

BLACK PEPPER

Fundamentals:

Today's Update:

- Steady sentiment was witnessed in Black pepper spot markets on Thursday.
- Increased availability of imported pepper in the spot markets put pressure on domestic prices. Buyers are reported inactive in the spot markets due to continuous supply.
- According to statistics from China Customs, China imported a total of 2,317 tonnes of pepper from January to April 2023, which was down 22.8% compared to the same period last year.

Previous Update:

As per current situation, AgriWatch expects India's pepper production for 2022-23 likely to be around 52,000 to 53,000 MT. Last year production was 57,000 to 58,000 MT.

Black Pepper Spot Market Prices (Loose): (Rs/Qtl)									
State	Centre	Grade	22-Jun-23	21-Jun-23	Change				
Kerala	Kochi Benchmark market	Ungarbled	48800	48800	Unch				
		Garbled	50800	50800	Unch				
Karnataka	Chikmagalur	Ungarbled	49500	49500	Unch				
	New Delhi	Unpolished	NA	NA	-				
Delhi		550 GL	54000	54000	Unch				
		Number 11.5	56000	56000	Unch				
	Arrivals & Off-take in Tons								
State	Centre	Parameter	22-Jun-23	21-Jun-23	Change				
Kerala	Kochi	Arrivals	22	24	-2				
		Off-take	22	24	-2				

Black Pepper FOB Prices (USD/MT)										
Date	Brazil ASTA 570	ex Kochi (India) ASTA	Lampung (Indonesia) ASTA 570	Kuching (Sarawak, Malaysia) ASTA	Ho Chi Minh (Vietnam) 500g/I	Ho Chi Minh 550g/l				
16-06-23	3350	6154	3748	4900	3500	3600				
19-06-23	3350	6154	3748	4900	3500	3600				
20-06-23	3350	6183	3739	4900	3500	3600				
21-06-23	3350	6183	3739	4900	3500	3600				
22-06-23	3350	6183	3739	4900	3500	3600				

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