

Domestic Market Update:

- With lower arrival on Thursday, Castor seed price market traded weak.
- All India Castor seed arrival today is 5605 quintals which is down by 6459 quintals from last day arrivals of 7410 quintals.
- During April - August 2018 Vietnam imported 235,723 tons of oil meals (compared to 167,604 tons); consisting of 7,160 tons of soybean meal, 77,160 tons of rapeseed meal, and 151,403 tons of Rice Bran Extraction. South Korea imported 349,992 tons of oil meals (compared to 337,270 tons) consisting 231,610 tons of rapeseed meal, 10,832 tons of soybean meal and 107,550 tons of castor meal. Thailand imported 130,988 tons of oil meals (compared to 57,228 tons); consisting 4,747 tons of soybean meal, 9,633 tons of De-oiled Rice Bran Extraction, and 116,572 tons of rapeseed meal. France imported 63,493 tons of oil meals consisting 61,999 tons of soybean meal and 1,494 tons of Castor meal.
- All India castor seed sowing as on 20th Sept -2018 was 8.59 lakh hectares which is up by 5.15% from last year corresponding period area of 8.78 lakh hectares and 25% down by normal area of corresponding period area of 8.66 lakh hectares. Lower area is reported from the states of Telangana and Gujarat, while higher acreage is only reported from Andhra Pradesh.

NCDEX Castor Futures						Date: 06.12.2018	
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	O. Int
Dec-18	-162.00	5662	5662	5522	5530	19705	31450
Jan-19	-158.00	5756	5730	5590	5598	42335	134955
Feb-19	-148.00	5792	5792	5652	5674	3635	21095

Castor Seed Prices in Key Centers:

Commodity/Center	Market	Price (Rs/ Quintal)				Change
		6-Dec-18		5-Dec-18		
	Castor Seed	Low	High	Low	High	
Gujarat	Patan	5250	5300	5350	5400	-100
	Harij	5325	5350	5350	5400	-50
	Rajkot	4905	5305	5125	5435	-130
	Gondal	4930	5330	5055	5480	-150
	Deesa	5250	5325	5375	5400	-75
	Bhabar	5150	5250	5150	5275	-25
	Mehsana	5300	5360	5450	5500	-140
	Kadi	5250	5400	5300	5410	-10
	Sabarkatha	5400	5425	5450	5500	-75
	Gandhi Nagar	5350	5375	5400	5450	-75
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	5180	5240	5250	5345	-105
	Halvad	5000	5250	4950	5300	-50
	Junagadh	4750	5255	4750	5325	-70
	Dhrol	NA	NA	NA	NA	-

Rajasthan	Jodhpur	5300	5330	5410	5430	-100
	Sumerpur	5150	5200	5250	5300	-100

Castor Seed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Center	Market	Fig. in Quintal		Change
		6-Dec-18	5-Dec-18	
Gujarat	Patan	1650	975	675
	Harij	225	375	-150
	Rajkot	410	600	-190
	Gondal	154	146	8
	Deesa	396	512	-116
	Bhabar	900	1480	-580
	Mehsana	113	412.5	-300
	Kadi	915	942	-27
	Sabarkatha	80	40	40
	Gandhi Nagar	150	300	-150
	Ahmedabad (Sanand)	15	2	14
	Halvad	90	180	-90
	Junagadh	10	99	-89
	Dhrol	NA	NA	-
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	98	75	23
	Sumerpur	400	320	80
Total Arrivals/Above Markets		5605	6459	-853

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

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