

## **Executive Summary:**

- In Ahmadabad region of Gujarat, poultry feed makers quoted maize weak by Rs.40 to Rs.1450 per quintal and starch feed makers quoted weak by Rs.25 to Rs. 1500 per quintal.
- In Gulabbagh, new crop of maize (bilty) traded unchanged by to Rs. 1270 per quintal compared to previous day. It is likely to trade steady in near term.
- Prices in Gulabbagh market varies according to quality and moisture level available in crop.
- In Nizamabad, maize (loose) traded down by Rs. 5 to 1510 per quintal and is likely to trade steady in the near term.
- In Davangere, maize(loose) traded steady at Rs. 1660 per quintal and is likely to trade steady to firm in the near term.

## **International Market Commentary:**

- As per USDA, U.S corn exports reached 37.93 MMT in the 2016-17 marketing year. At 1.22 MMT (for the period 28<sup>th</sup> April -4<sup>th</sup> May, 2017) exports were down 41 percent from the previous week and 43 percent from the prior 4-week average. The primary destinations were Mexico (302,900 MT), Japan (198,200 MT), South Korea (61,300 MT), Canada (26,700 MT), and Jordan (26,300 MT).
- In U.S, 47% corn planting has been completed as of 7th May, 2017, lower by 14% compared to corresponding period of last year and 5% from last 5 year average period. 15% crop of corn has emerged; lower by 10% compared to last year and 4% from last 5 year average period.

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

## **NCDEX Maize Futures**

| Contract | +/-   | Open    | High    | Low     | Close   |
|----------|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Jun-17   | +8.00 | 1325.00 | 1329.00 | 1325.00 | 1328.00 |
| July-17  | +6.00 | 1349.00 | 1350.00 | 1346.00 | 1349.00 |
| Aug-17   | +0.00 | 1366.00 | 1366.00 | 1366.00 | 1366.00 |

<sup>\*</sup>Prices are taken at 5:00 p.m.

| Contract | Volume | Change | OI   | Change |
|----------|--------|--------|------|--------|
| Jun-17   | 290    | 40     | 9980 | -120   |
| July-17  | 380    | 50     | 3240 | 190    |
| Aug-17   |        |        | 220  | 00     |

<sup>\*</sup>Volume and OI are taken at 5:00 p.m.

| Spread | Jun-17 | Jul-17 | Aug-17 |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Spot   | -10    |        |        |
| May-17 |        | 44     | -      |
| Jun-17 |        |        | 20     |

\*Basis –Gulabbagh (Spread calculated as at 5:00 p.m. price)

| Stocks    | Demat     | In-Process | Total     | FED       |  |
|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|--|
| Siocks    | 20.May.17 | 20.May.17  | 20.May.17 | 15.May.17 |  |
| Gulabbagh | 819       | 0          | 819       | 513       |  |
| Davangere | -         | -          | -         | -         |  |
| Nizamabad | -         | -          | -         | -         |  |
| New Delhi | -         | -          | -         | -         |  |
| Sangli    | -         | -          | -         | -         |  |
| Jalgaon   | 1045      | 0          | 1045      | 1145      |  |



**Spot Prices at Key Markets** 

| Centre       | Grade         | Prices (Rs./qtl) |           |        | Arrivals in Quintal |           |        |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|-----------|--------|---------------------|-----------|--------|
| Centre       |               | 22-May-17        | 20-May-17 | Change | 22-May-17           | 20-May-17 | Change |
| New Delhi    | Hybrid        | 1425             | 1425      | Unch   | NA                  | NA        | -      |
| Koppal       | Loose         | 1580             | 1580      | Unch   | NA                  | NA        | -      |
| Davangere    | Loose price   | 1660             | 1660      | Unch   | 1000                | 1000      | Unch   |
| Ranebennur   | Hybrid/Local  | NA               | 1600      | -      | NA                  | 3707      | -      |
| Bagalkot     | Hybrid/Local  | NA               | 1535      | -      | NA                  | 4         | -      |
| Gadag        | Local         | NA               | NA        | -      | NA                  | NA        | -      |
| Hubli        | Local         | 1525             | 1500      | 25     | 70                  | 155       | -85    |
| Shimoga      | Hybrid/Local  | NA               | 1600      | -      | NA                  | 210       | -      |
| Nizamabad    | Bilty         | 1510             | Closed    | -      | 1000                | Closed    | -      |
| Karimnagar   | Local         | NA               | 1351      | -      | NA                  | 30        | -      |
| Khammam      | Local         | NA               | NA        | -      | NA                  | NA        | -      |
| Sangli       | Feed          | 1580             | 1580      | Unch   | NA                  | NA        | -      |
| Naugachia    | Bilty         | 1225             | 1225      | Unch   | 3333                | 3333      | Unch   |
| Kolkata      | Mill Delivery | 1375             | 1375      | Unch   | 8333                | 8333      | Unch   |
|              | Local         | NA               | NA        | -      | 22222               | 40000     | -20000 |
| Gulabbagh    | Bilty         | 1270             | 1270      | Unch   | 20000               |           |        |
| Al a lab a l | Feed          | 1450             | 1490      | -40    | 5000                | 5000      | Unch   |
| Ahmadabad    | Starch        | 1500             | 1525      | -25    | 5000                |           |        |
| 1/1          | Local         | 1450             | 1460      | -10    | 000                 | 1200      | -300   |
| Khanna       | Bilty         | 1520             | 1520      | Unch   | 900                 |           |        |
| 1 11 1       | Local         | NA               | NA        | -      | NIA                 |           | -      |
| Ludhiana     | Bilty         | NA               | NA        | -      | NA NA               | NA        |        |

| CBOT Corn Daily Futures Price Listing (USD/MT) as on 19th May,2017 |        |        |        |        |        |  |  |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--|--|
| Contract Month   | Open   | High   | Low    | Close  | Change |  |  |
| 17-Jul   | 144.09 | 146.84 | 144.09 | 146.65 | 2.56   |  |  |
| 17-Sep   | 147.14 | 149.80 | 147.04 | 149.50 | 2.36   |  |  |
| 17-Dec   | 151.17 | 153.83 | 151.14 | 153.63 | 2.46   |  |  |
| 18-Mar   | 155.11 | 157.57 | 155.01 | 157.47 | 2.36   |  |  |
| 18-May   | 157.28 | 159.84 | 157.28 | 159.64 | 2.36   |  |  |

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