



Domestic Market Update:

- Firm sentiments recorded in castor cash market today with lower arrival.
- All India arrival of castor seed today is 11809 quintals which are down by 1913 quintal from last day arrival of 13722 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: 17.02.2018	
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
Feb-18	+103.00	4071	4174	4121	4174	400	2240
Mar-17	+75.00	4140	4224	4138	4210	24140	62260
Apr-18	+75.00	4220	4286	4208	4274	3890	5850



NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- As on 16thFebruary, 2018

Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total
Bhabhar	485	0	485
Deesa	3357	0	3357
Kadi	7048	40	7088
Patan	14696	30	14726

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on 12th February, 2018

FED	Bhabhar	Deesa	Kadi	Patan	Total
5-Mar-18	-	1390	552	6691	8633
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	71	-	354	120	545
Total	485	3357	7006	14917	25765

Castor Seed Prices at Key Spot Markets:

Commodity/Center	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)				Change
		17-Feb-18		16-Feb-18		
	Castor Seed	Low	High	Low	High	
Gujarat	Patan	4000	4125	3950	4100	25
	Harij	4000	4125	3950	4025	100
	Rajkot	3525	3965	3445	3875	90
	Gondal	NR	NR	NR	NR	-
	Deesa	NR	NR	3950	4035	-
	Bhabar	4075	4125	3990	4035	90
	Mehsana	3975	4040	3950	4000	40
	Kadi	4025	4135	3900	4065	70
	Sabarkatha	4050	4075	3950	3975	100
	Gandhi Nagar	3975	4050	4000	4050	Unch
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	NR	NR	3880	3925	-
	Halvad	Closed	Closed	3800	3975	-
	Junagadh	NR	NR	NA	NA	-
	Dhrol	NA	NA	3500	3650	-
	Rajasthan	Jodhpur	4120	4130	4110	4130
Sumerpur		4025	4050	3990	4000	50

Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Center	Market	Fig. in Quintal		Change
		17-Feb-18	16-Feb-18	
Gujarat	Patan	1875	2250	-375
	Harij	600	600	Unch
	Rajkot	456	435	21
	Gondal	NR	NR	-
	Deesa	NR	838	-
	Bhabar	1440	1000	440
	Mehsana	375	600	-225
	Kadi	3400	3680	-280
	Sabarkatha	160	240	-80
	Gandhi Nagar	300	525	-225
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	NR	24	-
	Halvad	Closed	338	-
	Junagadh	NR	NA	-
	Dhrol	NA	6	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	90	98	-8
	Sumerpur	1200	1200	Unch
Total Arrivals/Above Markets		9896	11833	-1937

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