

Domestic Market Update:

- Castor seed turned weak and prices fell by Rs 56 to Rs 4,424 per quintal in futures trade today on profit-booking by speculators amid a weak trend at the physical markets.
- Offloading of positions by investors to book profits coupled with a weak trend at the spot markets due to muted demand from consuming industries, led to the fall in castor seed prices.
- Weak sentiments recorded in cash markets with higher arrival.
- All India Castor seed arrival is 14304 quintals which is up by 1656 quintals from last day arrival of 12648 quintals.
- As on 13th July-2018, about 1.66 lakh hectare area coverage under oilseeds has been reported compared to normal of corresponding week (2.20 Lakh ha), thus 0.55 lakh hectares less area has been covered compared to normal of corresponding week. The area has mainly been reported from the states of Karnataka (0.89 lakh hectares under all oilseeds and under castor seed it is 0.02 lakh hectares).

NCDEX Castor Futures						Date: 17.07.2018	
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
July-18	-45.00	4445	4461	4413	4435	780	970
Aug-18	-53.00	4515	4437	4459	4459	44640	131080
Sept-18	-51.00	4538	4543	4479	4502	3150	7150

NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- As on 16 th July, 2018			
Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total
Bhabhar	3577	61	3638
Deesa	4902	283	5185
Kadi	5847	395	6242
Patan	27689	1048	28737

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on 16th July, 2018					
FED	Bhabhar	Deesa	Kadi	Patan	Total
5-Aug-18	-	-	375	111	486
5-Sep-18	-	-	61	-	61
5-Oct-18	1803	373	857	5241	8274
5-Nov-18	903	3387	3312	17351	24953
5-Dec-18	456	890	362	2567	4275
5-Jan-19	415	252	880	2419	3966
Total	3577	4902	5847	27689	42015

Castor Seed Prices in Key Centers:

Commodity/Center	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)	Change
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	Castor Seed	17-Jul-18		16-Jul-18		
		Low	High	Low	High	
Gujarat	Patan	4225	4275	4125	4200	75
	Harij	4250	4290	4250	4290	Unch
	Rajkot	3875	4160	3650	4155	5
	Gondal	4000	4255	4050	4300	-45
	Deesa	4210	4255	4250	4285	-30
	Bhabar	4200	4260	4225	4275	-15
	Mehsana	4200	4240	4225	4265	-25
	Kadi	4250	4300	4225	4300	Unch
	Sabarkatha	4325	4350	4300	4350	Unch
	Gandhi Nagar	4300	4350	4300	4325	25
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	NA	NA	4150	4150	-
	Halvad	4125	4275	3975	4250	25
	Junagadh	3750	4125	NA	NA	-
	Dhrol	3500	3620	3650	3875	-255
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	4400	4410	4410	4420	-10
	Sumerpur	4200	4225	4200	4250	-25

Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Center	Market	Fig. in Quintal		Change
		17-Jul-18	16-Jul-18	
Gujarat	Patan	3375	1875	1500
	Harij	375	300	75
	Rajkot	125	360	-235
	Gondal	250	300	-50
	Deesa	387	475	-88
	Bhabar	5440	4400	1040
	Mehsana	1050	450	600
	Kadi	2560	3680	-1120
	Sabarkatha	160	120	40
	Gandhi Nagar	263	300	-38
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	NA	1	-
	Halvad	75	75	Unch
	Junagadh	8	NA	-
	Dhrol	1	4	-3
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	75	68	8

	Sumerpur	160	240	-80
Total Arrivals/Above Markets		14304	12648	1656

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

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