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Castor Daily Fundamental Report 16th Nov, 2015

Castor Domestic Fundamentals:

- No major activities were reported. Mostly cash market remained closed due to continuous series of holidays this week. Fresh trading activities are expected from next week. Overall sentiments remain firm. Seed prices are unlikely to decrease as oil export figure has increased 43.10 % from last week to 18139.40 tonne in the week ending 8th Nov-2015.
- **Castor oil export during week ending** ⁸ **Nov was registered higher by 41.1** % to 18139.4 tonne at an Average FoB price of \$1361.07 per T. India had exported 12675.93 tonne oil during the week ending1st Nov-2015. However, price realization has decreased by 0.35 percent last week. As prices of seed are expected to increase, FoB quotes are bound to trade firm once again.
- Castor Oil FoB quote increased to \$1300 per Tonne at Kandla port. FoB quote may increase by \$10 to 15 per tonne this week as seed price has increased 4 percent in last one week. Castor oil commercial grade is being traded at 86000 per tonne in domestic market. It may move up too as seed offtake by paints has increased considerably last week.
- Castor coverage area as on 8th Oct-2015 was reported at 11.02 lakh ha, higher by 0.82 lakh ha from corresponding date last year. I t was registered at 10.19 lakh ha on 8th oct-2014. Rajasthan has covered 1.98 lakh ha, higher by 32.89 percent from last year. Gujarat has covered 6.4 percent higher area to 7.81 lakh ha. Coverage area has increased by 6.67 percent to 0.48 percent.
- Agriculture statistics Division, DES has released its ^{1st} Adv estimates of Production of food-grains for 2015-16 on 16.09.2015. It has estimated 19.44 lakh tonne seed production this year. The production target for 2015-16 has been fixed at 20.34 lakh ton. India has produced 19.63 lakh tonne castor seed in 2014-15 as per revised ^{1st} Adv estimate. Private trade estimate for the year is much lower and is between 15 to 16 lakh tonne for 2015-16. However, it is too early to talk about the final size as sowing is just over.

International Market Update:

- Netherland , China And USA brought 6937.7,6689.47 and 210 tonne oil last week respectively at an average FoB quote of \$1361.1 per Tonne. This week buying would remain slow dure to holidays.
- India Castor oil in Rotterdam increased from \$1525 to \$1540 per tonne in last one week and may trade up in the weeks ahead. It was being traded at \$1500 per tonne in Sept, 2015.

| NCDEX Castor Futures | | | | Date:13.11.2015 | | | | | |
|----------------------|-----|------|------|-----------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Contract | +/- | Open | High | Low | Close | Volume | Change | OI | Change |
| Nov-15 | -10 | 4317 | 4317 | 4264 | 4297 | 21190 | -8450 | 127690 | -12075 |
| Dec-15 | -03 | 4382 | 4388 | 4335 | 4371 | 42370 | -16500 | 258760 | 24250 |
| Jan-16 | -10 | 4450 | 4452 | 4411 | 4446 | 2530 | -21 40 | 62090 | 22765 |

Domestic market Outlook: Market is likely to trade steady to slightly weak in the next trading session

| Spread | 15-Nov | 15-Dec | 16-Jan |
|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Deesa(remained closed) | | | |
| Nov-15 | | | |
| Dec-15 | | | |
| Jan-16 | | | |



| NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- as on Nov. 13th 2015 | | | | | | |
|---|-------|-------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Stocks | Demat | In- Process | Total | | | |
| Bhabhar | 1743 | 151 | 1894 | | | |
| Deesa | 17101 | 282 | 17383 | | | |
| Kadi | 48367 | 5115 | 53482 | | | |
| Patan | 62680 | 3380 | 66060 | | | |

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on Nov 09, 2015

| FED | Bhabhar | Deesa | Kadi | Patan | Total |
|----------|---------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 5-Dec-15 | 585 | 3729 | 9470 | 13132 | 26916 |
| 5-Jan-16 | 30 | 4287 | 4759 | 6003 | 15079 |
| 5-Feb-16 | 60 | 2745 | 6821 | 7152 | 16778 |
| 5-Mar-16 | 958 | 3098 | 11256 | 14161 | 29473 |
| 5-Apr-16 | 292 | 534 | 5782 | 8526 | 15134 |
| 5-May-16 | 60 | 1561 | 9139 | 10902 | 21662 |
| Total | 1985 | 15954 | 47227 | 59876 | 125042 |

Castor Seed Prices at Key Spot Markets:

| Commodity | Market | Price (Rs/ | Change | |
|-------------|--------------|------------|-----------|--------|
| Center | Market | 14-Nov-15 | 13-Nov-15 | Unange |
| Rajasthan | Sumerpur | Closed | Closed | - |
| Najastilali | Jodhpur | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Ahmedabad | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Halvad | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Rajkot | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Gondal | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Patan | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Harij | Closed | Closed | - |
| Gujarat | Mehsana | Closed | Closed | - |
| Gujarat | Kadi | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Deesa | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Bhabar | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Sabarkatha | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Gandhi Nagar | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Junagadh | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Dhrol | Closed | Closed | - |



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|------------------------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|--------|
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| | Patan | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Harij | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Mehsana | Closed | Closed | - |
| Gujarat | Kadi | Closed | Closed | - |
| Gujarat | Deesa | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Bhabar | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Sabarkatha | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Gandhi Nagar | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Junagadh | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Dhrol | Closed | Closed | - |
| | Ahm(Sanand) | Closed | Closed | - |
| Total Arrivals/Above Markets | | - | - | - |

Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Note: We have incorporated traded quantity of seed in particular mandis. It does not signify the total arrivals

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