

Nov,2022

Domestic Market Scenario

Major Highlights (October 2022):

- Prices of Cotton bales down over 1% on rising new crop arrivals amid better crop views.
- Kapas futures down nearly 2%, spot down 1.7% on arrivals pressure of new crop.
- COCUD futures up 2% in the fortnight to Oct 15, Spot steady as seed supply seen up soon.
- Cotton arrivals in Oct 1-15 at 114,585 tonnes, down 30% as harvesting delayed due to rains.

According to AgriWatch sources, cotton prices have decreased amid poor demand from the spinning industry during the last month. Cotton arrival were limited as farmers are not interested in selling at lower prices. The higher prices during the previous season raised the expectations of farmers regarding cotton prices. Farmers in Northern India has put their cotton produce in stock and are not willing to sell it at lower price.

The heavy rainfalls during the last month have affected the cotton crop in Khammam, as a result the cotton production is likely to get affected. Around 2.21 lakh acres of area is under the cotton cultivation this year and the cotton farmers are mainly concerned about the prices for their produce in coming month. Crop yield has also declined due to excessive rains. Currently, in local market prices are trading at Rs. 8,500 per quintal against the minimum support price of Rs. 6,080 per quintal.

Monsoon has withdrawn from major cotton belts across India. Although there were issues reported from some areas as the crop was affected due to rains previously. With lack of demand and downtrend in future market, cotton prices in physical market had fallen during the last month.

Due to disparity, ginning factories are not running regularly. Cottonseed prices are stable to firm. Demand, and supply both are limited. Raw cotton prices have fallen during the last month as a result ginners, spinners, and traders all are waiting for market to become stable.

Cotton Association of India has released its cotton crop estimate for the 2022-23 season. Overall cotton production is expected to reach 344 lakh bales of cotton in the 2022-23 season. The state-wise break-up of cotton production is mentioned below:



| State-wise Cotton Production Estimate | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|-----------------------|--|--|
| State | 2022-23 | 2021-22 | Percentage Change (%) | | |
| Punjab | 5 | 8.5 | -41.2 | | |
| Haryana | 16.5 | 16.1 | 2.5 | | |
| Rajasthan | 17.33 | 25.67 | -32.5 | | |
| Gujarat | 91 | 76.3 | 19.3 | | |
| Maharashtra | 84.5 | 75 | 12.7 | | |
| Madhya Pradesh | 20 | 20 | 0.0 | | |
| Telangana | 45 | 15 | 200.0 | | |
| Andhra Pradesh | 16 | 35.4 | -54.8 | | |
| Karnataka | 25 | 20.25 | 23.5 | | |
| Tamil Nadu | 6 | 9.75 | -38.5 | | |
| Orissa | 3 | 2.08 | 44.2 | | |
| Other | 3.5 | 3 | 16.7 | | |
| All India | 344 | 307.05 | 12.0 | | |

Source: CAI

State-wise Area, Yield and Production Estimate:

| | Cotton season 2022-23 | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------------|----------|------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| State | Area | Yield | CAI Production Est. | AgriWatch Production Est. | | |
| State | Lakh Ha | Bales/Ha | Lakh Bales | Lakh Bales | | |
| Punjab | 2.5 | 2 | 5 | 6.3 | | |
| Haryana | 6.5 | 2.54 | 16.5 | 19.63 | | |
| Rajasthan | 6.9 | 4.13 | 17.33 | 24.27 | | |
| North | 15.9 | 3.14 | 50 | 50.2 | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Gujarat | 25.5 | 3.57 | 91 | 85.86 | | |
| Maharashtra | 42.3 | 2 | 84.5 | 84.75 | | |
| Madhya | | | | | | |
| Pradesh | 6 | 3.33 | 20 | 22.89 | | |
| Central | 73.8 | 2.65 | 195.5 | 193.5 | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Telangana | 20.25 | 2.22 | 45 | 54.23 | | |
| Andhra Pradesh | 6.5 | 2.46 | 16 | 15.34 | | |
| Karnataka | 8.25 | 3.03 | 25 | 21.31 | | |
| Tamil Nadu | 1.2 | 5 | 6 | 5.4 | | |
| South | 36.2 | 2.54 | 92 | 96.28 | | |
| South | 30.2 | 2.34 | 94 | 90.20 | | |
| Orissa | 2.15 | 1.4 | 3 | 4.58 | | |
| Other | 0.3 | 1.63 | 3.5 | 3.6 | | |
| All India | 128.35 | 2.68 | 344 | 348.16 | | |

Cotton Association of India has estimated the cotton crop for the 2022-23 season at 344 lakh bales from its previous estimate of 307.05 lakh bales. The Association has attributed the increase in production majorly from Gujarat, Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh and Tamil Nadu. Agriwatch has estimated cotton production during 2022-23 season at 348.16 lakh bales.

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| Cotton Balance Sheet | 2021-22 | 2022-23 |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Opening Stock | 71.84 | 31.89 |
| Production | 307.05 | 344.00 |
| Imports | 14 | 12 |
| Domestic Consumption | 318 | 320 |
| Exports | 43 | 35 |
| Closing Stock | 31.89 | 32.89 |
| Source: CAI; unit- Lakh Bales | | |

Indian Cotton Association Limited (ICAL), has revised its cotton production estimates downwards to 51 lakh bales for northern India during the 2022-23 season. The revision is mainly because of the lower productivity. Also, Lower Rajasthan and lower Haryana continue to get rainfall during the last week of the current monsoon season, the impact of which is yet to be ascertained. If the crop gets affected by the disruption in weather, the output may decline further. Earlier, ICAL had estimated that cotton production may increase by 23.40 per cent to 58.30 lakh bales.

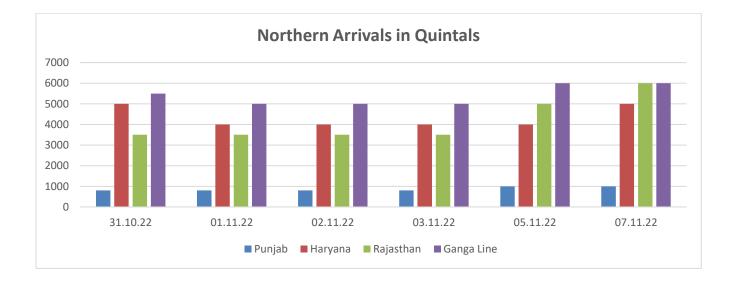
Area and Production Estimate of Northern and NW India States by ICAL:

| | North Indian Area & Production | | | | |
|---------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--|
| | Government Est. | IC/ | ICAL | | |
| States | Area (lakh hectares) | Production (lakh bales) | | Production (lakh bales) | |
| | 2022-23 | 2022-23 | 2022-23 | 2022-23 | |
| | | (Previous estimate) | (Current estimate) | | |
| Punjab | 2.48 | 6.89 | 6.89 | 6.30 | |
| Haryana | 6.50 | 19.36 | 15.26 | 19.63 | |

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|--|------|-------|-------|-------|--|--|
| | | | | | | |
| Rajasthan | 6.52 | 32.05 | 28.85 | 29.27 | | |
| Total | 15.5 | 58.30 | 51.00 | 55.20 | | |
| Source: ICAL; Agriwatch | | | | | | |

Textile mills across India are waiting for the prices to stabilize to revive production. Several textile mills that use cotton as raw material are operating at less than 50% capacity at present because cotton prices had gone up to Rs.1 lakh a candy during the previous 2021-22 season and now have come down to Rs. 65,000 per candy in the 2022-23 season. Cotton Shanker-6 prices are likely to range between Rs. 65,000-Rs. 68,500 per candy.

Northern New Cotton Crop:



| Cotton Arrivals (Quintals) | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| | Total Arrivals up to 06.11.22 | 07 th Oct'22 | | | |
| Punjab | 50000 | 1000 | | | |
| Haryana | 275000 | 5000 | | | |
| Lower | | | | | |
| Rajasthan | 1185000 | 6000 | | | |
| Ganga line | 250000 | 6000 | | | |



| Net Total | 760000 | 18000 | |
|-----------|--------|-------|--|
| | | | |

Source: AgriWatch

Production Estimate

As per USDA September monthly report, India's Cotton crop is estimated at 27.50 million bales higher than 24.50 million bales in the 2022-23 season. The increase in production is due to the expectationan of increased in acreages and yield for the 2022-23 season.

The government of India in its first advance estimate has estimated the Cotton production at 34.19 million bales against 31.20 million bales in the 2022-23 season.

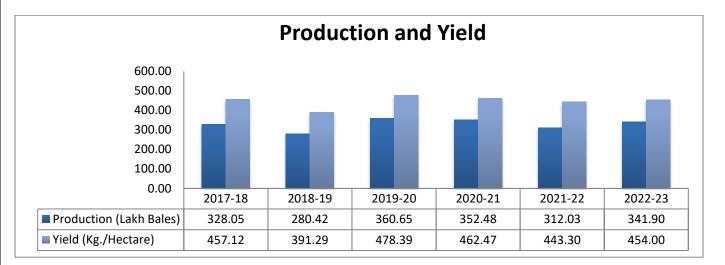
AgriWatch has increased the Cotton production estimate to 34.81 million bales from previous season estimate of 31.50 million bales due to increased yield reported from major cotton producing states.

Production Estimates (Million Bales):

| | 2021-22 | 2022-23 |
|-----------|---------|---------|
| GOI | 31.20 | 34.19 |
| AgriWatch | 31.50 | 34.81 |
| USDA | 24.50 | 27.50 |



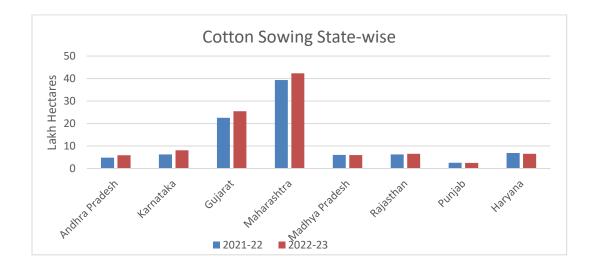
Domestic Production & Yield



Source: dacnet.nic.in *01st Advance estimate as on 21.09.2022

According to Min. of Agriculture's 1st advance estimate, Cotton output in the country for the coming 2022-23 season is likely to increase by around 10% to 341.90 lakh bales from 312.03 lakh bales produced during 2021-22. The major reason behind the increase in production is the expected increase in acreage and yield during the 2022-23 season.

Cotton Sowing 2022-23 Season



Cotton Sowing (Lakh Hectares) As of 30th Sept 2022



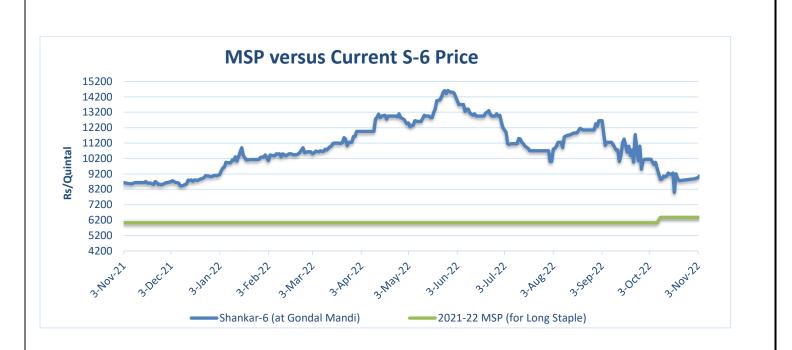
| States | 2021-22 | 2022-23 | Difference |
|-------------------|---------|---------|------------|
| Andhra Pradesh | 4.93 | 6.53 | +1.60 |
| Karnataka | 6.44 | 8.22 | +1.78 |
| Gujarat | 22.54 | 25.49 | +2.95 |
| Maharashtra | 39.57 | 42.29 | +2.72 |
| Madhya Pradesh | 6.0 | 5.99 | -0.01 |
| Rajasthan | 6.29 | 6.83 | +0.55 |
| Punjab | 2.54 | 2.48 | -0.06 |
| Haryana | 6.88 | 6.50 | -0.38 |
| All India | 118.59 | 127.50 | 8.91 |

Cotton sowing was at 127.50 Lakh Ha. Vs 118.59 Lakh Ha. last year. Agriwatch expects overall the cotton sowing to reach 128 Lakh Ha. In 2022-23 season. Earlier, due to excess rainfall in July month cotton sowing was affected in central and southern India. As per AgriWatch the recent rains during the last September month and October 01st Week in Northern and Central India is likely to affect the cotton crop which is currently in the harvesting state.

Domestic Cotton Prices Scenario MSP V/s Shanker-6 Prices

Average kapas price at Gondal market stood slightly lower at Rs. 8,942/qt in Oct 2022 as compared to Rs. 10,416/qt in Sept 2022. As the 2022-23 season has begun the arrivals paced up in the domestic market which has resulted in the price . The crop quality from central and northern India is currently good in the market.

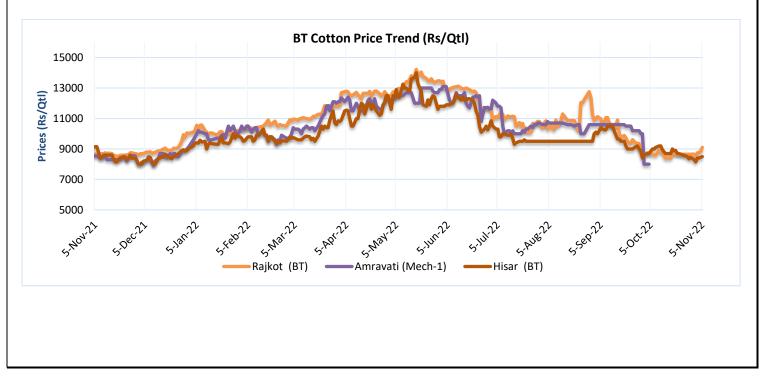




Kapas (Raw Cotton) Monthly Price Scenario

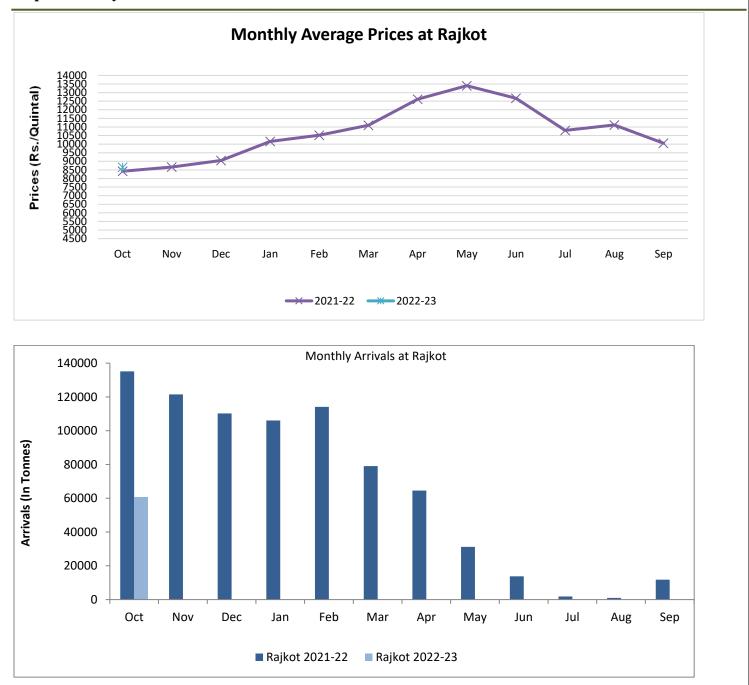
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Monthly Price Review: Monthly kapas average price at Rajkot and other markets were significantly lower and stood at Rs.8,661/quintal in Rajkot as compared to previous month price of Rs. 10,129/quintal. As the Indian cotton sowing has increased by around 8.91% for the 2022-23 season, the raw cotton prices have started falling in the local market. However, the cotton crop remains under threat due to adverse weather conditions and pest attacks in the major cotton-growing states during the last month.





Kapas Monthly M-o-M Price Scenario

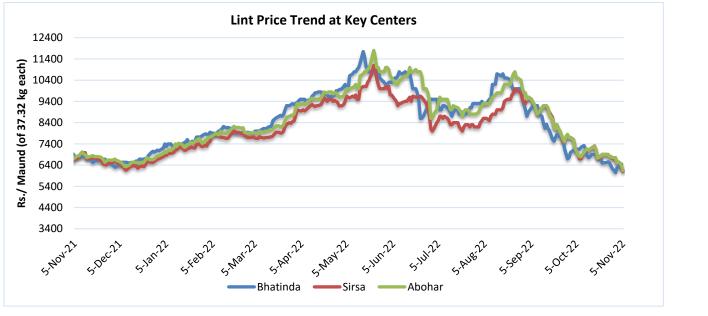


The arrivals in the month of October month has increased in the market as new north Indian cotton crop has started arriving in the market during the last month, as a result the prices had decreased and the monthly average price was at Rs. 8,658/Qtl compared to the prices during the corresponding month of the previous season. (Rs. 8,422/Qtl).



Lint price Outlook

Monthly average price of Lint at Sirsa stood lower compared to previous month at Rs.6812 per maund of 37.32 kg each in October, in Bhatinda market the prices have decreased and from Rs. 6840 per maund to Rs. 9891 per maund of 37.32 kg each.



Cotton Fiber price Outlook

The average spot price quoted for Shankar-6 (29mm) by CAI was Rs. 68,350 per candy (of 355.6 kg each) during the October month , lower than Rs.81,960 per candy from previous month. Agriwatch expects cotton fiber to remain around of Rs.60,500-72,500 per candy in the coming month.



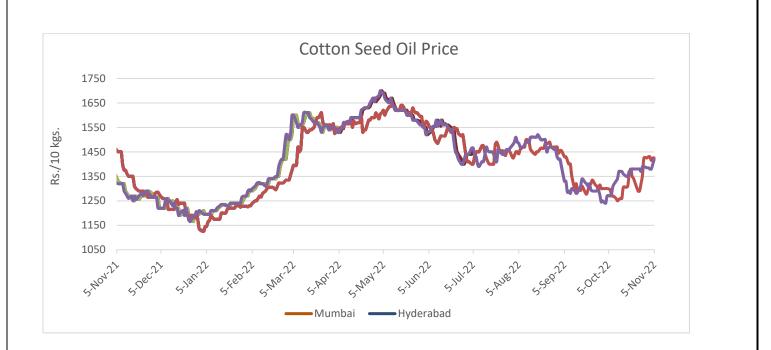


Cotton Seed Oil monthly Price Scenario

The monthly average price in Hyderabad stood at Rs.1358 per 10 Kg, Rs. 1349 kg in Rajkot and Rs.1355 per 10 kg in Mumbai.

| Centers | Monthly Average Pr | ice as on (Rs/10 kg.) | % Change |
|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Centers | Oct | Sept | 70 Change |
| Rajkot | 1349 | 1307 | 3.21 |
| Hyderabad | 1358 | 1299 | 4.52 |
| Mumbai | 1355 | 1298 | 4.41 |





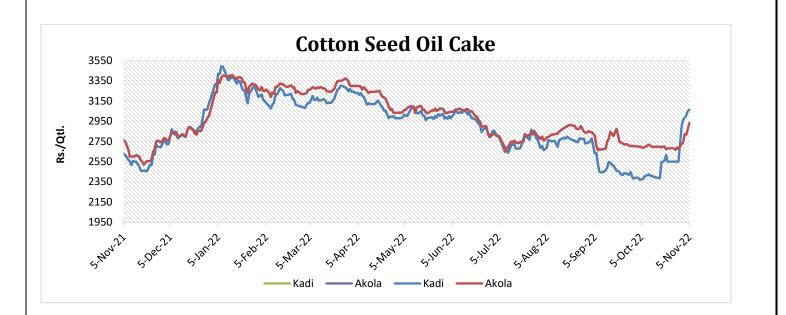
Cotton Seed Oil Cake monthly Price Scenario

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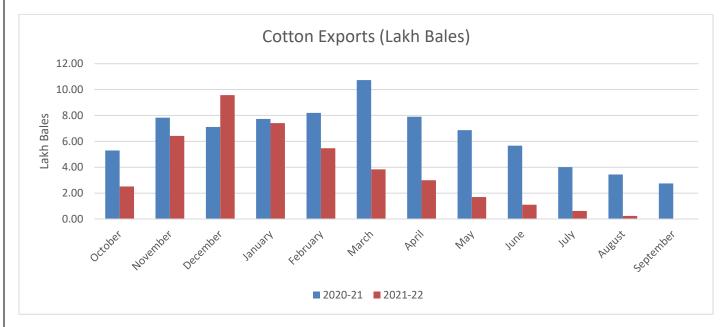
The average price of cottonseed oilcake in the Kadi market has decreased and was at Rs. 2484 per quintal from Rs. 2507 per quintal and in Akola was at Rs. 2693 per quintal from Rs. 2752 per quintal the previous month.

| | Monthly Average Pri | | |
|---------|---------------------|------|----------------|
| | Oct | Sept | |
| Centers | | | % Change |
| | 2484 | 2507 | -0.92 |
| Kadi | | | |
| | 2693 | 2752 | -2.14 |
| Akola | | | |
| | | | *Source: NCDEX |



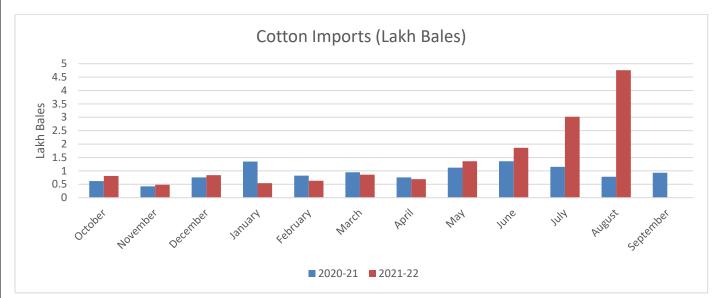


Export and Import Scenario:



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Source: DGCIS

Price Outlook for the coming month:

| Price Projections for Rajkot (BT | September | October | November |
|----------------------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|
| Cotton) | 10110 | 8658 | 8500-9800 |

Unit: Rs. / Quintal

Domestic Cotton Balance Sheet (MY October to September)

| Cotton Balance Sheet | | | | | |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------|--|--|
| In Lakh Bales (170 KGS) | 2020-21 | 2021-22 | 2022-23 | | |
| Opening stock | 103.82 | 78.82 | 36.42 | | |
| Cotton production | 365 | 315.6 | 348.16 | | |
| Imports | 10 | 12 | 10 | | |
| Total supply | 478.82 | 406.42 | 494.58 | | |
| Mill consumption | 274 | 278 | 280 | | |
| Consumption by SSI | 30.8 | 30 | 30 | | |
| Non-Mill consumption | 20.2 | 22 | 22 | | |
| Exports | 75 | 40 | 45 | | |
| Total Demand | 400 | 370 | 377 | | |
| Ending Stock | 78.82 | 36.42 | 17.58 | | |



| | Stock to Use Ratio | 19.71% | 9.84% | 4.66% |
|--|--------------------|--------|-------|-------|
|--|--------------------|--------|-------|-------|

Source: Agriwatch Research

The 2022-23 cotton MY is likely to start with 54% lower beginning stocks compare to last year. But, estimated higher production for Kharif 2022-23 would offset the supply tightness and overall, the supplies are likely to increase by almost 22%. However, anticipated overall higher consumption during MY 2022-23 would keep the ending stocks at lower side (down by 52% from last year) which would remain supportive for prices once the peak arrival season ends. Consequently, the stock to use ration is likely to remain lower than last year (last year itself the stock to use ratio was lower).

International Market Scenario

Major Market Highlights:

According to the U.S. Crop progress report, as of 31st Oct, 2022, U.S cotton Cotton Bolls opening stands at 99 percent which is higher than that of the previous season (94 percent). In the previous week cotton bolls opening was 98 percent. Overall 55 percent of the U.S Cotton Crop is harvested as compared to previous week 45 percent. During the previous season cotton harvested was around 44 percent.

Export demand has also fallen, as buyers from Bangladesh are facing issues of the gas shortage and limitation of forex fund. Due to war between Russia and Ukraine supply of gas, crude and lot of commodities are disturbed globally. Inflation has increased in most of the countries.

The Australian cotton industry is expecting a large cotton crop despite the rains which had already damaged the crop in the country. In some areas, cotton picking has been affected due to rains, particularly in Narrabri and Moree.

The Cotlook A index was higher at 95.95 cents/lb. The AWP for cotton was 68.95 cents/lb.

| | ICE Cotton Futures (Cents/Lb) | | | | | |
|---------|-------------------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
| | Close | Change | | | | |
| Dec- 22 | 75.11 | -271 | | | | |
| Mar-23 | 74.81 | -257 | | | | |
| May-23 | 74.53 | -222 | | | | |



According to USDA, WASDE Report, the U.S. cotton supply, and demand were projected slightly lower exports and higher ending stocks compared with last month. World trade has been projected lower, the export forecast is 100,000 bales lower at 12.5 million bales, while ending stocks are 100,000 bales higher.

In the 2022-23 world balance sheet, consumption is 3.0 million bales lower and ending stocks are 3.1 million bales higher. World trade is projected nearly 1 million bales lower than it was in September, with declines in imports by China, Pakistan, Mexico, Turkey, and Vietnam. Exports are estimated lower for Australia, Brazil, India, Benin, Cote d'Ivoire, Greece, and Mexico, as well as the United States. World production in 2022-23 is projected nearly 400,000 bales lower than it was a month ago, largely reflecting lower crops in Pakistan and Benin.

| World Cotton Balance Sheet | | | | | |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|--|--|
| | 2020-21 | 2021-22# | 2022-23* | | |
| Area Harvested | 31,367 | 32,314 | 32,510 | | |
| Yield | 772 | 781 | 778 | | |
| Opening Stock | 98,392 | 86,770 | 85,260 | | |
| Production | 1,11,471 | 1,15,540 | 1,18,050 | | |
| Imports | 48,693 | 42,884 | 43,621 | | |
| Total Supply | 2,58,556 | 2,45,194 | 2,46,931 | | |
| Exports | 48,711 | 42,935 | 43,613 | | |
| Domestic Consumption | 1,23,134 | 1,17,366 | 1,15,599 | | |
| Ending Stock | 86,770 | 85,260 | 87,867 | | |

USDA Balance Sheet

Source: USDA *Global projected 2022-23; #estimated 2021-22

*Attribute Unit Description: Area in 1000 Ha; Yield of Cotton in Kg/Ha; Quantity of Cotton in 1000 480-lb Bales

| India's Cotton Balance Sheet | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|--|
| | 2018-19 | 2019-20 | 2020-21 | 2021-22 | 2022-23* | |
| Area Harvested | 12,600 | 13,400 | 13,286 | 12,150 | 13,000 | |
| Yield | 449 | 463 | 452 | 439 | 454 | |
| Opening Stock | 8,625 | 8,604 | 15,684 | 11,939 | 8,696 | |

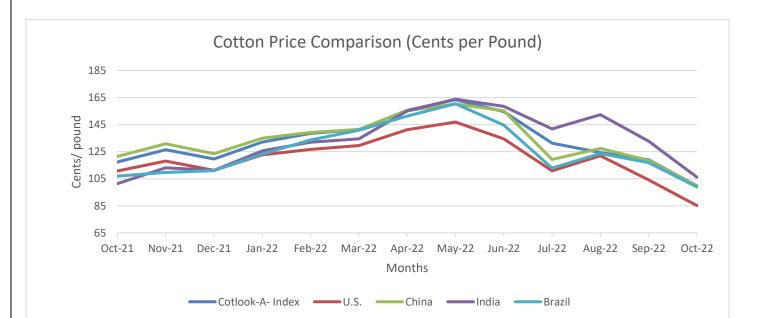


| Production | 26,000 | 28,500 | 27,600 | 24,500 | 27,500 |
|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Imports | 1,800 | 2,280 | 844 | 1,000 | 1,500 |
| Exports | 3,521 | 3,200 | 6,189 | 3,743 | 3,500 |
| Domestic Consumption | 24,300 | 20,500 | 26,000 | 25,000 | 24,000 |
| Ending Stock | 8,604 | 15,684 | 11,939 | 8,696 | 10,196 |

Source: USDA *India projected 2022-23; #estimated 2021-22

*Attribute Unit Description: Area in 1000 Ha; Yield of Cotton in Kg/Ha; Quantity of Cotton in 1000 480-lb Bales

Cotton Price Comparison



| Cotlook A Index | Monthly Aver- | Monthly Average Price as on | | |
|---------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|----------|--|
| | Oct | Sept | % Change | |
| Cotlook A Index | 99.71 | 119.08 | -4.22 | |
| India | 106.14 | 132.78 | -12.87 | |
| Cotton Index FC (M) | 99.9 | 118.56 | -6.94 | |
| Brazil Cotton Index | 98.92 | 116.89 | -5.42 | |



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| Cotton Index | Monthly Aver | % Change | |
|--------------|--------------|----------|------------------------|
| | Oct | Sept | |
| CCIndex(328) | 15743.83 | 15683.76 | 0.38 |
| CCIndex(527) | 14098.61 | 14257.29 | -1.11 |
| CCIndex(229) | 16080.39 | 16102.76 | -0.14 |
| | | | Prices in Yuan per ton |

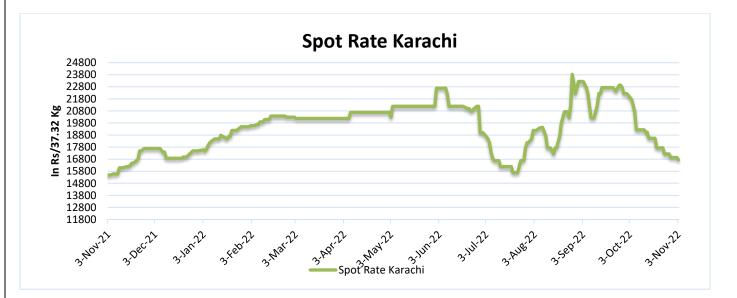
Source: USDA



Pakistan Spot Prices

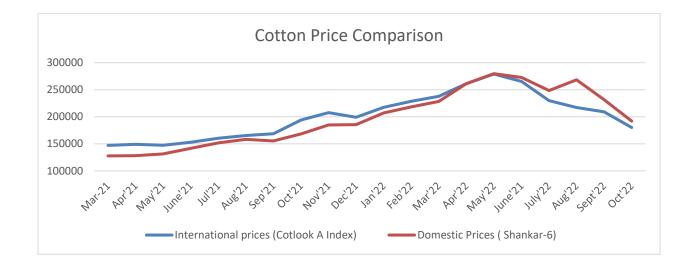
The Karachi spot price stood around Rs.17959/q slightly lower compared to the previous month.

| | Monthly Avera | | |
|------------------------|---------------|-------|---------------------------|
| Karachi Spot Prices | Oct | Sept | % Change |
| Prices | 17959 | 22087 | -18.69 |
| | | | Prices in Rs per 37.32 Kg |





International and Domestic Price Comparison



The international cotton price traded at Rs. 1,80,193 per tonnes in October month which is comparatively lower from past month of Rs. 2,09,165 per tonnes. Whereas, the domestic prices have decreased around 17 percent in October month to Rs. 1,92,030 per tonnes in anticipation of a higher production with an increase in acreages across the major growing states. Further for the coming November month, domestic prices are expected to weak as the arrivals had paced up in the market.



Monthly Technical Outlook:

Commodity: Cotton

Contract: Nov

Exchange: MCX

Expiry: Nov. 30, 2021



Technical Commentary:

- As depicted in the above chart, market is currently trading at 31800 level.
- Technically market is under short covering as the market has witnessed a drop in open interest by, now Cotton may take a support at 25000 and resistance is now likely to be seen at 36280, a move above could see prices testing.
- Market is currently below 9 and 18 DMA. RSI indicates slight buying strength. Market has broken more than 61% Fiboannachi retracement level.
- Overall, the prices are expected to remain range-bound in the coming months.

| Intraday Sup | oports & Res | sistances | S1 | S2 | РСР | R1 | R2 |
|---------------------|--------------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Cotton | MCX | Oct | 31400 | 31480 | 31820 | 32030 | 32150 |
| Intraday Trade Call | | Call | Entry | T1 | T2 | SL | |
| Cotton | MCX | Oct | Buy | 31810 | 31910 | 32000 | 31740 |



Technical Commentary:

- As evident from the above chart, overall sideways trend was followed in the last month.
- Currently market is trading below 50 DMA, market may rise after a recent support of 2320 level.
 Resistance is likely to be at 2782 level.
- RSI indicating slight buying strength.
- Market is expected to remain elevated in the coming week.

| Intraday Supports & Resistances | | | S1 | S2 | РСР | R1 | R2 |
|---------------------------------|-------|------|-----------|-----------|------|------|------|
| Cottonseed oilcake | NCDEX | Oct | 2426 | 2496 | 2616 | 2756 | 2816 |
| Intraday Trade Call | | Call | Entry | T1 | T2 | SL | |
| Cottonseed oilcake | NCDEX | Oct | Buy | 2606 | 2706 | 2726 | 2536 |



MCX and NCDEX Weekly Prices

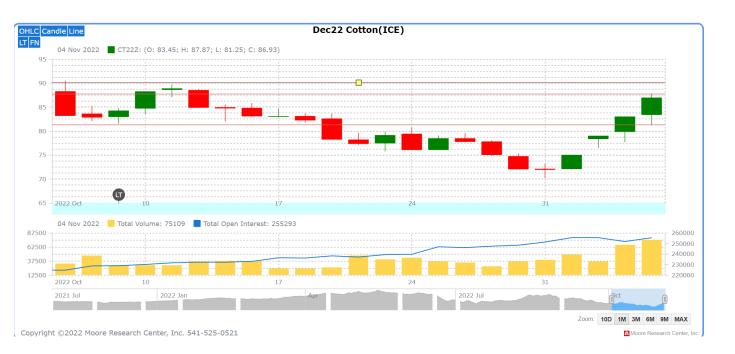
| | МСХ | | | | |
|-------------------|--------|--------|--------|--|--|
| Date | Oct-22 | Nov-22 | Dec-22 | | |
| 21-10-2022 | 61,659 | 62,735 | 60,685 | | |
| 28-10-2022 | 66,730 | 60,246 | 57,798 | | |
| Changes in points | -2929 | -2489 | -2887 | | |
| % Change | -4.20 | -3.97 | -1.12 | | |

*NCDEX Kapas seed rate 700/20 kg to convert it in to candy.

| Currencies Weekly Change | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------|--------------|----------|-------------|----------|--|--|--|
| Date | INR/USD | Dollar Index | INR/Yuan | Yuan/Dollar | USD/Yuan | | | |
| 21-10-2022 | 82.54 | 111.820 | 11.394 | 0.138 | 7.243 | | | |
| 28-10-2022 | 82.33 | 110.950 | 11.3525 | 0.137 | 7.252 | | | |
| Changes in points | -0.21 | -0.87 | -0.042 | -0.001 | 0.008 | | | |
| % Change | -0.25 | -0.78 | -0.37 | -0.07 | 0.12 | | | |







Technical Analysis of Cotton Future (Dec'22 Contract) at ICE

- > The Dec'22' contract remained up and intact.
- > Total volume increased & Open Interest decreased compared to last month,
- > We expect cotton prices to remain sideway in the coming month.

Expected Price Range During Coming month

| Expected | l Trend | Expected Tr | ading Band | |
|-------------|-----------|---------------------|--------------|--|
| Range bound | momentum | ntum 84-92 | | |
| | | ort and Resistance | | |
| Support 1 | Support 2 | Resistance 1 | Resistance 2 | |
| | | | | |



Future Price Trend (Active Contract):

| | Cotto | Prices in cents/Lb | | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|----------|---------------|
| | | | | | | % Change | % Change |
| | | | | 08-May- | | over a | over previous |
| Contracts | 04-Nov-22 | 05-Oct-22 | 06-Aug-22 | 22 | 04-Nov-21 | month | year |
| Oct-22 | 80.96 | 91.23 | 85.36 | 130.18 | 96.70 | -11.26 | -16.28 |
| Dec-22 | 78.37 | 83.23 | 95.59 | 123.74 | 116.87 | -5.84 | -32.94 |
| Mar-23 | 85.67 | 81.74 | 93.33 | 118.34 | 113.24 | 4.81 | -24.35 |
| May-23 | 84.63 | 80.62 | 91.97 | 146.87 | 111.69 | 4.97 | -24.23 |
| Jul-23 | 83.26 | 79.02 | 90.19 | 143.61 | 109.00 | 6.37 | -23.61 |

Future Price Trend (Active Contract):



ICE front month futures was down by 11% in Oct'22 contract compared in Sept'22. The average of ICE Oct contract stood lower around 80.96 cents/lbs in Oct'22, down by 16.28 points compared to the average price that stood in Oct'21 around 96.70 cents/lbs.



Cotton Yarn

Cotton Yarn prices had declined during the last month as market remained weak. The prices dropped by Rs.10-15 per kg in Ludhiana and Delhi due to weak demand in the market. Cotton prices had fallen by Rs. 300-350 per maund of 37.2 kg in north India. Panipat's recycled yarn also witnessed a bearish trend despite possible supply disruption. In Ludhiana, 30 count cotton combed yarn was sold at Rs.300-310 per kg, 20 and 25 count combed yarn were traded at Rs.290-300 per kg and Rs.295-305 per kg respectively. Carded yarn of 30 count remained steady at Rs.275-285 per kg. In Delhi, demand remained weak as buyers and sellers were waiting for buying to improve from the downstream industry. Cotton yarn eased by Rs.5 per kg for major counts and varieties.

With demand for yarn yet to pick up some millers have urged the government to extend the window for dutyfree import of cotton until 31st March 2023. As per Indian Texpreneurs Federation, mills running at a lower level of utilization in the range of 50 percent for some more period to rebalance the demand supply trend during the last month. Also, there is a slowdown in the arrival of cotton as farmers are unwilling to sell cotton at low price. The arrivals could pick by 10-15th November 2022 and it may exceed to one lakh bales further.

Domestic Cotton Prices and Arrivals at Key Centers

Cotton Prices at Key Spot Markets:

| Commodity | I | Kapas | Montly Pri (Rs./Q | Change | |
|-----------|-----------|-------------|----------------------|--------|-------|
| State | Centre | Variety | Oct'22 | Sep'22 | |
| | Ahmedabad | Shankar-6 | 8839 | 9227 | -388 |
| | Gondal | Shankar-6 | 8942 | 10621 | -1679 |
| | Rajkot | B.T. Cotton | 8658 | 10110 | -1452 |
| Gujarat | Patan | B.T. Cotton | 8958 | 8933 | 25 |
| | Kadi | B.T. Cotton | 8746 | NA | - |
| | Deesa | B.T. Cotton | NA | NA | - |
| | Dhrol | B.T. Cotton | 8721 | 9342 | -621 |
| Haryana | Bhiwani | B.T. Cotton | 8607 | 9196 | -589 |
| | Bhiwani | Desi | NA | 12240 | - |
| | Adampur | B.T. Cotton | 8783 | 9643 | -860 |

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| | | | | | | |
| | | Fatehabad | B.T. Cotton | | | |
| | | Jind | B.T. Cotton | | | |
| | | Uchana | B.T. Cotton | | | |
| | | | | | | |

| | Jind | B.T. Cotton | NA | NA | - | |
|--|----------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|--|
| | Uchana | B.T. Cotton | 8601 | NA | - | |
| | Dabwali | B.T. Cotton | 8758 | NA | - | |
| Dete ather | Hanumangarh | B.T. Cotton | 8730 | 9239 | -509 | |
| Rajasthan | Rawatsar | B.T. Cotton | 8638 | NA | - | |
| Madhua Duadaah | Khandwa | Mech-1 | 8500 | 8500 NA | | |
| Madhya Pradesh Maharashtra Uttar Pradesh | Khargaon | Mech-1 | 8555 | NA | - | |
| Mahanashtua | Amravati | Mech-1 | 8040 | 10409 | -2369 | |
| | Jamner | Medium Staple | Medium Staple NA I | | - | |
| Litton Drodoch | Hathras | B.T. Cotton | 7621 | 7776 | -155 | |
| Uttar Pradesh | Hathras | Desi | 7400 | 8604 | -1204 | |
| Telangana | Adilabad | Un-Ginned | 7423 | NA | - | |
| Andhra Pradesh | Adoni | Un-Ginned | 9385 | 10251 | -866 | |
| | Bijapur | Bunny | 9298 96 | | -304 | |
| Karnataka | Hubli | D.C.H. | NA | NA | - | |
| Кагпаtака | Hubli | B.T. Cotton | 8509 | NA | - | |
| | Raichur | H-44 Cotton | 9254 | 10199 | -946 | |
| Commodity | | Lint | (Rs./Maun | rices Avg. d of 37.32kg ch) | Change | |
| State Centre | | Variety | Oct'22 | Sep'22 | | |
| | Bhatinda | J-34 | 6840 | 8263 | -1423 | |
| Punjab | Abohar | J-34 | 6841 | 8246 | -1405 | |
| | Mansa | J-34 | 6958 | 7414 | -456 | |
| Haryana | Sirsa | J-34 | 6818 | 8235 | -1417 | |
| Rajasthan | Sri-Ganganagar | J-34 | 6484 | 7362 | -878 | |

Cotton Arrivals in Key Centers:

| Commodity | Kapas Centre Variety | | Monthly Su (Qui | Change | |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------|--------|
| State | | | Oct'22 | Sep'22 | |
| Gujarat | Ahmedabad | Shankar-6 | 435200 | 95200 | 340000 |
| | Gondal | Shankar-6 | 40652 | 3342 | 37310 |
| | Rajkot | B.T. Cotton | 60550 | 11750 | 48800 |

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B.T. Cotton 107370 Patan 6219 101151 Kadi B.T. Cotton 189000 NA -Deesa B.T. Cotton NA NA -Dhrol B.T. Cotton 7138 219 6919 Bhiwani B.T. Cotton 30800 400 30400 Bhiwani Desi NA 57700 -Adampur B.T. Cotton 24055 10420 13635 Haryana Fatehabad B.T. Cotton 2150 NA Jind 490 B.T. Cotton NA -Uchana B.T. Cotton 1645 NA -Dabwali B.T. Cotton 4100 NA -Hanumangarh B.T. Cotton 40100 10170 29930 Rajasthan Rawatsar B.T. Cotton 34500 NA -Khandwa Mech-1 1000 NA -Madhya Pradesh Mech-1 NA Khargaon 18710 6500 -4300 Amravati Mech-1 2200 Maharashtra Jamner Medium Staple NA NA 1753 Hathras B.T. Cotton 3235 1482 Uttar Pradesh Desi 224 Hathras 330 106 Adilabad **Un-Ginned** Telangana 11797 NA -**Andhra Pradesh** Adoni **Un-Ginned** 95980 121027 -25047 Bijapur 45155 2743 42412 Bunny Hubli D.C.H. -NA NA Karnataka Hubli B.T. Cotton 10 NA -H-44 Cotton 356 Raichur 367 11 **Monthly Sum Arrivals** Commodity Lint (Quintal) Change State Centre Variety **Oct'22** Sep'22 Bhatinda J-34 3785 1785 2000 Abohar J-34 8585 4607 3978 Punjab J-34 Mansa 4004 537 3467 J-34 Haryana Sirsa 7665 3651 4014 J-34 48500 6950 41550 Rajasthan Sri-Ganganagar

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Cotton Association of India Cotton Spot Rates:

| Trade Name | Staple | Micronaire | Strength/ GPT | Rs. Per Candy | Rs. Per Candy | Change | |
|--|---------------|------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------|--|
| | | | GII | Oct'22 | Sep'22 | | |
| Bengal Deshi (RG)/Assam Comilla (101) | Below 22mm | 5.0 - 7.0 | 15 | 52536 | 56264 | -3728 | |
| Bengal Deshi (SG)(201) | Below 22mm | 5.0 - 7.0 | 15 | 53236 | 57022 | -3786 | |
| J-34(202) | 26mm | 3.5 - 4.9 | 23 | 64154 | 75656 | -11502 | |
| H-4/ MECH-1(105) | 28mm | 3.5 - 4.9 | 27 | 66000 | 78500 | -12500 | |
| Shankar-6(105) | 29mm | 3.5 - 4.9 | 28 | 68363 | 81960 | -13597 | |
| Bunny/ Brahma(105) | 31mm | 3.5 - 4.9 | 30 | NA | 102000 | - | |
| MCU-5/ Surabhi(106) | 32mm | 3.3 - 4.9 | 31 | NA | NA | - | |
| DCH-32(107) | 34mm | 3.0 - 3.8 | 33 | 79068 | 90800 | -11732 | |

Cotton Yarn Prices:

| Cotton Yarn Prices | 3-Nov-22 | 2-Nov-22 | Change | 3-Nov-22 | 2-Nov-22 | Change |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------|--------|-----------------------|----------|--------|
| Varietiy | Prices F | OB ,USD | Change | Prices Kg Indian Port | | |
| Ne 20/1 Carded Hosiery Yarn | 2.96 | 2.96 | Unch | 244 | 244 | Unch |
| Ne 20/1 Combed Hosiery Yarn | 3.08 | 3.08 | Unch | 254 | 254 | Unch |
| Ne 21/1 Carded Weaving Yarn | 2.96 | 2.96 | Unch | 244 | 244 | Unch |
| Ne 26/1 Combed Hosiery Yarn | 3.2 | 3.2 | Unch | 264 | 264 | Unch |
| Ne 30/1 Carded Hosiery Yarn | 3.12 | 3.12 | Unch | 257 | 257 | Unch |
| Ne 30/1 Combed Hosiery Yarn | 3.26 | 3.26 | Unch | 269 | 269 | Unch |
| Ne 32/1 Carded Weaving Yarn | 3.26 | 3.26 | Unch | 269 | 269 | Unch |
| Ne 34/1 Combed Hosiery Yarn | 3.44 | 3.44 | Unch | 284 | 284 | Unch |
| Ne 40/1 Combed Hosiery Yarn | 3.62 | 3.62 | Unch | 299 | 299 | Unch |
| Ne 40/1 Carded Weaving Yarn | 3.44 | 3.44 | Unch | 284 | 284 | Unch |
| Ne 30/2 Carded Hosiery Yarn | 3.44 | 3.44 | Unch | 284 | 284 | Unch |
| Ne 32/2 Combed Knitting Yarn | 3.75 | 3.75 | Unch | 309 | 309 | Unch |
| Ne 32/2 Carded Hosiery Yarn | 3.44 | 3.44 | Unch | 284 | 284 | Unch |
| Ne 40/2 Combed Hosiery Yarn | 4.17 | 4.17 | Unch | 344 | 344 | Unch |
| Ne 30/1 Combed Compact Weaving Yarn | 3.44 | 3.44 | Unch | 284 | 284 | Unch |
| Ne 40/1 Combed Compact Weaving Yarn | 3.81 | 3.81 | Unch | 314 | 314 | Unch |
| Ne 50/1 Combed Compact Weaving Yarn | 4.17 | 4.17 | Unch | 344 | 344 | Unch |
| Ne 16/1 Open End Yarn | 2.17 | 2.17 | Unch | 179 | 179 | Unch |
| Ne 21/1 Open End Yarn | 2.35 | 2.35 | Unch | 194 | 194 | Unch |
| Ne 24/1 Open End Yarn | 2.65 | 2.65 | Unch | 219 | 219 | Unch |



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