Domestic Fundamentals:

- Mostly weak sentiments reported among major spot markets on Friday amid higher arrivals.
- Guar seed October contract closed at 4321.00 per quintal after decreasing by 59.00 per quintal. Weakness in crude market has lead to drop in prices of guar seed. Guar is likely to touch Rs 4000.00-4050.00 per quintal in near future. Export demand is normal.
- All India average monthly prices for guar seed increased by 4.90 percent from Rs 3636.50 in July to Rs 3814.66 per qtl in August-2018. Average price in August-18 is higher by 1.24 percent compared to Rs 3767.90 per qtl (August-2017). Guar prices are expected to remain steady to weak in upcoming weeks.
- As per data released by Baker Hughes the number of oil rigs in USA has increased to 1048 as on 31st August 2018 up by 4 compared to 24th August 2018 and by 105 compared to 01st September 2017. The total number of oilrigs was recorded at 2251 worldwide in July'18 compared to 2110 in the same month last year. Demand for Indian guar gum is likely to remain good due to increase in number of oil rigs and expensive substitutes.
- As per trade sources, export of guar gum has decreased in the month of July by 0.07 percent compared to previous month. India exported around 21797 tonnes of guar gum in the month of July at an average FoB of \$ 1745.68 per tonne compared to 22630 tonnes in June at an average FoB of \$ 1734.54 per tonne. Export demand is normal as of now.
- As per trade sources, export of guar split has decreased in the month of July. Exports in the month of July are down by around 16.42% compared to previous month. India exported around 5399 tonnes of guar split in the month of July at an average FoB of \$ 1110.07 per tonne. Of the total quantity, around 3020 tonnes and 2007.3 tonnes have been exported to China and Unites States respectively.
- As per latest update, area sown in Rajasthan until 24th August 2018 is 3065.80 thousand hectares compared to target of 3500.00 thousand hectares for 2018 Kharif season. Area of guar is expected to be lower this season as farmers are shifting to moong and sesame this year due to better prices.
- The wholesale price index of guar seed has increased from 85.1 in June 2018 to 92.6 in July 2018. The WPI for July 2018 is up by 20.5 compared to last year for the same month and by 16.8 compared to July 2016. WPI is expected to stay week in coming month.

Outlook: Prices are likely to move steady to weak in coming days.

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Guar Seed									
Contract	+/-\$	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Vol. Change	OI	OI Change
Oct-18	-59	4351.5	4351.5	4280	4321	100340	-49,110	104550	-760
Nov-18	-53.5	4401	4401	4329.5	4369.5	2390	-5,140	13020	260

Guar Gum									
Contract	+/-\$	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Vol. Change	OI	OI Change
Oct-18	-138	9430	9430	9280	9385	20140	-4,160	58990	-575
Nov-18	-155	9568	9568	9391	9483	755	-935	6605	75

Guar Seed Stock Position & EDD:							
Stocks	Demat	In-Process	Total	EDD			
	6-Sep-18	6-Sep-18	6-Sep-18	3-Sep-18			
Bikaner	5201	0	5201	5192			
Deesa	8263	0	8263	9002			
Sri Ganganagar	874	0	874	874			
Jodhpur	40	0	40	40			
Nokha	0	0	0	0			

Guar Gum Stock Position & EDD:							
Stocks	Demat	In-Process	Total	EDD			
	6-Sep-18	6-Sep-18	6-Sep-18	3-Sep-18			
Deesa	386	15	401	371			
Bikaner	4677	0	4677	4702			
Jodhpur	5280	179	5459	5271			
Nokha	4462	40	4502	4502			
Sri Ganganagar	3448	0	3448	3447			

Churi and Korma Prices: As On 07 September,2018					
Commodity	Center	Rs/75kg			
Churi	Jodhpur	1500			
Korma	Jodhpur	2100			
Churi	Sri Ganganagar	1369			
Korma	Sri Ganganagar	2100			



Guar Export Prices: As On 07 September,2018						
	Variety	Value (Rs/Kg)	Value (\$/MT)			
Guargum/Split (Mundra Port)		94	1307			
Guargum Powder	200 Mesh 5000 CPS	114	1586			
	200 Mesh 3500 CPS	109	1516			
Guargum Meal	Meal 40%	21	292			
	Meal 50%	30	417			

Guar Seed Prices	at Key Spot Marke	ets:				
Commodity	District Centre Prices (Rs/Qtl) O 7-Sep-18 6-Sep-18 6-Se					
Guar Seed	District	Centre	7-Sep-18	6-Sep-18	Change	
	Jodhpur	Jodhpur (Loose)	4300	Closed	-	
	Joanpui	Jodhpur(Delivery)	4515	Closed	-	
		Sri-Ganganagar(Loose)	Closed	Closed	-	
		Sri-Ganganagar (Delivery)	Closed	Closed	-	
	Sri-Ganganagar	Rawla (Loose)	NR	Closed	-	
		Gharsana (Loose)	Closed	Closed	-	
		Raisinghnagar (Loose)	4050	Closed	-	
		Bikaner (Loose)	4100	Closed	-	
		Bikaner (Delivery)	4305	Closed	-	
		Nokha(Loose)	4100	Closed	-	
Rajasthan	Bikaner	Nokha (Delivery)	4305	Closed	-	
		Khajuwala (Loose)	4100	Closed	-	
		Khajuwala (Delivery)	4305	Closed	-	
		Lunkaransar (Loose)	4100	Closed	-	
	Hanumangarh	Hanumangarh (Loose)	4050	Closed	-	
		Hanumangarh (Delivery)	4253	Closed	-	
		Nohar (Loose)	4100	Closed	-	
		Pilibanga (Loose)	NA	NA	-	
	Nagaur	Nagaur (Loose)	4000	4100	-100	
	Churu	Churu (Delivery)	4200	Closed	-	
	Alwar	Alwar (Loose)	3950	Closed	-	
	Hisar	Adampur (Loose)	4100	4150	-50	
		Adampur (Delivery)	4305	4358	-53	
	Bhiwani	Bhiwani (Delivery)	4250	4400	-150	
Haryana		Siwani (Loose)	4225	4350	-125	
		Sirsa (Loose)	4125	4220	-95	
	Sirsa	Dhabwali (Loose)	4075	4170	-95	
	Unsa	Dhabwali (Delivery)	4279	4379	-100	
		Ellanabad (Loose)	4100	4200	-100	



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	Fatehabad	Fatehabad (Loose)	4100	4250	-150
	Banaskantha	Deesa (Loose)	NA	NA	-
Gujarat	Patan	Patan (Loose)	3875	NA	-
Gujarat	Rajkot	Rajkot (Loose)	NR	NR	-
	Jamnagar	Dhrol (Loose)	Closed	Closed	-
Madhya Pradesh	Gwalior	Dabra (Loose)	NA	NA	-
Guar Gum					
	Jodhpur	Jodhpur	9350	Closed	-
Rajasthan	Alwar	Alwar	9000	Closed	-
	Hanumangarh	Nohar	9300	Closed	-
	Bhiwani	Bhiwani	9600	9700	-100
		Sirsa	9300	9500	-200
Haryana	Sirsa	Dhabwali	9400	9450	-50
		Ellanabad	9300	9550	-250
	Fatehabad	Fatehabad	9200	9350	-150

Guar Seed Arrivals in Key Centers							
Commodity	District	Centre	Arrivals (Change			
Guar Seed		Centre	7-Sep-18	6-Sep-18	Change		
	Jodhpur	Jodhpur	50	Closed	-		
		Sri-Ganganagar	Closed	Closed	-		
	Sri-Ganganagar	Rawla	NR	Closed	-		
	Sh-Ganganagai	Gharsana	Closed	Closed	-		
		Raisinghnagar	500	Closed	-		
		Bikaner	300	Closed	-		
	Bikaner	Nokha	NA	Closed	-		
Rajasthan	Bikaner	Khajuwala	300	Closed	-		
		Lunkaransar	100	Closed	-		
	Hanumangarh	Hanumangarh	200	Closed	-		
		Nohar	400	Closed	-		
		Pilibanga	NA	NA	-		
	Nagaur	Nagaur	100	50	50		
	Churu	Churu	700	Closed	-		
	Alwar	Alwar	400	Closed	-		
	Hisar	Adampur	1000	600	400		
	Bhiwani	Bhiwani	2500	3000	-500		
Hanvana	DIIIWalii	Siwani	1000	1200	-200		
Haryana		Sirsa	1500	1500	Unch		
	Sirsa	Dhabwali	800	800	Unch		
		Ellanabad	300	300	Unch		



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	Fatehabad	Fatehabad	NA	100	-
Gujarat	Banaskantha	Deesa	NA	NA	-
	Patan	Patan	18	NA	-
	Rajkot	Rajkot	NR	NR	-
	Jamnagar	Dhrol	Closed	Closed	-
Madhya Pradesh	Gwalior	Dabra	NA	NA	-
Total Arrivals/Above Markets			10168	7550	2618

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