

Domestic Market Update:

- Firm sentiments recorded in castor cash markets today with lower arrival.
- All India Castor seed arrival is 29747 quintals which is down by 1067 quintals from last day arrival of 30813 quintals.
- According to the Solvent Extractors' Association of India (SEA), Castor seed production in 2017-18 is expected to stand up by around 34% to 14.3 lakh tons compared to 13.96 lakh tons of govt. estimates. The survey conducted by SEA revealed that the area under castor increased by a tad 2.9 per cent from 7, 99,540 hectares in 2016-17 to 8, 22,790 hectares as per the State governments' estimates for the 2017-18 kharif seasons.
- 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: 25.04.2018	
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
May-18	+13.00	4078	4107	4075	4090	16420	64490
June-18	+17.00	4129	4157	4129	4143	4680	37100
July-18	+07.00	4176	4183	4183	4183	20	120

NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- As on 26 th April, 2018			
Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total
Bhabhar	2289	314	2603
Deesa	2005	755	2760
Kadi	6040	891	6931
Patan	18227	2621	20848

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on 24th April, 2018					
FED	Bhabhar	Deesa	Kadi	Patan	Total
5-May-18	-	101	851	1282	2234
5-Jun-18	283	40	1154	1609	3086
5-Jul-18	101	-	494	545	1140
5-Aug-18	71	-	466	161	698
5-Sep-18	20	-	280	20	320
5-Oct-18	1814	736	1522	7369	11441
5-Nov-18	-	292	1060	3057	4409
	-	-	-	-	-
Total	2289	1169	5827	14043	23328

Castor Seed Prices at Key Spot Markets:

Commodity/Center	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)	Change
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	Castor Seed	27-Apr-18		26-Apr-18		
		Low	High	Low	High	
Gujarat	Patan	3800	3850	3800	3850	Unch
	Harij	3850	3890	3825	3850	40
	Rajkot	3550	3740	3500	3740	Unch
	Gondal	NR	NR	NR	NR	-
	Deesa	3875	3920	3850	3900	20
	Bhabar	3775	3825	3775	3825	Unch
	Mehsana	3875	3900	3825	3875	25
	Kadi	3860	3885	3810	3865	20
	Sabarkatha	3900	3925	3850	3900	25
	Gandhi Nagar	3875	3925	3825	3850	75
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	3810	3825	3755	3775	50
	Halvad	3625	3875	3675	3850	25
	Junagadh	3600	3830	3575	3770	60
	Dhrol	NA	NA	3350	3715	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	NR	NR	3940	3950	-
	Sumerpur	3790	3800	3800	3825	-25

Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Center	Market	Fig. in Quintal		Change
		27-Apr-18	26-Apr-18	
Gujarat	Patan	10875	11250	-375
	Harij	2250	1500	750
	Rajkot	400	485	-85
	Gondal	NR	NR	-
	Deesa	1333	1109	224
	Bhabar	4960	4960	Unch
	Mehsana	1500	1500	Unch
	Kadi	3560	4320	-760
	Sabarkatha	800	1200	-400
	Gandhi Nagar	1125	1125	Unch
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	24	32	-8
	Halvad	1500	1875	-375
	Junagadh	220	85	135
	Dhrol	NA	60	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	NR	113	-
	Sumerpur	1200	1200	Unch
Total Arrivals/Above Markets		29747	30813	-1067

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

the total arrivals

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