

**Soy Meal Fundamentals:** Mixed tone are featured in the domestic soymeal markets, Friday. Dull demand continues from major consuming sectors like poultry and feed manufacturers which may put more pressure on prices. Soymeal consumption is severely hit due to the slack in demand from poultry sector with subsequent fall in poultry demand mainly due to coronavirus pandemic. Soymeal (Indore) prices closed higher at Rs. 29,200/T against 29000.

- In a major blow to the domestic soymeal market, which was already reeling under pressure, DGFT has blocked the online registration of Merchandise Export from India Scheme Claims (MEIS), this week, on its portal from exports undertaken 01.04.2020 onwards.
- This will result in further decline in soymeal exports from India, as MEIS benefit of 5% is a significant incentive to compete in the world market. SOPA has made a representation to the government to revoke the suspension of the MEIS benefit immediately. The revenue department have argued against continuing the MEIS, calling it wasteful and inefficient.
- The export of oilmeals from India during May 2020 is provisionally reported at 247,879 tons compared to 201,768 tons in May, 2019 i.e. up by 23%. The main reason in increased of oilmeals in May 2020 is sharpened increased in export of rapeseed meal to 144,244 tons from 72,895 tons in May 2019. The overall export of oilmeals during April and May 2020 is provisionally reported at 349,880 tons compared to 456,353 tons during the same period of previous year i.e. down by 23% - SEA.
- India's soymeal shipments may fall to around 500,000 tonnes in 2019-20 (Oct-Sep), less than one fourth of the year-ago figure of 2.1 million tonnes due to slack in demand from traditional overseas buyers amid ongoing lockdowns, said, Soybean Processors Association of India Chairman Davish Jain.
- India's 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 non-competitive 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.
- During the week (July 31 to August 6, 2020) US net sales of 182,400 MT for 2019/2020 were up 75 percent from the previous week and 24 percent from the prior 4-week average. Increases primarily for Canada (95,700 MT), Mexico (24,600 MT, including decreases of 100 MT), Colombia (16,000 MT, including decreases of 3,000 MT), Peru (12,000 MT), and Indonesia (11,200 MT), were offset by reductions for Guatemala (4,900 MT), Costa Rica (1,900 MT), Belgium (1,700 MT), Jamaica (1,100 MT), and El Salvador (900 MT). For 2020/2021, net sales of 70,000 MT primarily for El Salvador (18,000 MT), Colombia (18,000 MT), Mexico (15,900 MT), Canada (6,200 MT), and Panama (6,000 MT), were offset by reductions for the Philippines (2,200 MT). Exports of 196,500 MT were down 15 percent from the previous week and 5 percent from the prior 4-week average. The destinations were primarily to Japan (35,700 MT), Canada (35,600 MT), Mexico (34,700 MT), the Dominican Republic (24,500 MT), and Panama (16,400 MT).
- In the July 20 report, USDA has kept India's soymeal production at 6.64 million tonnes for 2019/20 in lower from 7.68 million tonnes in 2018/19 season. Domestic consumption is also placed unchanged at 5.49 million tonnes for this season which was estimated at 5.28 million tonnes last season.

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**Soy DOC Rates at Different Centers**

Centres	Ex-factory rates (Rs/ton)		
	14-Aug-20	13-Aug-20	Parity To
Indore - 45%, Jute Bag	29200	29000	Gujarat, MP
Kota - 45%, PP Bag	30700	30700	Rajasthan, Del, Punjab, Haryana
Dhulia/Jalna - 45%, PP Bag	30800	31300	Mumbai, Maharashtra
Nagpur - 45%, PP Bag	31000	30700	Chattisgarh, Orissa, Bihar, Bangladesh, AP, Kar, TN
Nanded	31800	31500	Andhra, AP, Kar ,TN
Latur	32000	32000	-
Sangli	31000	31000	Local and South
Solapur	31400	31400	Local and South
Akola – 45%, PP Bag	30200	30500	Andhra, Chattisgarh, Orrisa,Jharkhand, WB
Hingoli	31500	31700	Andhra, Chattisgarh, Orrisa,Jharkhand, WB
Bundi	30500	30500	-

**Soy DOC at Ports**

Centers	Port Price		
	13-Aug-20	11-Aug-20	Change
Kandla (FOR) (INR/MT)	32500	32500	Unch
Kandla (FAS) (USD/MT)	445	445	Unch
CNF Indonesia – Yellow SBM (USD/MT)	420	420	Unch

Rapeseed Meal	13-Aug-20	11-Aug-20	Change
FAS Kandla (USD/MT)	220	220	Unch
FOR Kandla (Rs/MT)	16500	16500	Unch
FOR Mundra (Rs/MT)	16900	16900	Unch
CNF Indonesia (USD/MT)	248	248	Unch

**International Soy DOC**

Argentina FOB USD/MT	13-Aug-20	11-Aug-20	Change
Soybean Pellets	335	327	8
Soybean Cake Flour	335	327	8
Soya Meal	335	324	11
Soy Expellers	335	324	11

**Sunflower (DOC) Rates**

Centers	14-Aug-20	13-Aug-20	Change
Adoni	22700	22700	Unch

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Khamgaon	NA	NA	-
Parli	NA	NA	-
Latur	22200	22200	Unch

Groundnut Meal (Rs/MT)	14-Aug-20	13-Aug-20	Change
Basis 45%, Saurashtra	Closed	Closed	-
Basis 40%, Saurashtra	Closed	Closed	-
GN Cake, Gondal	Closed	Closed	-

Mustard DOC	14-Aug-20	13-Aug-20	Change
Jaipur (Plant delivery)	16000	16000	Unch
Kandla (FOR Rs/MT)	16300	16300	Unch

Mumbai Oil Meal Quotes:			
Rs/M.T.	14-Aug-20	13-Aug-20	Change
G.N. Extr (45%)	26000	26000	Unch
Kardi Extr	NA	NA	-
Undec Cottonseed Exp	22500	22500	Unch
Rice Bran Extr.	NA	NA	-
Sunflower Extr.	18500	18500	Unch
Rapeseed Extr.	NA	NA	-
Soymeal 48%	30470	30260	210
Castor Extr.	NA	4650	-

**Outlook:** The domestic soymeal prices will continue to feature range-bound movement with weak bias on weak demand in poultry amidst COVID-19 concerns in near-to-medium term.

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