

Wheat Domestic Fundamentals:

- Spot market traded almost steady as traders are in wait and watch mode for government release price.
- There are rumors in the market are there that railway freight might be increased by 12% and Wheat release price might be reduced by Rs 100-120/Q to reduce the stocks with government and to make the way for new crop, which as of now looks in good condition and according to farmers and traders production seems to be around 95 million tonnes.
- Some Flour millers at U.P are sourcing wheat from other states due to steep rise in wheat release price by Rs 170/Q, as it is cheaper to buy wheat from M.P rather than from government. According to Flour millers, some might have to proscribe production temporarily due to higher prices.
- Wheat Spot and Futures have risen as traders and speculators are anticipating firm market due to rise in export demand and increased demand from flour millers.
- Domestic prices are unlikely to dip in near future as Wheat prices at U.P will increase due to tender price raised by Rs 170/Q to Rs 1573/Q. Buyers may turn to Rajasthan for cheaper wheat as compared to U.P and M.P Wheat.
- According to traders, from Indore Machine cleaned wheat is going to Mumbai, Karnataka, Madras and Calcutta in 5, 10 and 30 Kg Bags. Local demand is sluggish and new crop is expected to arrive by 1st week of March.
- Mill Quality wheat is being bought from Bhopal Mandi by traders and millers of Ahmadabad, Hyderabad, Mumbai and other South Indian Cities. From Bhopal Delivered price to Hyderabad is Rs 1800-1870/Q, to Ahmadabad is Rs 1750-1760/Q, to Mumbai Rs 1730-1740/Q and local prices is Rs 1400/Q. Prices are likely to be stable this week. Stocks are available in plenty at Bhopal.

International Market Update:

- US Department of Agriculture data shows that its US wheat exports were 14.5 million tonnes from June 2012 to 15 January 2013 which is 12% less as compared to previous year for the same period. CBOT is expected to fall on lower exports however current crop condition might support prices at lower levels.
- In 2012-13 Pakistan is expected to produce 23.9 million tonnes of Wheat as compared to 2011-12 25 million tonnes and wheat sown area has increased by 2.5% over 2012. The decline is seen majorly due to late sowing of wheat consequently resulting in lower yield.
- Russian wheat output fell to 39 million tonnes in 2012 due to severe drought and after exporting 9.5 million tonnes of wheat, domestic prices has been surging. Russian government is thinking to waive 5% import duty on import of wheat. The key importer of wheat to Russia is Kazakhstan, as imports from this country are exempted of customs duties.

Domestic market Outlook: We expect wheat Cash and future market to trade steady to slightly firm on strong domestic and international demand.

NCDEX Wheat Futures									
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Change	OI	Change
Feb-13	-22	1,554	1,554	1,525	1,529	3,640	120	4,990	-1,310
Mar-13	-11	1,472	1,474	1,461	1,463	1,710	70	6,740	250
Apr-13	-2	1,386	1,393	1,386	1,388	360	-70	7,940	180
May-13	-3	1,391	1,393	1,386	1,390	180	-30	3,660	20

Spread	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13
Spot	66			
Feb-13		-66		
Mar-13			-75	
Apr-13				2

Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total	FED
	31/01/2013	31/01/2013	31/01/2013	28/01/2013
Delhi	-	-	-	-
Itarsi	508	0	508	508
Kanpur	-	-	-	-
Kota	3788	0	3788	3788

CBOT Wheat Futures: Date: 31.01.2013

Contract	Open	High	Low	Close	+/-
Mar-13	786.75	791.00	773.75	779.50	-7.50
May-13	795.75	799.75	782.25	788.00	-7.75
Jul-13	799.00	803.50	786.75	793.25	-7.00
Sep-13	810.00	810.50	795.00	801.50	-6.25
Dec-13	817.50	822.75	806.75	815.00	-5.00

Wheat Daily prices and Arrival

Centre	Market	Variety	Prices (Rs/Qtl)		Change
			2/1/2013	1/31/2013	
Delhi					
	Lawrence Road	Mill Delivery	1595	1595	Unch
	Nazafgarh	Mill Quality Loose	1550	1550	Unch
	Narella	Mill Quality Loose	1540	1540	Unch
Gujarat	Rajkot	Mill Delivery	1700	1700	Unch
	Ahmedabad	Mill Delivery	1725	1725	Unch
	Surat	Mill Delivery	1750	1770	-20
M.P.	Bhopal	Lokwan	1675	1650	25
	Indore	Mill Delivery	1625	1625	Unch
Rajasthan	Kota	Mill Delivery	1640	1640	Unch
U.P.	Kanpur	Mill Delivery	1560	1560	Unch
	Mathura	Mill Quality Loose	1520	1525	-5
	Kosi	Mill Delivery	1700	1700	Unch
Punjab	Khanna	Mill Quality Loose	1500	1500	Unch
	(Ludhiana)Jagraon	Mill Delivery	1560	1560	Unch
Haryana	Sirsa	Mill Delivery loose	1525	1520	5
	Hodal	Mill Delivery	1580	1580	Unch
	Panipat	Mill Quality Loose	-	-	-
	Karnal	Mill Quality	-	-	-
Tamil Nadu	Chennai	Mill Quality	1850	1850	Unch
	Madurai	Mill Quality	1900	1900	Unch
	Coimbatore	Mill Quality	1900	1900	Unch
Chattisgah	Raipur	Mill Quality	1550	1550	Unch

Bihar	Begusarai	Mill Quality	1455	1455	Unch
FOR	Kandla(Rajasthan-Kota)	Mill Quality	1710	1710	Unch
	Gandhidham(Rajasthan-Kota)	Mill Quality	1710	1710	Unch

Centre	Market	Variety	Arrivals (Bags/Qtl)		Change
Delhi			2/1/2013	1/31/2013	
	Lawrence Road	Mill Delivery	1500	2000	-500
	Nazafgarh	Mill Quality Loose	100	100	Unch
	Narella	Mill Quality Loose	300	150	150
Gujarat	Rajkot	Mill Delivery	-	-	-
	Ahmadabad	Mill Delivery	-	-	-
M.P.	Bhopal	Lokwan	-	-	-
	Indore	Mill Delivery	-	-	-
Rajasthan	Kota	Mill Quality	4000	4000	Unch
U.P.	Kanpur	Mill Delivery	500	600	-100
Punjab	Khanna	Mill Quality Loose	200	200	Unch
Haryana	Sirsa	Mill Quality Loose	200	200	Unch
	Hodal	Mill Delivery loose	100	50	50
	Panipat	Mill Quality Loose	-	-	-
	Karnal	Mill Delivery Loose	-	-	-

Wheat Products Delhi	2/1/2013	1/31/2013	Change
Atta (50kg) Ordinary	915	915	Unch
Maida Grade 1 (90kg)	1887	1887	Unch
Maida Grade 1 (50KG)	1030	1030	Unch
Suji (50kg)	1105	1105	Unch
Chokar (50 kg)	675	675	Unch
Chokar (34 kg)	471	471	Unch
Chakki Atta (50kg)	935	935	Unch
Chakki Atta (50kg) Special	935	935	Unch
Chakki Atta (90kg) Superfine	1740	1740	Unch
Chakki Atta (50kg) Superfine	940	940	Unch

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