

- Steady to firm tone are witnessed in soymeal complex after improved demand of south based traders today. However, COVID-19 is remain a serious factor to affect demand of poultry firm in coming days.
- According to trade source, one vessel (DODO) and one vessel (TROGIR) are expected to arrive at Tuticorin port for sunflower oil meal with total capacity of 31253 tons and 33000 tons respectively.
- During the week (Feb.28 to Mar 5, 2020) US sold higher soybean cake and meal by 46% 171,800 MT for 2019/2020 from the previous week 22% higher from prior 4-week average. Increases primarily for Vietnam (41,000 MT), Canada (38,700 MT), Peru (18,100 MT), El Salvador (18,000 MT), and Honduras (14,800 MT, including decreases of 200 MT), were offset by reductions primarily for Ecuador (1,200 MT). For 2020/2021, total net sales of 100 MT were for Canada. Exports of 341,500 MT--a marketing-year high--were up 1 percent from the previous week and 22 percent from the prior 4-week average. The destinations were primarily to the Philippines (93,300 MT), Canada (45,900 MT), Mexico (36,400 MT), Peru (32,200 MT), and Israel (32,000 MT).
- As per recent report of USDA, India may produce higher Soymeal to 6.6 million tonnes in 2019/20 compared to 6.4 million tonnes in Feb month estimates however lower from 7.6 million tonnes in 2018/19 season. Domestic consumption is forecast at 5.49 million tonnes for this season higher from 5.3 million tonnes in Feb month estimates and also from 5.2 million tonnes in previous year record.
- As per NOPA recent data, NOPA members have crushed total 166.28 million bushels of Soybeans in February 2020 which is lower from 176.94 million bushels in January 2020. However, it is higher from 154.49 million bushels in February 2019. Crushing is slightly lower than the average trade estimate of 164.95 million bushels, based on data gathered by Reuters from 8 analysts. Soybean oil stocks rose to 1.92 billion pounds at the end of February against 2.013 billion pounds in January month however higher from 1.752 billion pounds at the end of February 2019. Soymeal exports has been reported higher in February 2020 at 762,745 tons against 931,061 tons in January 2020 and 784,660 tons exported in February 2019.
- As per SOPA, Soymeal production of the country is likely to stand at 62.78 lakh tonnes. Carry over stock of Soymeal is estimated at 1.59 lakh tonnes and 1.37 lakh tons of carry forward stocks. While export sea and land may stand at 10 lakh tonnes lower output and noncompetitive prices in world market. India had exported total 22 lakh tonnes in last year in 2018-19 season. Domestic consumption of Soymeal (Food) is estimated at 5.50 lakh tonnes and 47.50 lakh tonnes for Feed. In October month, India has exported total 0.50 lakh tonnes of Soymeal lower against 1.31 in Oct 2018 on lower overseas demand.
- As per USDA, U.S. soybean meal export bids in February averaged \$334/ton, down \$6 from January. Brazil Paranagua FOB averaged \$317/ton, down \$4 from January, and Argentina Up River FOB averaged lower by \$7 to \$330/ton.
- As per recent SEA report, India shipped Oilmeals lower by 74% to 76,017 tons in February 2020 against 294,510 tons in February 2019. India shipped total 20,309 tons of soymeal, 40,585 tons of Rapeseed meal, 3500 tons of Rice Bran Ext., 11,623 tons of castor seed meal in Feb 2020. The overall export of oilmeals during April-Feb. 2020 is reported 25% lower to 2,200,690 tons compared to 2,941,971 tons in April-Feb.2019 on account of disparity in export of oilmeals, specifically soybean meal due to higher MSP of beans which makes the domestic soybean meal expensive in international market compared to other origin. However, the export of castor seed meal has increased by 50% to 505,194 against 359,351 tons in Apr-to Feb 2020 compared to last season.
- During April-February 2020, Vietnam imported 276,655 tons of oilmeals (compared to 592,697 tons); consisting of 6,417 tons of soybean meal, 167,643 tons of rapeseed meal and 102,595 tons of De-oiled Rice Bran Extraction. South Korea imported 809,733 tons of oilmeals (compared to 699,334 tons); consisting 51,098 tons of soybean meal, 365,243 tons of rapeseed meal and 393,392 tons of castor seed meal. Thailand imported 218,320 tons of oilmeals (compared to 298,400 tons) consisting 197,798 tons of rapeseed meal, 17,581 tons of Rice Bran Extractions and 2905 tons of soybean meal.
- During April-February 2020, the export from Kandla is reported at 754,590 tons (34%), followed by Mundra handled 703,303 tons (32%), and Mumbai including JNPT handled 172,169 tons (8%) and Kolkata handled 131,269 tons (6%) and Others Ports handled 439,359 tons (20%).

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- Indian Soymeal premium quoted higher side by \$73 per ton over Argentinean meal with Indian meal bullishness producing the premium rather than Argentinean meal bearishness. Such premiums may limit bookings of Indian Soymeal for forward as well as spot market.

Soy DOC Rates at Different Centers			
Centres	Ex-factory rates (Rs/ton)		
	18-Mar-20	17-Mar-20	Parity To
Indore - 45%, Jute Bag	29200	29200	Gujarat, MP
Kota - 45%, PP Bag	30200	29500	Rajasthan, Del, Punjab, Haryana
Dhulia/Jalna - 45%, PP Bag	30700	30700	Mumbai, Maharashtra
Nagpur - 45%, PP Bag	30500	30500	Chattisgarh, Orissa, Bihar, Bangladesh, AP, Kar, TN
Nanded	31500	31300	Andhra, AP, Kar, TN
Latur	31500	31500	-
Sangli	30800	31000	Local and South
Solapur	30200	30200	Local and South
Akola – 45%, PP Bag	30500	31200	Andhra, Chattisgarh, Orissa, Jharkhand, WB
Hingoli	34000	34000	Andhra, Chattisgarh, Orissa, Jharkhand, WB
Bundi	30000	29300	-

Soy DOC at Ports			
Centers	Port Price		
	17-Mar-20	16-Mar-20	Change
Kandla (FOR) (INR/MT)	31500	31500	Unch
Kandla (FAS) (USD/MT)	400	420	-20
CNF Indonesia – Yellow SBM (USD/MT)	420	430	-10

Rapeseed Meal	17-Mar-20	16-Mar-20	Change
FAS Kandla (USD/MT)	218	220	-2
FOR Kandla (Rs/MT)	16000	16200	-200
FOR Mundra (Rs/MT)	16400	16600	-200
CNF Indonesia (USD/MT)	240	240	Unch

International Soy DOC			
Argentina FOB USD/MT	17-Mar-20	16-Mar-20	Change
Soybean Pellets	332	329	3
Soybean Cake Flour	332	329	3
Soya Meal	327	324	3
Soy Expellers	327	324	3

Sunflower (DOC) Rates	Ex-factory rates (Rs/ton)		
Centers	18-Mar-20	17-Mar-20	Change
Adoni	22000	22000	Unch
Khamgaon	Unq	Unq	-
Parli	Unq	Unq	-
Latur	21500	21500	Unch

Groundnut Meal (Rs/MT)	18-Mar-20	17-Mar-20	Change
Basis 45%, Saurashtra	27000	27000	Unch
Basis 40%, Saurashtra	24000	24000	Unch
GN Cake, Gondal	26500	26500	Unch

Mustard DOC	18-Mar-20	17-Mar-20	Change
Jaipur (Plant delivery)	15600	15600	Unch
Kandla (FOR Rs/MT)	16200	16200	Unch

Mumbai Oil Meal Quotes:			
Rs/M.T.	18-Mar-20	17-Mar-20	Change
G.N. Extr (45%)	25000	25000	Unch
Kardi Extr	Unq	Unq	-
Undec Cottonseed Exp	21000	21000	Unch
Rice Bran Extr.	Unq	Unq	-
Sunflower Extr.	20000	20000	Unch
Rapeseed Extr.	Unq	Unq	-
Soymeal 48%	30470	30470	Unch
Castor Extr.	3550	3575	-25

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