

Guar Weekly Research Report

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Executive Summary

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Domestic Guar Seed Market Summary

All India weekly average prices decreased by 0.52 percent to Rs. 3382.56 per quintal during the week ended 15th June 2018. Guar seed average price were ruling at Rs 3400.08 per quintal during 01-08 June 2018. As compared to prices in the week 09-15 June 2017, the prices are firm by 0.93 percent. Prices are expected to remain steady to weak in coming days.

As per data released by Baker Hughes the number of oil rigs in USA has decreased to 1059 as on 15th June 2018 down by 3 compared to last week and up by 126 compared to 16th June 2017. The total number of oilrigs was recorded at 2179 worldwide in May'18 compared to 2096 in the same month last year. Although the number of oil rigs is rising but alternatives to guar gum are slightly affecting exports from India.

As per latest update, India has exported 494101 tonnes of guar seed products in 2017-18. Of the total quantity around 321923 tonnes is guar gum, 127437 tonnes is guar meal and 44740 tonnes is guar split. Exports of guar seed products have increased by 17.66 percent in 2017-18 compared to previous year. Higher exports have helped in reducing stock position. Export demand is likely to stay good in coming weeks.

The wholesale price index of guar seed has decreased from 91.3 in April 2018 to 88.7 in May 2018. The WPI for May 2018 is up by 4.5 compared to last year for the same month and by 21.0 percent compared to May 2016. WPI is expected to stay week in coming months.

Guar seed future July contract showed technical recovery in past week and closed at Rs 3722.00 per quintal. As of now, fundamentals are not in support of guar seed. Downtrend is likely to continue although small technical recoveries can be expected. Normal monsoon forecast is also weighing on prices. If current situation continues, Guar is likely to touch Rs 3200-3250 per quintal in future.

As per trade sources, export of guar split has declined in the month of April. Exports in the month of April are down by around 30.59% compared to previous month. India exported around 2943 tonnes of guar split in the month of April at an average FoB of \$1538.89 per tonne. Of the total quantity around 1482 tonnes and 1100 tonnes has been exported to China and Unites States respectively.

As far as Arrivals are concerned, Adampur (Haryana) market (biggest market of guar in North) reported higher arrivals (4600 quintals) compared to previous week arrivals of 4200 quintals.

As far as Arrivals are concerned, Bikaner market reported higher arrivals (1000 quintals) compared to 450 quintals in the previous week.

Recommendation:

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Weekly Call - : Market participants are advised to sell Guar seed at 3735 levels for a target of 3595 with a stop loss at 3786 on closing basis.

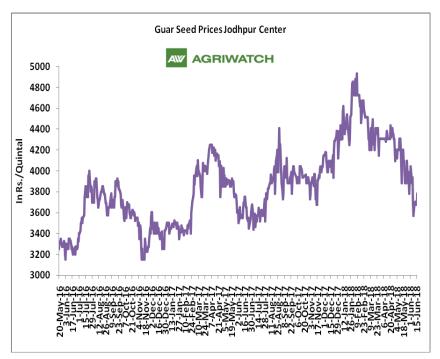


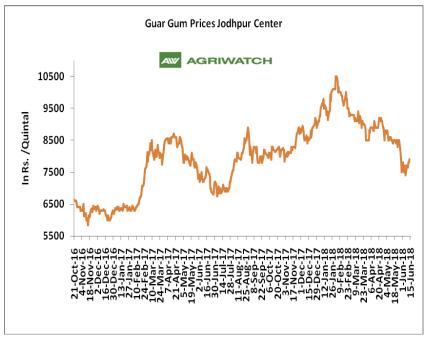
Guar Seed Fundamental Analysis and Outlook-:

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Domestic Front

- In the week ended 15th June'18, Guar seed weekly average prices decreased by Rs 91.88/qtl during the week compared to previous week and settled at Rs 3697 per quintal.
- In addition, Guar gum weekly price increased by Rs 208.33 per quintal and settled at Rs. 7792 per quintal. Firm demand for guar gum from domestic as well as overseas market keep prices at higher side in previous week.
- According first advance estimate for 2017-18, issued by Gujarat's Department Agriculture for Guar seed, the area, production and yield are 200000 hectares, 144000 tonnes and 721 kg/hectare respectively. As per third advance estimate for 2016-17 issued by Gujarat's Department of Agriculture for Guar seed the area, production and yield are 352000 hectares, 242000 tonnes and 687 kg/hectare.
- According to first advance estimate for 2017-18 issued by Rajasthan's Department of Agriculture for Guar seed, the area is 3167018 hectares. As compared to third advance estimate for 2016-17, the area, has decreased by 362989 hectares.







Millers/Processors Margin

In the week ended 15th June'18, average crush margin is Rs. 138.02/Quintal, compared to last week's -33.62/Quintal. Therefore, crushing is favorable for Millers/Processors.

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

Guar Seed to Gum Ratio

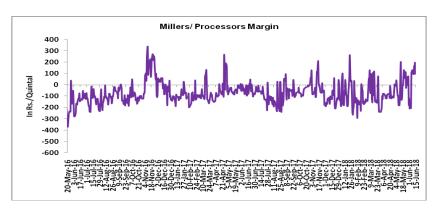
Ratio of guar seed to guar gum for week ended 15th June'18 is 1.90, lower compared to last week's 1.94

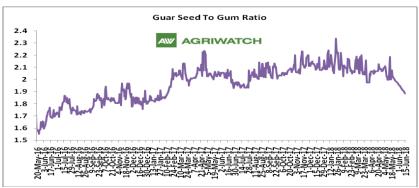
Weak overseas demand of gum and good demand of seed from millers has decreased the overall ratio.

Guar gum Weekly Export

Source: Trade

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Week On Week Exports	Quantity in MT	Average FoB (\$/T)
01-08 April-2018	6691.11	1879.72
09-15 April -2018	7835.08	1909.46
16-23 April -2018	7539.67	1894.68
24-30 April -2018	5216.49	1836.55
Total	27282.35	



Technical Analysis (Guar Seed)

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Commodity: Guar Seed

Exchange: NCDEX Contract: July Expiry: July 20, 2018



Technical Commentary:

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

Strategy: Sell

Weekly Support	rts & Resistan	ces	S 1	S2	PCP	R1	R2
Guar Seed	NCDEX	July	3530	3475	3722	3860	3915
Weekly Trade Call		Call	Entry	T1	T2	SL	
Guar Seed	NCDEX	July	Sell	Below 3735	3650	3595	3786



Technical Analysis (Guar Gum)

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Commodity: Guar Gum

Exchange: NCDEX Contract: July Expiry: July 20, 2018



Technical Commentary:

- Rise in price and fall in open interest indicates short covering.
- RSI is moving in oversold region.
- Last candlestick depicts bearishness in market.
- Prices closed below 9 and 18 day EMAs.

Strategy: Sell

Weekly Supports & Resistances			S1	S2	PCP	R1	R2
Guar Gum	NCDEX	July	7210	7105	7720	7985	8090
Weekly Trade Call		Call	Entry	T1	T2	SL	
Guar Gum	NCDEX	July	Sell	Below 7725	7510	7355	7854



Guar Seed & Gum Prices at Key Spot Markets

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Guar by – Products Weekly Average Prices (Prices in Rs/75kg)							
Commodity	Centre	9th to 15thJune 2018	2nd to 8thJune 2018	Change			
Churi	Jodhpur	1494	1462	31			
Korma	Jodhpur	2209	2194	15			
Churi	Sri-Ganganagar	1338	1294	44			
Korma	Sri-Ganganagar	2013	1944	69			

Guar Export Weekly Average Prices (Prices in \$/MT)							
Commodity	Variety	9th to 15thJune 2018	2nd to 8thJune 2018	Change			
Guargum Split		1141	1140	2			
Guargum Powder	200 Mesh 5000 CPS	1437	1438	0			
	200 Mesh 3500 CPS	1363	1363	0			
Guargum Meal	40%	296	298	-2			
	50%	429	432	-3			

Guar Seed Weekly Average Prices:									
Commodity	District	0		Weekly Prices (Average) (Rs/Qtl)					
Guar Seed	District	Centre	9th to 15thJune 2018	2nd to 8thJune 2018	Change				
	lodhpur	Jodhpur (Loose)	3521	3608	-88				
	Jodhpur	Jodhpur(Delivery)	3697	3789	-92				
		Sri-Ganganagar(Loose)	3735	Closed	-				
		Sri-Ganganagar (Delivery)	3885	Closed	-				
	Sri-Ganganagar	Rawla (Loose)	NR	NR	-				
		Gharsana (Loose)	3521	3527	-5				
		Raisinghnagar (Loose)	3550	Closed	-				
Rajasthan		Bikaner (Loose)	3588	3513	75				
Kajasinan		Bikaner (Delivery)	3767	3688	79				
		Nokha(Loose)	3569	3505	64				
	Bikaner	Nokha (Delivery)	3748	3680	67				
		Khajuwala (Loose)	3543	3480	63				
		Khajuwala (Delivery)	3720	3654	66				
		Lunkaransar (Loose)	3542	3499	43				
	Hanumangarh	Hanumangarh (Loose)	3548	3481	68				
	Hanumangarh	Hanumangarh (Delivery)	3726	3655	71				



		Nohar (Loose)	3591	3560	31
		Pilibanga (Loose)	NA	NA	-
	Nagaur	Nagaur (Loose)	3442	3413	29
	Churu	Churu (Delivery)	3875	3850	25
	Alwar	Alwar (Loose)	3600	3558	42
	I liana	Adampur (Loose)	3589	3538	51
	Hisar	Adampur (Delivery)	3769	3715	53
	Dhimani	Bhiwani (Delivery)	3775	3721	54
	Bhiwani	Siwani (Loose)	3726	Closed	-
Haryana		Sirsa (Loose)	3575	Closed	-
	Cinna	Dhabwali (Loose)	3550	Closed	-
	Sirsa	Dhabwali (Delivery)	3728	Closed	-
		Ellanabad (Loose)	3560	Closed	-
	Fatehabad	Fatehabad (Loose)	3570	Closed	-
	Banaskantha	Deesa (Loose)	3555	3200	355
Outomet	Patan	Patan (Loose)	3434	3367	67
Gujarat	Rajkot	Rajkot (Loose)	3508	3491	18
	Jamnagar	Dhrol (Loose)	3407	3459	-52
Madhya Pradesh	Gwalior	Dabra (Loose)	NA	NA	-
Guar Gum					
	Jodhpur	Jodhpur	7792	7583	208
Rajasthan	Alwar	Alwar	7683	7633	50
	Hanumangarh	Nohar	7750	7640	110
	Bhiwani	Bhiwani	7492	7575	-83
		Sirsa	7740	Closed	-
Haryana	Sirsa	Dhabwali	7650	Closed	-
		Ellanabad	7660	Closed	-
	Fatehabad	Fatehabad	7660	Closed	-

Week on Week Price: Scenario of Guarseed and Guargum:								
Commodity	District	Centre	Today	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago		
Guar Seed			15-Jun-18	8-Jun-18	15-May-18	15-Jun-17		
	Jodhpur	Jodhpur (Loose)	3600	3450	4000	3525		
	Jouripur	Jodhpur(Delivery)	3780	3623	4200	3675		
	Sri-Ganganagar	Sri-Ganganagar(Loose)	3775	NR	3700	3320		
Rajasthan		Sri-Ganganagar (Delivery)	3925	NR	3850	3470		
		Rawla (Loose)	NR	NR	NR	3400		
		Gharsana (Loose)	NA	3480	NA	3420		



	T	Raisinghnagar (Loose)	NR	NR	NR	3300
		Bikaner (Loose)	3650	3525	3700	3425
		Bikaner (Delivery)	3833	3701	3885	3575
		Nokha(Loose)	3670	3500	3720	3450
	Bikaner	Nokha (Delivery)	3854	3675	3906	3574
		Khajuwala (Loose)	3600	3500	3700	3440
		Khajuwala (Delivery)	3780	3675	3885	3578
		Lunkaransar (Loose)	3600	3500	3725	3425
		Hanumangarh (Loose)	3600	3550	3650	3400
	Hanumangarh	Hanumangarh (Delivery)	3780	3728	3833	3550
		Nohar (Loose)	3650	3600	3700	3500
		Pilibanga (Loose)	NA	3480	NA	3400
	Nagaur	Nagaur (Loose)	3500	3350	3650	3200
	Churu	Churu (Delivery)	3950	3900	3875	3500
	Alwar	Alwar (Loose)	3700	3600	3600	3300
	Hisar	Adampur (Loose)	3680	3550	3740	3500
	liisai	Adampur (Delivery)	3864	3728	3927	3650
	Bhiwani	Bhiwani (Delivery)	3850	3725	3925	3600
	Billwaili	Siwani (Loose)	3800	NA	3825	3550
Haryana	Sirsa	Sirsa (Loose)	3650	NA	NA	3475
		Dhabwali (Loose)	NA	NA	NA	3400
	Sirsa	Dhabwali (Delivery)	NA	NA	NA	3550
		Ellanabad (Loose)	3600	NA	NA	3350
	Fatehabad	Fatehabad (Loose)	3600	NA	NA	NA
	Banaskantha	Deesa (Loose)	NA	NA	NA	3200
Gujarat	Patan	Patan (Loose)	NA	3360	NA	3230
Gujarat	Rajkot	Rajkot (Loose)	3615	3470	3625	3180
	Jamnagar	Dhrol (Loose)	3485	3415	NA	NA
M.P	Gwalior	Dabra (Loose)	NA	NA	NA	NA
Guar Gum						
	Jodhpur	Jodhpur	7900	7600	8400	7650
Rajasthan	Alwar	Alwar	7900	7600	8400	7600
	Hanumangarh	Nohar	7800	7700	8400	7700
	Bhiwani	Bhiwani	7650	7550	8450	7600
		Sirsa	7800	NA	NA	7800
Haryana	Sirsa	Dhabwali	NA	NA	NA	7600
		Ellanabad	7700	NA	NA	7600
	Fatehabad	Fatehabad	7800	NA	NA	NA



Guar Seed Arrivals at Key Spot Markets

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Commodity			Weekly Arriv	als (Quintals)	
Guar Seed	District	Centre	9th to 15thJune 2018	2nd to 8thJune 2018	Change
	Jodhpur	Jodhpur	390	50	340
		Sri-Ganganagar	1450	Closed	-
	Sri Congonogor	Rawla	NR	NR	-
	Sri-Ganganagar	Gharsana	175	270	-95
		Raisinghnagar	400	Closed	-
		Bikaner	1000	450	550
	Dikonor	Nokha	1900	1700	200
Rajasthan	Bikaner	Khajuwala	1100	900	200
		Lunkaransar	650	330	320
	Hanumangarh	Hanumangarh	110	125	-15
		Nohar	2125	235	1890
		Pilibanga	NA	NA	-
	Nagaur	Nagaur	675	695	-20
	Churu	Churu	3500	3250	250
	Alwar	Alwar	1400	950	450
	Hisar	Adampur	4600	4200	400
	Di inneri	Bhiwani	1800	3100	-1300
	Bhiwani	Siwani	6900	Closed	-
Haryana		Sirsa	1300	Closed	-
	Sirsa	Dhabwali	450	Closed	-
		Ellanabad	580	Closed	-
	Fatehabad	Fatehabad	550	Closed	-
	Banaskantha	Deesa	10	21	-11
Gujarat	Patan	Patan	215	205	10
Gujarat	Rajkot	Rajkot	1810	2930	-1120
	Jamnagar	Dhrol	86	196	-110
Madhya Pradesh	Gwalior	Dabra	NA	NA	-
Total Arrivals/Abo	ve Markets		33176	19607	13569

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