

Domestic Market Update:

- Castor seed prices drifted lower by Rs 21 to Rs 4,532 per quintal in futures trade today as participant's trimmed positions amid a weak spot cues.
- The fall in castor seed prices in futures trade to cutting down of bets by participants due to muted demand from consuming industries such as soap and paint, against ample stocks.
- Weak sentiments recorded in cash markets with lower arrival.
- All India Castor seed arrival is 7723 quintals which is down by 4326 quintals from last day arrival of 12049 quintals.
- All India castor seed sowing as on 20th July-2018 was 0.63 lakh hectares which is down by around 50% from last year corresponding period area of 1.25 lakh hectares and around 42% down by normal area o corresponding period. Lower area is reported from the states of Telangana, Gujarat and Telangana, while higher acreage is only reported from Andhra Pradesh.

NCDEX Castor Futures						Date: 24.07.2018	
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
Aug-18	-42.00	4557	4595	4497	4509	68380	116750
Sept-18	-39.00	4594	4632	4537	4549	23130	30930
Oct-18	-13.00	4625	4612	4612	4612	10	20

NCDEX Warehouse Stocks (in MT):- As on 24 th July, 2018			
Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total
Bhabhar	3648	0	3648
Deesa	5519	272	5791
Kadi	6465	324	6789
Patan	27916	646	28562

NCDEX Castor FED Wise Stock Position (Qty in MT) on 23rd 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	5221	8254
5-Nov-18	903	3387	3312	15886	23488
5-Dec-18	456	890	362	2436	4144
5-Jan-19	486	607	1143	3709	5945
5-Feb-19	-	262	355	393	
Total	3648	5519	6465	27689	43388

Castor Seed Prices in Key Centers:

Commodity/Center	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)				Change
		25-Jul-18		24-Jul-18		
	Castor Seed	Low	High	Low	High	
Gujarat	Patan	4200	4250	4275	4325	-75
	Harij	4200	4225	4250	4325	-100
	Rajkot	Closed	Closed	3725	4350	-
	Gondal	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	-
	Deesa	4235	4275	4300	4300	-25
	Bhabar	4200	4275	4250	4325	-50
	Mehsana	4225	4275	4275	4320	-45
	Kadi	4200	4290	4250	4375	-85
	Sabarkatha	4310	4350	4325	4375	-25
	Gandhi Nagar	4250	4275	4275	4300	-25
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	NA	NA	NA	NA	-
	Halvad	3800	4200	4000	4245	-45
	Junagadh	NA	NA	NA	NA	-
	Dhrol	3600	3765	NA	NA	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	4300	4300	4250	4300	Unch
	Sumerpur	4200	4225	4250	4250	-25

Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Center	Market	Fig. in Quintal		Change
		25-Jul-18	24-Jul-18	
Gujarat	Patan	2250	3000	-750
	Harij	450	488	-38
	Rajkot	Closed	76	-
	Gondal	Closed	Closed	-
	Deesa	453	880	-427
	Bhabar	2400	1440	960
	Mehsana	600	900	-300
	Kadi	640	4000	-3360
	Sabarkatha	160	160	Unch
	Gandhi Nagar	525	525	Unch
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	NA	NA	-
	Halvad	90	360	-270
	Junagadh	NA	NA	-
	Dhrol	1	NA	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	75	60	15
	Sumerpur	80	160	-80



Total Arrivals/Above Markets	7723	12049	-4326
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Note: We have incorporated traded quantity of seed in particular mandis. It does not signify the total arrivals

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