

## **Domestic Market Update:**

- Prices reported firm in most of the markets amid mixed arrivals in market.
- All India arrivals reported higher today compared to previous day.
- Castor of oil exports from India increased for 5<sup>th</sup> consecutive year in 2017-18 to 5.9 lakh tones (Apr-Feb), up by 18% from 2013-14. Since 2013-14, export volume is increasing at an average of 4% annually.
- Export price of castor oil increased about 30% on year to Rs 96,254 per ton in 2017-18.
- Castor seed area as on 06<sup>th</sup> 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: 22.05.2018					2018		
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
May-18	+9.00	4018	4058	4022	4030	13080	95270
June-18	+8.00	4071	4097	4073	4077	5700	22150
July-18	+14.00	4112	4126	4112	4126	-	90

NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- As on 22 <sup>nd</sup> May, 2018						
Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total			
Bhabhar	3344	30	3374			
Deesa	4303	151	4454			
Kadi	7319	100	7419			
Patan	27832	403	28235			

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on 21st May, 2018						
FED	Bhabhar	Deesa	Kadi	Patan	Total	
5-Jun-18	283	40	1154	1569	3046	
5-Jul-18	101	1	494	545	1140	
5-Aug-18	71	1	466	161	698	
5-Sep-18	20	1	280	20	320	
5-Oct-18	1814	736	1522	7369	11441	
5-Nov-18	903	3387	3322	17936	25548	
5-Dec-18	71	141	-	141	353	
Total	3263	7238	7238	27741	42546	



**Castor Seed Prices at Key Spot Markets:** 

·	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)				
Commodity/Center	Market	23-May-18		22-May-18		Change
	Castor Seed	Low	High	Low	High	
	Patan	3825	3875	3825	3875	Unch
	Harij	3900	3925	3850	3875	50
	Rajkot	3575	3760	3555	3780	-20
	Gondal	3350	3800	3000	3800	Unch
	Deesa	3860	3920	3825	3875	45
	Bhabar	3850	3885	3800	3840	45
Gujarat	Mehsana	3850	3900	3825	3875	25
Gujarat	Kadi	3900	3955	3825	3870	85
	Sabarkatha	3900	3925	3850	3850	75
	Gandhi Nagar	3875	3925	3875	3900	25
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	3800	3805	3755	3785	20
	Halvad	3625	3975	3675	3825	150
	Junagadh	3400	3790	3500	3775	15
	Dhrol	NR	NR	3250	3540	-
Paiasthan	Jodhpur	NR	NR	3890	3900	-
Rajasthan	Sumerpur	3825	3850	3800	3825	25

**Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:** 

Center	Manhat	Fig. in	Fig. in Quintal		
Center	Market	23-May-18	22-May-18	Change	
	Patan	7500	7875	-375	
	Harij	1350	1500	-150	
	Rajkot	600	350	250	
	Gondal	344	593	-249	
	Deesa	1803	1328	475	
	Bhabar	3040	3200	-160	
Gujarat	Mehsana	900	1350	-450	
	Kadi	4320	4080	240	
	Sabarkatha	560	800	-240	
	Gandhi Nagar	750	1125	-375	
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	8	40	-32	
	Halvad	375	338	38	
	Junagadh	240	185	55	
	Dhrol	NR	29	-	
Dajasthan	Jodhpur	NR	60	-	
Rajasthan	Sumerpur	1200	1600	-400	
Total Arrivals/Above Markets		22990	24453	-1462	

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



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