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Summary

Overall, the key feed ingredients prices witnessed steady to firm tone during the week in review.

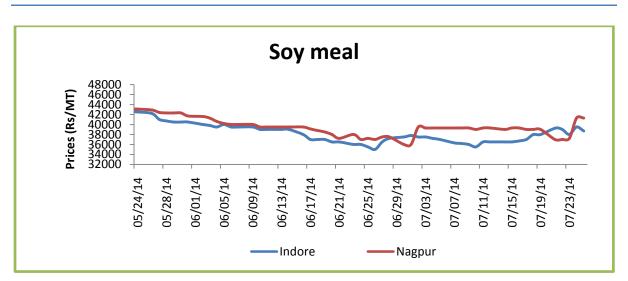
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Rains in Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra and Rajasthan during the week had hampered the bean supplies during the period, which eventually lend support to the bean prices.

The sentiments got stronger in anticipation of fresh demand in edible oils with the recent rains particularly in the region where the rains were scarce.

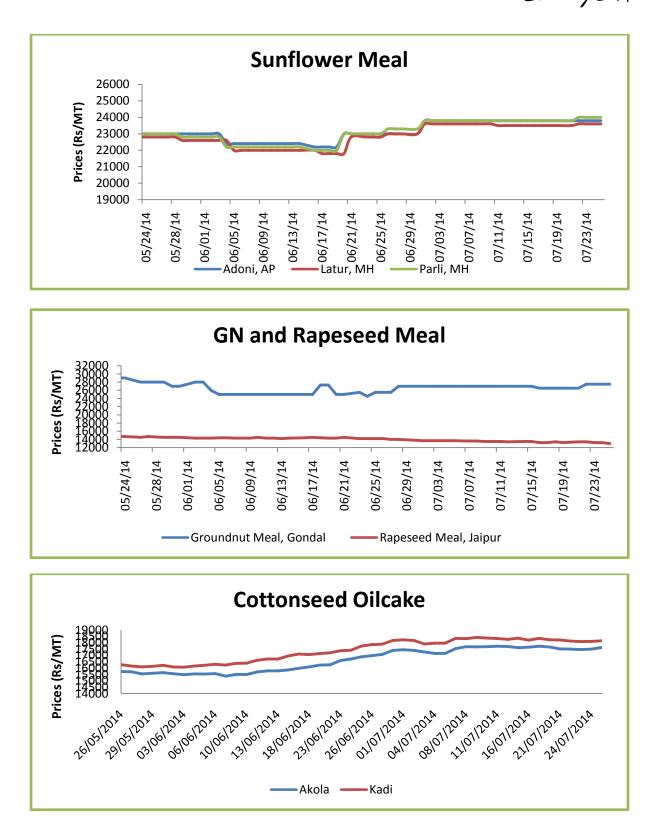
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Mixed sentiments witnessed in major spot market of maize during last week. Besides, key spot wheat mill delivery prices traded steady to slightly firm due to less arrival.



Trend – Raw Material, Feed





Source: AgriWatch



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Executive Summary

Soybean, soy meal and RM seed edged-up tracking gains in CBOT soy complex and better buying in the RM seed followed by fresh demand in the mustard oil during week in review.

Soybean:

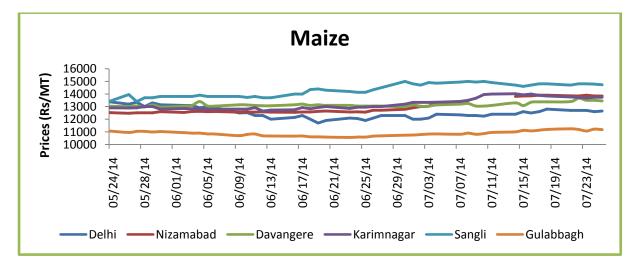
- Soybean rebound tracking gains in the soy complex in international benchmark, CBOT and steady demand in the domestic market during the week under review.
- India's area coverage under soybean, as on 24 Jul 2014, was reported at 77.77 lakh ha compared to 110.05 lha (-29.3%) during the same period last year.
- Much needed rains in the soybean growing regions have boosted the lagging soy plantings during the week under review.

Soy meal:

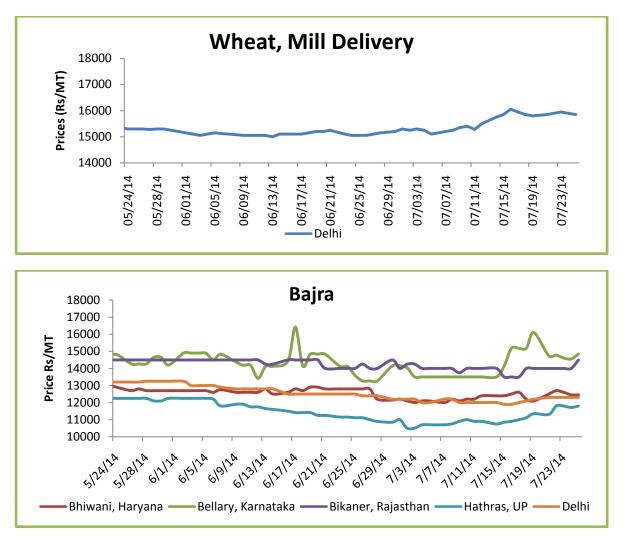
- Soy meal improved in tandem with soybeans on firm global cues and likely rise in oils and fats demand with improved seasonal rains during the week in review.
- The demand in meal is expected to improve with likely rise in seasonal demand in poultry.
 The poultry industry and the poultry feed manufacturers will be the key buyers.

RM Seed:

- RM seed continued uptrend on supportive buying and declining supplies. The seed buying has improved on expected rise in edible oil demand for festivities in upcoming weeks.
- Improved demand in mustard oil from pickle manufacturers and expected rise in demand in the same in the upcoming festivities in coming weeks have boosted the sentiments of crushers in crushing the seed in recent weeks.







Source: Agriwatch (Prices: Maize-Industrial/Feed Grade. Wheat-Mill Delivery: Narela Market, Delhi)

Mixed sentiments witnessed in major spot market of maize during last week.

In Ahmadabad region of Gujarat, poultry feed makers quoted maize firm by Rs. 50 per quintal to Rs. 1400-1450 per quintal while starch feed makers quoted maize firm by Rs. 30 per quintal to Rs.1360-1410 per quintal as compared to last week, sourced from U.P.

In Gulabbagh mandi, maize was quoted steady at Rs. 1125-1150 per quintal as compared to last week, contained moisture level of 14%. As per trade sources, maize is moving towards Kolkata at Rs. 1250-1300 per quintal, sourced from Naugachia region of Bihar and stock of maize could be around 18-20 lakh ton in the Bihar market.

As per trade sources, maize is moving towards Bangalore, Nammakal and Chitradurga at Rs. 1420 per quintal, Rs. 1480-1500 per quintal and Rs. 1380 per quintal respectively, sourced from Davangere. As per trade sources, Karnataka government has 0.65 million tons of maize in stock.



As per USDA, U.S accumulated corn export figures reached to 41,068,747 metric tons for the 2013-14 marketing year. Exports of 992,500 MT were up 9% from the last week but down 4% from the prior 4-week average; reported by U.S. to Japan (262,100 MT), South Korea (255,800 MT), Mexico (139,500 MT), Egypt (133,200 MT), Spain (70,000 MT), and Costa Rica (32,600 MT) for the period July 11- July 17, 2014.

As per Reuters news, China's Import Inspection Authority, AQSIQ, is now requiring U.S. distiller's dried grains imports to be officially certified free of the MIR 162 GMO trait.

As per the latest crop progress report released by USDA, 56% crop of corn is at silking stage, higher by 17% from the last year and 1% from the last 5 year average period. 76% corn crop is in good to excellent condition as of 20th July, 2014, same from the last week but higher by 13% from the last year.

As per USDA, U.S corn exports were reported 269,084 tons to Mexico, including 23,368 tons for 2013/14 delivery and 245,716 tons for the 2014/15 marketing year.

Cash wheat markets takes note of the govt's latest decision of releasing 10 million tonne wheat for bulk buyers from August to March 2015 through e-tendering process. Wheat prices in major markets dip by Rs 10 to Rs 20 per qtl. Supply side is now bound to increase as quantity approved is 1.5 million tonne higher than last year for the same period of time.

Private and bulk buyers had brought5.8 million tonne wheat in eight months, from August to March against allocation of 8.5 million tonne. This year higher quantity would continue to regulate price even in the lean season as old crop would be available around Rs 1500 per qtl.plus freight charges. New wheat would be given at 5 percent premium that means at Rs 1575 per qtl, lower than current prevailing prices.

This decision would not allow private traders to drag price up for their own interests. Availability would be enough throughout the season. As quantity is higher, private trade would not be able to offtake more than 6.5 million tonne. however, there is a possibility of higher offtake, if international market gets firmer on Russian/Ukrainian/US issue.

If wheat price in global market crosses over\$285 per Tonne, private trade may start taking new wheat through tender and think of exporting it. But such possibility is remote as prices in global market is ruling around \$230 to \$240 per tonne right now.

Wheat cash markets in Uttar Pradesh get firmer on the back of improved demand from Rajasthan and Delhi. Demand from roller flour mills have improved during last one week. festive season in India starts from 1st August and continue till November and during this period demands for wheat product increase considerably.



Wheat stock in central pool warehouses was registered at 39.37 million T on 01 July compared to 41.58 million T on 1st June 2014. The highest accumulated stock is in Punjab (15.56 million T) followed by Madhya Pradesh (7.93 million ton) and Haryana (7.55 million Ton) as on 01.07.2014.

With the commencement of harvesting in the black sea region pressure on global wheat market continues. Wheat may hover in the range of \$260 to \$280 per tonne in the month of July. Russia, Ukraine, US would remain the main suppliers to the global market. Any unexpected spike is unlikely in the month of July.

Outlook

Feed prices are expected to trade steady to firm as feed ingredients prices traded steady to firm during last week.

Spreads

| Week | Aug'13 | Sep'13 | Oct'13 | Nov'13 | Dec'13 | Jan'14 | Feb'14 | Mar'14 | Apr'14 | May'14 | Jun'14 | July'14 |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1 | 137.00 | 145.00 | 232.0 | 237.5 | 205.0 | 127.0 | 132.5 | 129.0 | 160.0 | 109.0 | -0.83 | -17.0 |
| 2 | 200.00 | 204.00 | 275.5 | 233.0 | 192.5 | 135.0 | 134.0 | 146.0 | 162.5 | 83.0 | -20.0 | 25.0 |
| 3 | 212.00 | 197.50 | 241.25 | 223.3 | 160.0 | 122.0 | 107.0 | 141.0 | 161.0 | 28.0 | -62.0 | 30.0 |
| 4 | 124.00 | 190.00 | 230.0 | 207.5 | 153.0 | 145.0 | 134.0 | 155.0 | 158.0 | 20.0 | -65.0 | 42.5 |
| 5 | 132.00 | | 234.0 | | 152.0 | | | | | 5.0 | | |
| - | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Maize Average Weekly spread with Bajra

*Market Center: Delhi. Maize – loose price. Maize prices less Bajra

As the table depicts, in Delhi spot market, maize spread with bajra increased as maize traded firm vs. bajra during last week. We expect that both commodities could trade steady in the near term and keep maize spread with bajra in the positive tone.

Maize Average Weekly spread with Jowar

| Week | Aug'13 | Sep'13 | Oct'13 | Nov'13 | Dec'13 | Jan'14 | Feb'14 | Mar'14 | Apr'14 | May'14 | Jun'14 | July'14 |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1 | 230.00 | 321.66 | 364.0 | 487.5 | 450.0 | 357.0 | 318.0 | 269.0 | -101.0 | -604.0 | -1032.0 | -1037.0 |
| 2 | 295.00 | 402.00 | 366.0 | 492.0 | 460.0 | 317.0 | 293.0 | 342.0 | -145.0 | -615.0 | -940.0 | -902.0 |
| 3 | 305.00 | 390.00 | 400.0 | 471.6 | 436.0 | 310.0 | 201.0 | 354.0 | -141.0 | -966.0 | -1012.0 | -902.0 |
| 4 | 334.00 | 327.00 | 368.0 | 450.0 | 446.0 | 320.0 | 245.0 | 207.0 | -240.0 | -1078.0 | -1120.0 | -727.5 |
| 5 | 372.00 | | 370.0 | | 422.0 | | | | | -1172.0 | | |

*Market Center: Delhi. Maize – loose price. Maize prices less Jowar

As the table depicts, maize spread with jowar traded firm as jowar traded down during last week. We expect trend could continue in the near term and keep maize spread with jowar in the positive tone.

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Maize Average Weekly spread with Wheat

| Week | Aug'13 | Sep'13 | Oct'13 | Nov'13 | Dec'13 | Jan'14 | Feb'14 | Mar'14 | Apr'14 | May'14 | Jun'14 | July'14 |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1 | -107.5 | -104.0 | -128.0 | -132.5 | -186.2 | -160.0 | -176.0 | -175.0 | -55.0 | -57.5 | -182.5 | -277.0 |
| 2 | -125.0 | -122.0 | -139.0 | -150.0 | -175.0 | -166.0 | -177.0 | -109.0 | 17.5 | -122.5 | -222.5 | -246.0 |
| 3 | -121.0 | -152.0 | -180.0 | -205.0 | -187.0 | -191.0 | -221.0 | -120.0 | 6.0 | -173.0 | -306.0 | -302.0 |
| 4 | -75.0 | -135.0 | -157.0 | -205.8 | -126.0 | -197.0 | -177.0 | -26.0 | -36.0 | -169.0 | -301.0 | -252.0 |
| 5 | -66.0 | | -140.0 | | -131.0 | | | | | -173.0 | | |

*Market Center: Delhi. Maize – loose price. Maize prices less Wheat

As the table depicts, maize spread with wheat increased as wheat traded down during last week. We expect that both commodities could trade steady and keep maize spread with wheat intact as compared to last week.

Maize Average Weekly spread with Barley

| We | ek 4 | Aug'13 | Sep'13 | Oct'13 | Nov'13 | Dec'13 | Jan'14 | Feb'14 | Mar'14 | Apr'14 | May'14 | Jun'14 | July'14 |
|----|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1 | | 165.0 | 244.0 | 195.0 | 237.5 | 185.0 | 127.0 | 158.0 | 102.5 | 180.0 | 144.0 | 47.0 | -95.0 |
| 2 | | 199.0 | 220.0 | 191.0 | 231.0 | 187.5 | 143.0 | 135.0 | 137.0 | 217.5 | 85.0 | 0.0 | -88.0 |
| 3 | | 224.0 | 190.0 | 178.75 | 216.7 | 157.0 | 150.0 | 102.5 | 144.0 | 258.0 | 61.0 | -68.0 | -71.0 |
| 4 | | 270.0 | 197.0 | 158.0 | 189.2 | 171.0 | 170.0 | 143.0 | 163.0 | 208.0 | 87.0 | -80.0 | -107.5 |
| 5 | | 272.0 | | 190.0 | | 155.0 | | | | | 78.0 | | |

*Market Center: Delhi. Maize – loose price. Maize prices less Bajra

As the table depicts, in Delhi spot market, maize spread with barley decreased as barley traded firm vs. maize during last week. We expect that trend could continue in the near term and keep maize spread with barley towards southward zone.

Annexure

Oil Meal Prices at Key Spot Markets:

Soy DOC Rates at Different Centres

| Centres | | Ex-factory rates (Rs/ton) | | | | | |
|----------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Centres | 25-Jul-14 | 18-Jul-14 | Parity To | | | | |
| Indore (MP) | 37800-38700 | 36500-38000 | Gujarat, MP | | | | |
| Kota | 37000 | 36100-36500 | Rajasthan, Del, Punjab, Haryana | | | | |
| Dhulia/Jalna | 39800 39000 Mumbai, Maha | | Mumbai, Maharashtra | | | | |
| Nagpur (42/46) | 41300 | - | Chattisgarh, Orissa, Bihar, | | | | |
| Nagpul (42/40) | 41500 | | Bangladesh, AP, Kar, TN | | | | |
| Nanded | 39000 | 39000 | Andhra, AP, Kar ,TN | | | | |
| Latur | 40800 | 40000 | - | | | | |
| Sangli | 41000 | 41500 | Local and South | | | | |



| Sholapur | 40500 | 37100 | Local and South |
|----------|-------|-------|--|
| Akola | 39000 | 38500 | Andhra, Chattisgarh, Orrisa,Jharkhand, WB |
| Hingoli | 40500 | 36900 | Andhra, Chattisgarh, Orrisa,Jharkhand, WB |
| Bundi | 37500 | 36000 | - |

Soy DOC at Port

| Centers | | Port Pr | ice | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------|--|
| Centers | 25-Jul-1 | 4 | 18-Jul-14 | | |
| Kandla (FOR) (INR/MT) | 39500 | | | 38125 | |
| Kandla (FAS) (USD/MT) | 657 | | | 632 | |
| International Soy DOC | | | | | |
| Argentina FOB \$/MT | 24-Jul-14 | 17-Jul-14 | | Change | |
| Soybean Pellets | 462 | 440 | | 22 | |
| Soybean Cake Meal | 462 | 440 | | 22 | |
| Soybean Meal | 470 | 448 | | 22 | |
| Soy Expellers | 470 | 448 | | 22 | |

Sunflower (DOC) Rates

| Centers | Ex-factory rates (Rs/ton) | | | | | |
|----------|---------------------------|-----------|--------|--|--|--|
| Centers | 25-Jul-14 | 18-Jul-14 | Change | | | |
| Adoni | 23800 | 23800 | Unch | | | |
| Khamgaon | NA | NA | - | | | |
| Parli | 24000 | 23800 | 200 | | | |
| Latur | 23600 | 23500 | 100 | | | |

Groundnut Meal

| Groundnut Meal | 25-Jul-14 | 18-Jul-14 | Change |
|---------------------------|-----------|-------------|--------|
| Basis 45% O&A, Saurashtra | 28500 | 27500 | 1000 |
| Basis 40% O&A, Saurashtra | 26500 | 25500 | 1000 |
| GN Cake, Gondal | 27500 | 26000-26500 | 1000 |



Mustard DOC/Meal

| Mustard DOC/Meal | 25-Jul-14 | 18-Jul-14 | Change | |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|--|
| Jaipur (Plant Delivery) | 13000 | 13400 | -400 | |
| Kandla (FOR) | 14000 | 14400 | -400 | |

Maize Spot Market Prices (Rs. /Quintal)

| Market | Grade | 25 July,2014 | Week Ago | Month Ago | 2 Month Ago | Year Ago |
|-----------|--------|--------------|----------|--------------|----------------|----------|
| Delhi | Hybrid | 1275 | 1250 | 1170 | 1340 | 1425 |
| Davangere | Bilty | 1350 | 1450 | 1300 | 1300 | 1560 |
| Nizamabad | Bilty | NA | NA | 1240 | 1260 | 1475 |
| Ahmedabad | Feed | 1425 | 1400 | 1350 | 1320 | 1500 |
| Anneuabau | Starch | 1400 | 1350 | 1330 | 1390 | 1460 |

FOB, C&F – Maize at Various Destinations (USD/ton)

| | Argentina | Brazil | US | India (Bihar Origin) |
|-----------------------------|-----------|--------|--------|----------------------|
| FOB | 192.72 | 171.85 | 198.62 | 249 |
| Cost and Freight (Thailand) | 242.72 | 226.85 | 258.62 | 284 |

Soy Meal Exports (In MT):

| <u>Month</u> | <u>2010</u> | <u>2011</u> | <u>2012</u> | <u>2013</u> | <u>2014</u> |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Jan | 240318 | 574996 | 474993 | 620133 | 364443 |
| Feb | 220552 | 540360 | 344240 | 577589 | 183550 |
| Mar | 163666 | 410537 | 460464 | 320265 | 223204 |
| Apr | 60264 | 305033 | 313832 | 100311 | 76000 |
| May | 60575 | 176819 | 142588 | 97546 | |
| Jun | 98400 | 117600 | 180987 | 213564 | |
| Jul | 166632 | 139547 | 168341 | 107038 | |
| Aug | 176138 | 165510 | 10005 | 183555 | |
| Sep | 290868 | 225921 | 6525 | 173381 | |
| Oct | 404960 | 223594 | 49840 | 182724 | |
| Nov | 443488 | 397659 | 517103 | 503269 | |
| Dec | 611157 | 798041 | 510698 | 451314 | |
| Total | 2937018 | 4075617 | 2668918 | 3512217 | 364443 |



Feed Ingredient Prices at a Glance

| <u>Commodity</u> | <u>State</u> | <u>Variety</u> | <u>Centre</u> | <u>25-Jul-14</u> | <u> 18-Jul-14</u> | <u>Change</u> |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Bajra | Kamataka | Hybrid | Bellary | 1484 | 1518 | -34 |
| | Karnataka | Hybrid | Bangalore | 1650 | 1750 | -100 |
| Jowar | Kawataka | White | Bangalore | 2150 | 2000 | 150 |
| | Karnataka | White | Bellary | 1747 | 1526 | 221 |
| Maizo | Karnataka | Yellow | Davangere | 1300 | 1400 | -100 |
| Maize | Andhra Pradesh | Yellow | Nizamabad | NA | NA | - |
| Rico | Herriene | IR8 | Karnal | 2000 | 2000 | Unch |
| Rice | Haryana | Parmal Raw | Karnal | 2400 | 2400 | Unch |
| Courmool | Madhya Pradesh | DOC | Indore | 3870 | 3800 | 70 |
| Soy meal | Maharashtra | DOC | Sangli | 4100 | 4150 | -50 |
| Sunflower Meal | Andhra Pradesh | Ex-factory | Adoni | 2380 | 2380 | Unch |
| Sumower wear | Maharashtra | Ex-factory | Latur | 2360 | 2350 | 10 |
| Mustard | Rajasthan | Plant delivery | Jaipur | 1300 | 1340 | -40 |
| Groundnut Meal | Gujarat | GN Cake | Gondal | 2750 | 2650 | 100 |
| Cottonseed Oil Cake | Gujarat | Ex- Mandi | Kadi | 1814 | 1822 | -8 |
| Cottonseed Oil Cake | Maharashtra | Ex- Mandi | Akola | 1761 | 1765 | -4 |
| | | | | | | |

Note: Prices Rs./ Qtl

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