



Domestic Market Update:

- All castor cash markets traded steady today with lower arrival.
- All India arrival of castor seed today is 1743 which are down by 5192 quintal from last day arrival of 6934 quintals.
- Castor seed area as on 06th October-2017 is around 8.44 lakh hectares which is down by 16.19% normal area as on date of 10.07 lakh hectares and down by 1.79% from last year area till date of 8.59 lakh hectares.
- Exports of castor oil, was reported at 44,591 tonnes in September – a bit higher than the same month of last year. For the six months – April-September – castor oil exports touched 2,70,000 tonnes, which is about 15,000 tonnes lesser than what was seen during the same period last year. The main export destination for castor oil is China, followed by Netherlands, US and France.
- India's Castor production is estimated at around 13.96-lakh tonnes, according to the first advance estimate of the government for the year 2017-18. This is, however, lower than the fourth advanced estimate of 2016-17 crop of 14.21-lakh tonnes.

NCDEX Castor Futures						Date: 03.11.2017	
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
Nov-17	+17.00	4393	4469	4388	4410	14360	49110
Dec-17	+22.00	4444	4490	4431	4457	15730	61540
Jan-18	+37.00	4461	4522	4492	4498	140	1050

NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- as on 3rd November, 2017

Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total
Bhabhar	161	0	161
Deesa	5808	20	5828
Kadi	9777	110	9887
Patan	24695	80	24775

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on 30th October, 2017

FED	Bhabhar	Deesa	Kadi	Patan	Total
5-Nov-17	101	91	324	81	597
5-Dec-17	121	81	302	81	585
5-Jan-18	40	473	20	91	624

5-Feb-18	-	3033	50	767	3850
5-Mar-18	-	2100	4505	17799	24404
5-Apr-18	-	-	4466	5585	10051
5-May-18	-	-	71	292	363
Total	262	5778	9738	24696	40474

Castor Seed Prices at Key Spot Markets:

Commodity/Center	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)				Change
		4-Nov-17		3-Nov-17		
	Castor Seed	Low	High	Low	High	
Gujarat	Patan	Closed	Closed	4300	4400	-
	Harij	Closed	Closed	NR	NR	-
	Rajkot	4080	4200	4085	4205	-5
	Gondal	3705	4155	NR	NR	-
	Deesa	4350	4425	4350	4450	-25
	Bhabar	Closed	Closed	3300	4350	-
	Mehsana	Closed	Closed	4250	4300	-
	Kadi	Closed	Closed	4250	4350	-
	Sabarkatha	4325	4350	4325	4350	Unch
	Gandhi Nagar	Closed	Closed	4350	4400	-
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	NA	NA	4150	4290	-
	Halvad	Closed	Closed	4125	4350	-
	Junagadh	NA	NA	3900	4100	-
	Dhrol	NR	NR	NA	NA	-
	Rajasthan	Jodhpur	NA	NA	4240	4300
Sumerpur		Closed	Closed	4120	4150	-

Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Center	Market	Fig. in Quintal		Change
		4-Nov-17	3-Nov-17	
Gujarat	Patan	Closed	1875	-
	Harij	Closed	NR	-
	Rajkot	150	190	-40
	Gondal	290	NR	-
	Deesa	1280	1320	-
	Bhabar	Closed	700	-
	Mehsana	Closed	263	-
	Kadi	Closed	2080	-

	Sabarkatha	23	75	-52
	Gandhi Nagar	Closed	150	-
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	NA	2	-
	Halvad	Closed	75	-
	Junagadh	NA	50	-
	Dhrol	NR	NA	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	NA	75	-
	Sumerpur	Closed	80	-
Total Arrivals/Above Markets		1743	6935	-5192

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

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