

Executive Summary:

- Mixed sentiments featured in the key maize physical markets on Tuesday.
- In Davangere, maize was quoted firm by Rs. 10 per quintal to Rs. 1230 per quintal. As per trade sources, maize stock could be around 5 lakh bags (included government stock 3 lakh bags and local stockiest stock around 2 lakh bags). Maize is moving towards Krishnapatnam at Rs. 1240 per quintal, sourced from Koppal.
- In Ahmadabad region of Gujarat, quotes by the poultry feed makers' were up by Rs. 25 per quintal to Rs. 1350 per quintal. However, starch feed makers' quoted it steady at Rs. 1360 per quintal on Tuesday, sourced from Maharashtra.
- In Delhi, hybrid maize quoted steady at Rs. 1420 per quintal on Tuesday. Sources revealed that prices could trade steady to firm in near term.
- The maize bilty prices in Khanna market was quoted steady at Rs. 1450 per quintal on Tuesday. Around 8-10 motors of maize reportedly arrived in the market. Sources revealed that maize stock could be around 150-200 motors.
- As per trade sources, Maize is moving towards Pune at Rs. 1300, Satara at Rs. 1270-1280, and Gujarat at Rs. 1300 per quintal, sourced from Maharashtra.

International Market Commentary:

- Corn prices decreased yesterday by \$ 3.54 /MT as USDA raised the global corn carryout to 158.47 MMT from 157.3 MMT projected last month and settled at \$185.78 /MT for March contract on CBOT market. Global corn stockpile was raised due to larger production in China at 158.47 MMT.
- As per USDA, 1.456 billion bushels of corn will remain when the U.S. crop is ready for harvest by late summer, down from 1.481 billion in February and a third consecutive monthly cut. Projected exports were raised by 25 million bushels on stronger world imports and the rising pace of shipments in recent weeks.

Outlook and Recommendation

Maize is expected to feature steady to firm tone amid higher domestic demand from poultry and starch in the near term.

NCDEX Maize Futures

Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close
Mar-14	14.00	1260.00	1275.00	1256.00	1275.00
Apr-14	8.00	1228.00	1234.00	1225.00	1234.00
May-14	8.00	1221.00	1228.00	1219.00	1228.00

Contract	Volume	Change	OI	Change
Mar-14	2750	410	3700	-1840
Apr-14	4760	320	22690	490
May-14	2640	-730	16440	760

Spread	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14
Spot	-15		
Mar-14		-41	-47
Apr-14			-6

*Basis – Nizamabad. The market remains closed on Sat.

Stocks	Demat	In-Process	Total	FED
	10.3.14	10.3.14	10.3.14	10.3.14
Gulabbagh	-	-	-	-
Davangere	-	-	-	-
Nizamabad	-	-	-	-
New Delhi	-	-	-	-
Sangli	14503	0	14503	14503
Jalgaon	101	0	101	101

Spot Prices at Key Markets

Market	Grade	Prices (Rs./qtl)			Arrivals in Quintal		
		11-Mar-14	10-Mar-14	Change	11-Mar-14	10-Mar-14	Change
New Delhi	Hybrid/Local	1420	1420	Unch	800	800	Unch
Kopal	Bilty	1260	1270	-10	1000	1000	Unch
Davangere	Bilty	1230	1220	10	5000	3000	2000
Ranebennur	Hybrid/Local	NA	1165	-	NA	4556	-
Bagalkot	Hybrid/Local	1195	1201	-6	59	132	-73
Gadag	Local	1141	NA	-	182	NA	-
Hubli	Local	1130	NA	-	107	NA	-
Shimoga	Hybrid/Local	1140	1140	Unch	1080	2178	-1098
Nizamabad	Bilty	1260	1260	Unch	2000	5000	-3000
Karimnagar	Local	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-
Khammam	Local	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-
Sangli	Feed	1260	1260	Unch	NA	NA	-
Yeola-Nashik	Bilty	1170	1160	10	600	700	-100
Naugachia	Bilty	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-
Kolkata	Mill Delivery	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-
Ahmedabad	Feed	1350	1325	25	4000	6000	-2000
	Starch	1360	1360	Unch			
Gulabghagh	Local	1280	1280	Unch	2000	2000	Unch
	Bilty	1300	1300	Unch			
Khanna	Local	1350	1360	-10	1500	1050	450
	Bilty	1450	1450	Unch			
Ludhiana	Local	1425	1425	Unch	NA	NA	-
	Bilty	1450	1450	Unch			

CBOT Corn Daily Futures Price Listing (USD/MT) as on 10 Mar, 2014

Contract Month	Open	High	Low	Close	Change
Mar-14	188.53	189.42	185.09	185.78	-3.54
May-14	191.49	191.98	187.16	188.24	-4.23
Jul-14	193.06	193.55	188.93	189.81	-4.23
Sep-14	190.90	191.58	187.16	188.63	-3.25
Dec-14	189.81	190.70	186.57	188.14	-2.66

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