

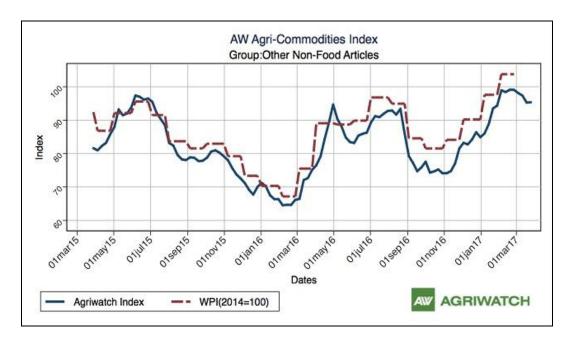
Guar Weekly Research Report

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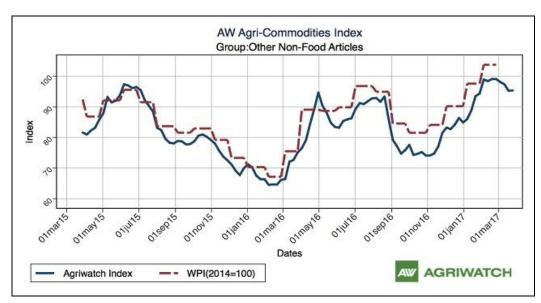
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Agriwatch Agri Commodity Index



The Agriwatch Agri Commodities Index rose 0.74% to 110.34 during the week ended March 25, 2017 from 109.53 during the previous week led by higher cereals and pulses. The base for the Index and all sub-Indices is 2014 (= 100).



The Agriwatch Agri commodity other non-food articles Index increased by 0.08% to 95.34 during the week ended March 25, 2017.

Agriwatch has recently launched its AW Agri Commodity Indices to enable organizations access independent Indices to track and use to benchmark their purchases and sales. The Indices are based on the daily prices in the key benchmark markets for each commodity that AW has been covering for the past decade. The indices include an Aggregate Index, Category Indices and individual commodity indices. The weekly indices are free to access on our website www agriwatch.com. The daily indices are available on subscription. Please contact for more details.



Executive Summary

Domestic Guar Seed Market Summary

All India weekly average prices increased by 1.99 percent to Rs. 3137.32 per quintal during the week ended 15th June 2017. Guar seed average price were ruling at Rs 3076.25 per quintal during 01-08 June 2017. As compared to prices in the week 09-15 June 2016, the prices are firm by 6.41 percent. Prices are expected to remain range bound to slightly weak in coming days.

As per second forecast of the 2017 Southwest Monsoon (June to September), with 50 percent probability, the IMD now forecasts that monsoon rainfall is likely to be 98 percent of the LPA. The monthly rainfall over the country as a whole is forecast to be 96 percent of LPA in July and 99 percent of LPA during August. This forecast, IMD's second, is an update from its April forecast when it forecast a near normal monsoon with monsoon rainfall likely to be 96 percent of the LPA.

As per data released by baker hughes the number of oil rigs in USA has increased to 933 until 16th June 2017 up by 6 compared to last week and by 509 compared to 17th June 2016. Guar gum is used in hydraulic fracturing for extracting oil and gas; therefore, as the number of oilrigs is increasing demand for guar gum is also expected to increase. The number of oilrigs is expected to increase further in coming months, which will provide support to guar gum prices.

The wholesale price index of guar seed has increased from 84.9 in April 2017 to 90.3 in March 2017. The WPI for May 2017 is higher by 17 compared to last year for the same month and lower by 15.1 compared to May 2015.

As per market sources, in the month of April 2017 India has exported around 54392 tonnes of guar gum compared to around 23158 tonnes last year for the same month. For financial year 2016-17, India exported around 4.23 lakh tonnes of guar gum have been exported compared to 3.25 lakh tonnes in financial year 2015-16 for the same period. The highest share was of USA followed by Norway and China.

As far as Arrivals are concerned, Adampur (Haryana) market (biggest market of guar in North) reported higher arrivals (3600 quintals) compared to previous week 2300 quintals.

As far as arrivals are concerned Bikaner market, reported lower arrivals (680 Quintals), compared to previous week 1180 quintals.

Recommendation:

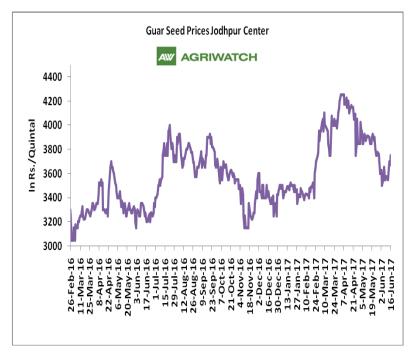
Weekly Call - : Market participants are advised to Sell Guar seed at 3565 levels for a target of 3345 with a stop loss at 3651 on closing basis.

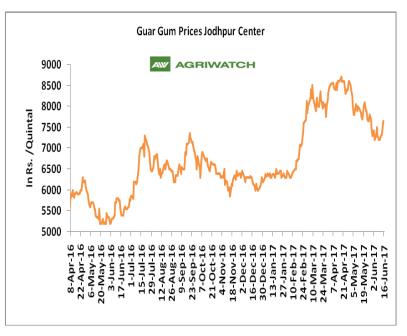


Guar Seed Fundamental Analysis and Outlook-:

Domestic Front

- In the week ended 16 June'17, Guar seed weekly average prices decreased by Rs 87.50 /- qtl during the week compared to previous week and settled at Rs 3650 per quintal.
- In addition, Guar gum weekly average prices were up by Rs. 129.17/- qtl and settled at Rs. 7421 per quintal. Firm demand for guar gum from domestic as well as overseas market led the prices up this week.
- According to third advance estimate for 2016-17 issued by Rajasthan's Department of Agriculture for Guar seed the area, production and yield are 3530007 hectares, 1404819 tonnes and 398 kg/hectare respectively. As compared to first advance estimate for 2016-17, the area, production and yield have decreased by 46932 hectares, 557605 tonnes and 151 kg/hectare respectively.
- According to third advance estimate issued by Gujarat's department of agriculture for guar seed the area, production and yield are 352000 hectares, 242000 tonnes and 687 kg/hectare respectively compared to final advance estimate issued in December the area, production and yield has been increased by 43000 hectares, 85000 tonnes and 56 kg/hectare.



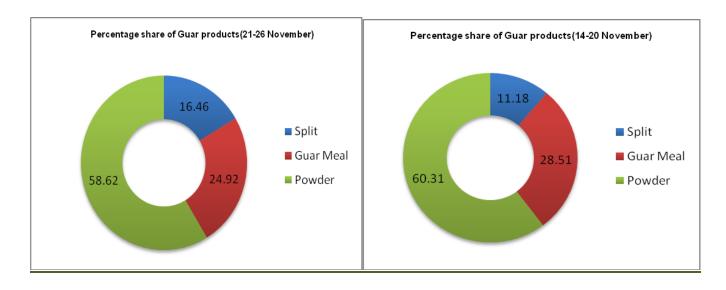




Export Scenario

Export Scenario (21st - 26th November 2016)

During this week 8625 tonnes of guar was exported out of which 5056 tonnes was guar gum powder, 2149 tonnes was guar meal and 1420 tonnes guar gum splits. As compared to last week, the export of guar gum powder and guar split has increased whereas export of guar meal has slightly decreased.



Millers/Processors Margin

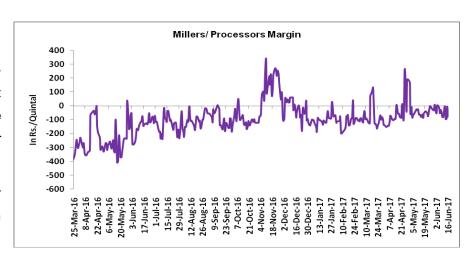
In the week ended 16 June'17, average crush margin is Rs. compared 58.79/Quintal, to last week's -36.22/Quintal. Therefore favorable crushing is for Millers/Processors.

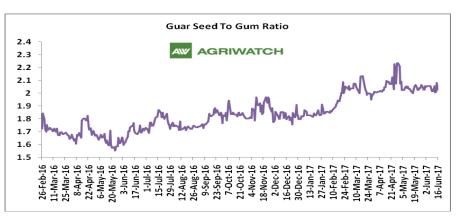
Higher degree of increase in guar seed prices compared to guar gum prices led the margin down this week.

Guar Seed to Gum Ratio:

Ratio of guar seed to guar gum for week ended 16 June'17 is 2.03, lower compared to last week's 2.04

Weak overseas demand of gum and good demand of seed from millers has decreased the overall ratio.







Technical Analysis (Guar Seed)

Commodity: Guar Seed Exchange: NCDEX Contract: July Expiry: July 20, 2017



Technical Commentary:

- Rise in price and open interest indicates long buildup.
- RSI is moving in neutral region.
- Last candlestick depicts bullishness in market.
- Prices closed below 9 and 18 day EMAs.

Strategy: Sell

| Weekly Supports & Resistances | | S1 | S2 | PCP | R1 | R2 | |
|-------------------------------|-------|------|-------|------------|------|------|------|
| Guar Seed 10MT | NCDEX | July | 3290 | 3245 | 3546 | 3705 | 3750 |
| Weekly Trade Call | | Call | Entry | T1 | T2 | SL | |
| Guar Seed 10MT | NCDEX | July | Sell | Below 3565 | 3421 | 3345 | 3651 |



Technical Analysis (Guar Gum)

Commodity: Guar Gum Exchange: NCDEX Contract: July Expiry: July 20, 2017



Technical Commentary:

- Rise in price and open interest indicates long buildup.
- Prices closed below 9 and 18 days EMAs.
- RSI is moving in neutral region.
- Last candlestick depicts bullishness in market.

Strategy: Sell

| Weekly Supports & Resistances | | S1 | S2 | PCP | R1 | R2 | |
|-------------------------------|-------|------|-------|------------|------|------|------|
| Guar Gum | NCDEX | July | 7105 | 7010 | 7602 | 7995 | 8090 |
| Weekly Trade Call | | Call | Entry | T1 | T2 | SL | |
| Guar Gum | NCDEX | July | Sell | Below 7650 | 7395 | 7210 | 7803 |



Guar Seed & Gum Prices at Key Spot Markets

| Guar by – Products Weekly Average Prices (Prices in Rs/75kg) | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
| Commodity | Centre | 10th to 16th June 17 | 03rd to 09th June 17 | Change | | | | |
| Churi | Jodhpur | 1435 | 1382 | 53 | | | | |
| Korma | Jodhpur | 1775 | 1775 | Unch | | | | |
| Churi | Sri-Ganganagar | 1299 | 1246 | 53 | | | | |
| Korma | Sri-Ganganagar | 1572 | 1544 | 28 | | | | |

| Guar Export Weekly Average Prices (Prices in \$/MT) | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Commodity | Variety | 10th to 16th June 17 | 03rd to 09th June 17 | Change | | | | | |
| Guargum Split | | 1149 | 1132 | 18 | | | | | |
| Guargum Powder | 200 Mesh 5000 CPS | 1460 | 1442 | 18 | | | | | |
| | 200 Mesh 3500 CPS | 1382 | 1365 | 18 | | | | | |
| Guargum Meal | 40% | 313 | 308 | 5 | | | | | |
| | 50% | 381 | 373 | 8 | | | | | |

| Guar Seed Weekly Average Prices: | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------|--|--|--|
| Commodity | | | Weekly Price) (R | | | | | |
| Guar Seed | District | Centre | 10th to 16th June 17 | 03rd to 09th June 17 | Change | | | |
| | Jodhpur | Jodhpur (Loose) | 3500 | 3413 | 88 | | | |
| | Journal | Jodhpur(Delivery) | 3650 | 3563 | 88 | | | |
| | | Sri-Ganganagar(Loose) | 3267 | 3230 | 37 | | | |
| | Sri-Ganganagar | Sri-Ganganagar (Delivery) | 3409 | 3380 | 29 | | | |
| | | Rawla (Loose) | 3310 | 3215 | 95 | | | |
| | | Gharsana (Loose) | 3292 | 3188 | 103 | | | |
| | | Raisinghnagar (Loose) | 3285 | 3190 | 95 | | | |
| | | Bikaner (Loose) | 3345 | 3214 | 131 | | | |
| Rajasthan | | Bikaner (Delivery) | 3495 | 3364 | 131 | | | |
| | | Nokha(Loose) | 3313 | 3198 | 116 | | | |
| | Bikaner | Nokha (Delivery) | 3433 | 3313 | 120 | | | |
| | | Khajuwala (Loose) | 3337 | 3220 | 117 | | | |
| | | Khajuwala (Delivery) | 3470 | 3349 | 121 | | | |
| | | Lunkaransar (Loose) | 3304 | 3183 | 121 | | | |
| | | Hanumangarh (Loose) | 3325 | 3302 | 23 | | | |
| | Hanumangarh | Hanumangarh (Delivery) | 3475 | 3452 | 23 | | | |
| | | Nohar (Loose) | 3396 | 3292 | 104 | | | |



| | | Pilibanga (Loose) | 3307 | 3232 | 75 |
|----------------|-------------|---------------------|------|------|------|
| | Nagaur | Nagaur (Loose) | 3275 | 3208 | 67 |
| | Churu | Churu (Delivery) | 3400 | 3367 | 33 |
| | Alwar | Alwar (Loose) | 3217 | 3167 | 50 |
| | Hisar | Adampur (Loose) | 3393 | 3282 | 111 |
| | Пізаі | Adampur (Delivery) | 3543 | 3432 | 111 |
| | Bhiwani | Bhiwani (Delivery) | 3470 | 3317 | 153 |
| | Diliwalii | Siwani (Loose) | 3444 | 3282 | 163 |
| Haryana | | Sirsa (Loose) | 3375 | 3230 | 145 |
| | Sirsa | Dhabwali (Loose) | 3333 | 3221 | 113 |
| | Silsa | Dhabwali (Delivery) | 3483 | 3371 | 113 |
| | | Ellanabad (Loose) | 3312 | 3196 | 116 |
| | Fatehabad | Fatehabad (Loose) | NA | NA | - |
| | Banaskantha | Deesa (Loose) | 3175 | 3175 | Unch |
| Gujarat | Patan | Patan (Loose) | 3227 | 3160 | 67 |
| Gujarat | Rajkot | Rajkot (Loose) | 3130 | 3093 | 37 |
| | Jamnagar | Dhrol (Loose) | NA | 2988 | - |
| Madhya Pradesh | Gwalior | Dabra (Loose) | NA | NA | - |
| Guar Gum | | | | | |
| | Jodhpur | Jodhpur | 7421 | 7292 | 129 |
| Rajasthan | Alwar | Alwar | 7367 | 7333 | 33 |
| | Hanumangarh | Nohar | 7483 | 7417 | 67 |
| | Bhiwani | Bhiwani | 7363 | 7300 | 63 |
| | | Sirsa | 7458 | 7267 | 192 |
| Haryana | Sirsa | Dhabwali | 7433 | 7275 | 158 |
| | | Ellanabad | 7429 | 7292 | 138 |
| | Fatehabad | Fatehabad | NA | NA | - |

| Week on Week Price: Scenario of Guarseed and Guargum: | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--|--|--|
| Commodity | District | Centre | Today | Week Ago | Month Ago | Year Ago | | | |
| Guar Seed | DISTRICT | Centre | 16-Jun- 17 | 9-Jun- 17 | 16-May- 17 | 16-Jun- 16 | | | |
| | Jodhpur | Jodhpur (Loose) | 3600 | 3425 | 3700 | 3125 | | | |
| | | Jodhpur(Delivery) | 3750 | 3575 | 3850 | 3275 | | | |
| | Sri- Ganganagar | Sri-Ganganagar(Loose) | 3350 | 3200 | 3600 | 2950 | | | |
| Rajasthan | | Sri-Ganganagar (Delivery) | 3450 | 3350 | 3750 | 3050 | | | |
| | | Rawla (Loose) | 3400 | 3208 | 3445 | 2935 | | | |
| | | Gharsana (Loose) | 3400 | 3200 | 3450 | 3000 | | | |
| | | Raisinghnagar (Loose) | 3370 | 3230 | 3450 | 3000 | | | |



| | | Bikaner (Loose) | 3425 | 3200 | 3525 | 2925 |
|-------------------|-------------|------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | | Bikaner (Delivery) | 3575 | 3350 | 3675 | 3075 |
| | | Nokha(Loose) | 3400 | 3170 | 3450 | 2950 |
| | Bikaner | Nokha (Delivery) | 3522 | 3284 | 3574 | 3056 |
| | | Khajuwala (Loose) | 3410 | 3220 | 3525 | 2960 |
| | | Khajuwala (Delivery) | 3546 | 3349 | 3666 | 3078 |
| | | Lunkaransar (Loose) | 3400 | 3200 | 3450 | 2940 |
| | | Hanumangarh (Loose) | 3400 | 3250 | 3554 | 2940 |
| | Hanumangarh | Hanumangarh (Delivery) | 3550 | 3400 | 3704 | 3090 |
| | панинануатн | Nohar (Loose) | 3500 | 3300 | 3500 | 2940 |
| | | Pilibanga (Loose) | 3360 | 3150 | 3550 | 2900 |
| | Nagaur | Nagaur (Loose) | 3350 | 3300 | 3350 | 3050 |
| | Churu | Churu (Delivery) | 3600 | 3300 | 3750 | 3150 |
| | Alwar | Alwar (Loose) | 3300 | 3100 | 3500 | 2950 |
| | Hisar | Adampur (Loose) | 3450 | 3300 | 3550 | 2950 |
| | Tilsai | Adampur (Delivery) | 3600 | 3450 | 3700 | 3100 |
| | Bhiwani | Bhiwani (Delivery) | 3500 | 3300 | 3650 | 3050 |
| | | Siwani (Loose) | 3520 | 3300 | 3625 | 3050 |
| Haryana | Sirsa | Sirsa (Loose) | 3470 | 3225 | 3500 | 2975 |
| | | Dhabwali (Loose) | 3350 | 3250 | 3450 | 2870 |
| | | Dhabwali (Delivery) | 3500 | 3400 | 3600 | 3020 |
| | | Ellanabad (Loose) | 3350 | 3250 | 3450 | 2950 |
| | Fatehabad | Fatehabad (Loose) | NR | NR | 3500 | 3000 |
| | Banaskantha | Deesa (Loose) | 3175 | 3225 | 3170 | NA |
| Gujarat | Patan | Patan (Loose) | 3315 | 3105 | 3345 | 2895 |
| Gujarat | Rajkot | Rajkot (Loose) | 3250 | 3085 | 3300 | 2985 |
| | Jamnagar | Dhrol (Loose) | NA | 2925 | 3250 | 2835 |
| Madhya Pradesh | Gwalior | Dabra (Loose) | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Guar Gum | | | | | | |
| | Jodhpur | Jodhpur | 7600 | 7200 | 7750 | 5600 |
| Rajasthan | Alwar | Alwar | 7600 | 7200 | 8000 | 5600 |
| | Hanumangarh | Nohar | 7700 | 7400 | 7800 | 5600 |
| | Bhiwani | Bhiwani | 7400 | 7200 | 7900 | 5350 |
| | | Sirsa | 7700 | 7200 | 7600 | 5650 |
| Haryana | Sirsa | Dhabwali | 7600 | 7250 | 7750 | 5500 |
| | | Ellanabad | 7600 | 7250 | 7750 | 5600 |
| | Fatehabad | Fatehabad | NR | NR | 7900 | 5600 |





| Commodity | | | Weekly Arriv | als (Quintals) | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------|
| Guar Seed | District | Centre | 10th to 16th June 17 | 03rd to 09th June 17 | Change |
| | Jodhpur | Jodhpur | 952 | 517 | 435 |
| | | Sri-Ganganagar | 1938 | 1805 | 133 |
| | Sri Canganagar | Rawla | 280 | 510 | -230 |
| | Sri-Ganganagar | Gharsana | 525 | 305 | 220 |
| | | Raisinghnagar | 1450 | 975 | 475 |
| | | Bikaner | 680 | 1180 | -500 |
| | Bikaner | Nokha | 2100 | 1600 | 500 |
| Rajasthan | Bikaner | Khajuwala | 1550 | 1350 | 200 |
| | | Lunkaransar | 1750 | 1260 | 490 |
| | Hanumangarh | Hanumangarh | 654 | 293 | 361 |
| | | Nohar | 5300 | 5000 | 300 |
| | | Pilibanga | 700 | 900 | -200 |
| | Nagaur | Nagaur | 740 | 1005 | -265 |
| | Churu | Churu | 5300 | 4000 | 1300 |
| | Alwar | Alwar | 2500 | 1400 | 1100 |
| | Hisar | Adampur | 3600 | 2300 | 1300 |
| | Bhiwani | Bhiwani | 4200 | 4800 | -600 |
| | | Siwani | 3200 | 3500 | -300 |
| Haryana | | Sirsa | 2250 | 1950 | 300 |
| | Sirsa | Dhabwali | 950 | 600 | 350 |
| | | Ellanabad | 880 | 320 | 560 |
| | Fatehabad | Fatehabad | NA | NA | - |
| | Banaskantha | Deesa | 1740 | 1180 | 560 |
| Outour | Patan | Patan | 199 | 253 | -54 |
| Gujarat | Rajkot | Rajkot | 500 | 345 | 155 |
| | Jamnagar | Dhrol | NA | 43 | - |
| Madhya Pradesh | Gwalior | Dabra | NA | NA | - |
| Total Arrivals/Abov | e Markets | | 43938 | 37391 | 6547 |

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