



Domestic Market Update:

- Mixed market sentiments reported on Thursday.
- In Rajasthan, higher arrivals reported in Jodhpur and Sumerpur markets.
- All India arrivals reported higher today compared to previous day.
- Castor oil exports from India increased for 5th 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 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: 24.05.2018	
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
June-18	-39	4050	4051	4011	4014	17760	84680
July-18	-41	4097	4097	4060	4060	9800	31790
Aug-18	-42	4115	4115	4115	4115	10	160

NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- As on 23rdMay, 2018			
Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total
Bhabhar	3243	30	3273
Deesa	4364	142	4506
Kadi	7269	100	7369
Patan	28074	293	28367

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on 21 st May, 2018					
FED	Bhabhar	Deesa	Kadi	Patan	Total
5-Jun-18	283	40	1154	1569	3046
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	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:

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Commodity/Center	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)				Change
		24-May-18		23-May-18		
	Castor Seed	Low	High	Low	High	
Gujarat	Patan	3800	3850	3825	3875	-25
	Harij	3885	3910	3900	3925	-15
	Rajkot	3600	3765	3575	3760	5
	Gondal	3055	3830	3350	3800	30
	Deesa	3850	3900	3860	3920	-20
	Bhabar	3825	3850	3850	3885	-35
	Mehsana	3750	3860	3850	3900	-40
	Kadi	3875	3930	3900	3955	-25
	Sabarkatha	3880	3895	3900	3925	-30
	Gandhi Nagar	3850	3900	3875	3925	-25
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	3840	3855	3800	3805	50
	Halvad	3625	3800	3625	3975	-175
	Junagadh	3400	3805	3400	3790	15
	Dhrol	NA	NA	3330	3595	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	NA	NA	NR	NR	-
	Sumerpur	3800	3820	3825	3850	-30

Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Center	Market	Fig. in Quintal		Change
		24-May-18	23-May-18	
Gujarat	Patan	7125	7500	-375
	Harij	1125	1350	-225
	Rajkot	500	600	-100
	Gondal	250	344	-94
	Deesa	773	1803	-1030
	Bhabar	2800	3040	-240
	Mehsana	1350	900	450
	Kadi	4960	4320	640
	Sabarkatha	960	560	400
	Gandhi Nagar	900	750	150
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	28	8	20
	Halvad	2250	375	1875
	Junagadh	140	240	-100
	Dhrol	NA	19	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	NA	NR	-
	Sumerpur	1600	1200	400
Total Arrivals/Above Markets		24761	23009	1752

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

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