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Executive Summary:

- In Ahmadabad region of Gujarat, poultry feed makers quoted maize steady at Rs. 1540 per quintal while starch feed makers quoted it steady at Rs. 1560 per quintal compared to previous day.
- In Nizamabad, maize is likely to trade steady to slightly weak in the near term.
- Davangere market is likely to trade steady to slightly weak in the near term. Arrival pressure from Maharashtra limit the demand of Tamil Nadu's feed makers.
- In Bihar, maize crop is in good condition; expected to arrive in the month of April.

International Market Commentary:

- Corn prices on CBOT rose yesterday by 0.49 USD/MT to 143.10 USD/MT for March contract and are likely to trade firm due to fresh export demand.
- MFIG, maize industry procurement association of Taiwan, purchased about 65,000 MT of corn likely to be sourced from the United States at a premium of 119.11 U.S. cents c&f over the Chicago July corn contract. Shipment could be around April 18 to May 7 if sourced from the U.S. Gulf, Brazil or Argentina or it could be around May 3-22 if sourced from the U.S. Pacific North West coast or South Africa.

Outlook and Recommendation: Maizecash market is likely to trade steady to slightly weak in the near term.

NCDEX Maize Futures

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Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Spread	Mar-17	Apr-17	М	ay-17
Apr-17	_	_	_	-		Spot	-			
May-17	-	_	_	_	_	Mar-17			-	-
Jun-17		-	-	4000.00	4007.00	Apr-17				-
*Prices are tak	+7.00 ken at 5:00	1310.00 p.m.	1310.00	1306.00	1307.00	*Basis –Nizan	nabad (Spread c	alculated as at 5:	00 p.m. price)	
						Ot a alva	Demat	In-Process	Total	FED
Contract	Volu	me Cha	ange	OI C	hange	Stocks	15.Mar.17	15.Mar.17	15.Mar.17	13.Mar.17
Apr-17	-		-	-	-	Gulabbagh	-	-	-	-
May-17	-		-	-	-	Davangere	-	-	-	-
Jun-17	30		- 1	140	-	Nizamabad	-	-	-	-
*Volume and (OI are taker	n at 5:00 p.m.				New Delhi	-	-	-	-
						Sangli	926	0	926	926
						Jalgaon	1743	0	1743	1743

Spot Prices at Key Markets

Contro		P	rices (Rs./qtl)		Arrivals in Quintal			
Centre	Grade	16-Mar-17	15-Mar-17	Change	16-Mar-17	15-Mar-17	Change	
New Delhi	Hybrid	1550	1500	50	NA	NA	-	
Koppal	Loose	1500	1510	-10	1500	2000	-500	
Davangere	Local delivery price	NA	NA	-	1000	1000	Unch	
Ranebennur	Hybrid/Local	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-	
Bagalkot	Hybrid/Local	1458	NA	-	341	NA	-	
Gadag	Local	NA	1456	-	NA	31	-	
Hubli	Local	NA	1455	-	NA	31	-	
Shimoga	Hybrid/Local	NA	1530	-	NA	24	-	
Nizamabad	Bilty	1450	1470	-20	6000	7000	-1000	
Karimnagar	Local	NA	1435	-	NA	163	-	
Khammam	Local	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-	
Sangli	Feed	1540	1537	3	NA	NA	-	
Naugachia	Bilty	1350	1350	Unch	500	333	167	
Kolkata	Mill Delivery	1500	1500	Unch	3333	3333	Unch	
Gulabbagh	Local	NA	NA	-	200	200	Unch	
Gulabbagh	Bilty	1450	1450	Unch	200			
Abmedehed	Feed	1540	1540	Unch	5000	6000	-1000	
Ahmadabad	Starch	1560	1560	Unch	5000			
Khanna	Local	1550	50 1550 Uno		1500	4500	Unch	
Khanna	Bilty	1650	1650	Unch	1500	1500	Unch	
Ludhiana	Local	NA	NA	-	NIA	NA	-	
Luumana	Bilty	NA	NA	-	NA			

CBOT Corn Daily Futures Price Listing (USD/MT) as on 15 Mar,2017							
Contract Month	Open	High	Low	Close	Change		
17-Mar	142.61	143.60	142.51	143.10	0.49		
17-May	145.56	146.55	145.37	146.06	0.49		
17-Jul	148.32	149.21	148.09	148.62	0.30		
17-Sep	151.27	152.16	151.08	151.57	0.30		
17-Dec	154.82	155.60	154.82	155.11	0.30		

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