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# **Executive Summary:**

- In Ahmadabad region of Gujarat, poultry feed makers quoted maize firm by Rs. 5 per quintal to Rs. 1530 per quintal while starch feed makers quoted it firm by Rs. 30 per quintal to Rs. 1580 per quintal.
- In Gulabbagh, new crop of maize (bilty) contain 14% moisture level, traded firm by Rs. 10 per quintal to Rs. 1370 per quintal compared to previous day. It is likely to trade steady to slightly firm amid fresh demand.
- Prices in Gulabbagh market varies according to quality and moisture level available in crop.
- In Nizamabad, maize (loose) traded down by Rs. 10 per quintal to Rs. 1420 per quintal compared to previous day and is likely to trade steady in the near term.
- In Davangere, maize (loose) traded steady at Rs. 1520 per quintal. It is likely to trade steady in the near term.

## **International Market Commentary:**

- Corn prices on CBOT were unchanged yesterday at 142.41 USD/MT for May contract.
- Preliminary Japanese government data shows that Japan's use of corn in animal feed production fell by 0.3 % to 45.9% in the February'17 compared to same month last year as users' reliance on alternatives such as wheat increased.

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

### **NCDEX Maize Futures**

Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Spread	Apr-17	May-17	Jun-17		
Apr-17	0.00	1331.00	1331.00	1331.00	1331.00	Spot	39				
May-17	0.00	1370.00	1372.00	1367.00	1370.00	Apr-17		39	-		
Jun-17	+4.00	1410.00	1413.00	1405.00	1413.00	May-17			43		
*D · · ·			1415.00	1403.00	1415.00	*Basis –Gulabbagh (Spread calculated as at 5:00 p.m. price)					

\*Prices are taken at 5:00 p.m.

Contract	Volume	Change	OI	Change
Apr-17	-	-	60	-
May-17	180	-	210	-
Jun-17	780	-710	7040	450

\*Volume and OI are taken at 5:00 p.m.

Stocks	Demat In-Process		Total	FED	
SIUCKS	19.Apr.17	19.Apr.17	19.Apr.17	17.Apr.17	
Gulabbagh	-	-	-	-	
Davangere	-	-	-	-	
Nizamabad	-	-	-	-	
New Delhi	-	-	-	-	
Sangli	31	0	31	31	
Jalgaon	1618	0	1618	1579	

### **Spot Prices at Key Markets**

Contro	Orreste	Р	rices (Rs./qtl)		Arrivals in Quintal			
Centre	Grade	20-Apr-17	19-Apr-17	Change	20-Apr-17	19-Apr-17	Change	
New Delhi	Hybrid	1550	1550	Unch	NA	NA	-	
Koppal	Loose	1560	1560	Unch	400	NA	-	
Davangere	Loose price	1520	1520	Unch	500	1000	-500	
Ranebennur	Hybrid/Local	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-	
Bagalkot	Hybrid/Local	1489	1497	-8	62	122	-60	
Gadag	Local	1510	NA	-	1	NA	-	
Hubli	Local	1481	1440	41	2	131	-129	
Shimoga	Hybrid/Local	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-	
Nizamabad	Bilty	1480	1480	Unch	2000	2000	Unch	
Karimnagar	Local	1537	NA	-	197	NA	-	
Khammam	Local	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-	
Sangli	Feed	1555	1558	-3	NA	NA	-	
Naugachia	Bilty	1350	1350	Unch	1667	3333	-1667	
Kolkata	Mill Delivery	1500	1500	Unch	3333	5000	-1667	
Culobbach	Local	NA	NA	-	20000	30000	Unch	
Gulabbagh	Bilty	1370	1360	10	30000			
Abmedebed	Feed	1530	1525	5	0000	C000 5000		
Ahmadabad	Starch	1580	1550	30	6000	5000	1000	
Khanna	Local	1520	1500	20	1200	1200	Unch	
Khanna	Bilty	1610	1600	10	1200	1200		
Ludhiana	Local	NA	NA	-	NA	NA	-	
Luuniana	Bilty	NA	NA	-		NA		

CBOT Corn Daily Futures Price Listing (USD/MT) as on 19th April,2017							
Contract Month	Open	High	Low	Close	Change		
17-May	142.22	143.79	141.92	142.41	Unch		
17-Jul	144.88	146.35	144.58	144.97	Unch		
17-Sep	147.73	149.30	147.50	147.93	Unch		
17-Dec	151.86	153.54	151.67	152.16	0.10		
18-Mar	155.60	157.28	155.50	156.00	0.10		

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