851.10	848.20	+2.9	3405	3390	+15

(Source: MCX)

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



(Source: Agriwatch)

Candlestick chart pattern reveals bullish trend in the market, however prices may correct at higher levels. RSI is moving down in neutral zone indicates prices may go down in short term. Prices closed above 9 and 18 days EMAs. Volumes are not supporting the prices in the market.

## Potato Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 1 November 2013

S. No.	Centre	Min Price	Max Price	Model Price	Retail Price
1	ABOHAR	450	530	490	1500
2	AHMEDABAD	1200	1750	1475	2000
3	AMRITSAR	1000	1400	1200	2000
4	BHOPAL	1200	1400	1300	1600
5	BHUBANESHWAR	1650	1700	1675	2100
6	CHANDIGARH	875	1125	1000	2000
7	CHENNAI	1800	2000	1900	2600
8	DELHI	1000	2875	1937	3200
9	DELHI	1200	1700	1450	2200
10	GANGATOK	1400	1600	1500	2100
11	GUWAHATI	1850	2050	1950	2400
12	INDORE	500	1600	1050	2300
13	JAIPUR	1200	1350	1280	2000
14	JAMMU	2500	2600	2550	3000
15	JAMMU	1800	2000	1900	2500
16	KOLKATA	1200	1240	1220	1500
17	LUCKNOW	1100	1300	1200	1800
18	MUMBAI	1700	2000	1850	2400
19	MUMBAI	2500	3000	2850	3500
20	NASIK	1500	1700	1610	1900
21	PATNA	1300	1500	1400	1800
22	PUNE	1700	2000	1800	2500
23	RAIPUR	1500	1800	1700	2400
24	RANCHI	1400	1900	1750	2500
25	RANCHI	1380	1500	1460	1800
26	SHIMLA	2400	2600	2500	3000
27	SRINAGAR	1150	1400	1300	1800

(Source: State Civil Supplies Dept)

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