



Domestic Market Update:

- Firm sentiments recorded in castor spot markets on Monday with lower arrival.
- All India arrival of castor seed today is 8989 quintals which are down by 1572 quintal from last day arrival of 10561 quintals.
- Castor seed prices drifted lower by Rs 39 to Rs 4,142 per quintal in futures trade recently on liquidation of positions by the speculators in line with weak physical market. Fall in castor seed futures was mostly attributed to a weak trend at the spot market due to low demand from consuming industries amid increased supplies in spot market.
- All India average castor price is around Rs.3843/quintal which is up from last week price of Rs.3800/quintal and down by 1.7% from same period last year price of Rs.3910/quintal.
- 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.

NCDEX Castor Futures						Date: 09.02.2018	
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
Feb-18	--13.00	4118	4140	4072	4100	15470	19610
Mar-17	-06.00	4196	4226	4158	4184	27220	59880
Apr-18	-04.00	4250	4285	4230	4254	650	1830



NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- As on 10th January, 2018

Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total
Bhabhar	485	0	485
Deesa	3357	0	3357
Kadi	7008	50	7058
Patan	15010	10	15020

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on 5th February, 2018

FED	Bhabhar	Deesa	Kadi	Patan	Total
5-Feb-18	-	-	20	-	20
5-Mar-18	-	1390	1095	7590	10075
5-Apr-18	-	1826	3451	4419	9696
5-May-18	-	101	851	1352	2304
5-Jun-18	313	40	1304	1790	3447
5-Jul-18	101	-	494	545	1140
5-Aug-18	-	-	162	100	262
Total	414	3357	7377	15796	26944

Castor Seed Prices at Key Spot Markets:

Commodity/Center	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)				Change
		12-Feb-18		10-Feb-18		
	Castor Seed	Low	High	Low	High	
Gujarat	Patan	4050	4125	4000	4100	25
	Harij	4050	4100	4000	4075	25
	Rajkot	3770	3950	3750	4025	-75
	Gondal	NR	NR	NR	NR	-
	Deesa	4025	4105	4025	4065	40
	Bhabar	4075	4110	4000	4090	20
	Mehsana	3975	4035	3960	4025	10
	Kadi	Closed	Closed	3950	4085	-
	Sabarkatha	4025	4050	4000	4025	25
	Gandhi Nagar	4025	4100	4025	4075	25
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	0	0	NA	NA	-
	Halvad	3750	4025	3875	4050	-25
	Junagadh	3750	4000	3750	4000	Unch
	Dhrol	0	0	NA	NA	-
	Rajasthan	Jodhpur	NR	NR	NR	NR
Sumerpur		4000	4025	3975	4000	25



Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Center	Market	Fig. in Quintal		Change
		12-Feb-18	10-Feb-18	
Gujarat	Patan	4125	2100	2025
	Harij	375	900	-525
	Rajkot	365	240	125
	Gondal	NR	NR	-
	Deesa	1136	996	140
	Bhabar	640	1570	-930
	Mehsana	563	487.5	75
	Kadi	Closed	2920	-
	Sabarkatha	200	160	40
	Gandhi Nagar	488	300	188
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	0	NA	-
	Halvad	263	188	75
	Junagadh	35	60	-25
	Dhrol	0	NA	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	NR	NR	-
	Sumerpur	800	640	160
Total Arrivals/Above Markets		8989	10561	-1572

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