AGRIWATCH

Oilseeds Domestic Fundamentals:

The Benchmark, Indore market remained closed for labour strike Monday. However, the other key soybean makets featured steady to weak tone. The disparity in domestic crushing is too high to make it is unviable for crushers to crush the beans. Besides, RM seed featured mostly weak tone on lackluster buying and on expectation of higher mustard seed production in the coming season. No arrivals were reported in the cash markets of Madhya Pradesh. However, all India mustard seed arrivals were reported lower at 85,000 bags compared to 88,000 bags previous day, the RM seed arrivals in Rajasthan were reported slightly lower at 45,000 bags compared to 45,000 bags on Saturday.

International Oilseeds Fundamentals:

Argentina's 2013/14 soybean planted acreage is estimated at 20.35 million hectares by Buenos Aires Grains Exchange, which is has been slightly cut from the previous its estimate of 20.45 million hectares. US Sep/Feb 2013/14 soybean exports are expected to reach a record 34.8 Mn T. Brazil is expected to harvest 90 Mn T this season. Insufficient rains in Argentina has left soybean under stress.

Outlook:

Soybean (plant delivery) prices are expected to feature range-bound movement on firm-bias. The Indore (Plant Delivery) prices are expected to witness 3820-3860 levels in the near term.

NCDEX Soybean Futures:					NCDEX RM Seed Futures:						
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan-14	-11.50	3775.00	3802.00	3750.00	3750.0	Jan-14	-107.0	3615.00	3640.00	3517.00	3517.0
Feb-14	54.50	3711.00	3755.00	3711.00	3754.0	Apr-14	10.0	3412.00	3423.00	3403.00	3417.0
Mar-14	55.50	3676.00	3715.00	3676.00	3715.0	May-14	13.0	3447.00	3456.00	3442.00	3455.0
Apr-14	55.00	3659.50	3696.00	3656.50	3694.0	Jun-14	1.0	3485.00	3496.00	3485.00	3495.0
Contract	Volume	e Chang	ge O	OI CI	nange						
Jan-14	3110	2410) 78	70 -	1750	Contract	Vol	ume C	hange	OI	Change
Feb-14	69060	5034	0 960	. 060	7630	Jan-14	96	50	8270	8160	-5190
Mar-14	37500	2911	0 111	510 4	4660	Apr-14	232	260	7720	43830	2000
Apr-14	15040	1087	0 710	080	2230	May-14	16	60	-30	8720	90
						Jun-14	7	0	-110	1680	20
Spread	Jan	-14	Feb-14	М	ar-14						
Basis	7	7				Spread		Jan-14	Ap	or-14	May-14
Jan-14			4		-35	Basis		66.00			
Feb-14					-39	Jan-14			-10	00.00	-62.00
						Apr-14					38.00

*Far Month Contract - Near Month Contract. Basis: Spot –Future (Indore).

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Stocks	Demat	In-Process	Total	FED	Stocks	Demat	In-Process	Total	FED
	18.1.2014	18.1.2014	18.1.2014	6.1.2014		18.1.2014	18.1.2014	18.1.2014	6.1.2014
Akola	2972	6246	9218	8721	Sri Ganganagar	-	-	-	180
Indore	-	-	-	-	Bikaner	270	0	270	270
Kota	-	-	-	10	Kota	1473	2561	4034	20
				181	Jaipur	4090	312	4402	2413
Sagar	-	-	-	101	Alwar	673	141	814	282
					_ Hapur	40	0	40	40

*SBN Fed Stocks Expiry on Jan '14



Oilseed Prices at Key Spot Markets:

Commodity	Centre	Prices	Prices (Rs/Qtl)		
		20.1.2014	18.1.2014		
	Indore –Plant	Closed	3825-3850	-	
	Indore-Mandi	Closed	3825-3850	-	
	Nagpur-Plant	3650	3650	Unch	
	Nagpur – Mandi	3400-3600	3500-3600	Unch	
	Kota-Plant	3700	3725	-25	
Soybean	Kota – Mandi	3500-3700	3700-3750	-50	
	Bundi-Plant	3675-3725	3725-3730	-5	
	Bundi-Mandi	3500-3600	3650	-50	
	Baran-Plant	3600	3750	-150	
	Baran-Mandi	3400-3700	3650-3700	Unch	
	Bhawani Mandi Jhalawar– Kota-Plant Delivery	3850	3860	-10	
	Jhalwar-Mandi	3820-3850	3800	50	
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	Jaipur-(Condition)	3580-3585	3575-3580	5	
	Alwar-(Condition)	3450	3500	-50	
	SriGanganagar-(Non- Condition-Unpaid)	3200	3200	Unch	
Rapeseed/Mustard	New Delhi-(Condition)	-	3580	-	
	Kota-Non-(Condition)	3000-3080	3100	-20	
	Agra-(Condition)	3725	3760	-35	
	Neewai	-	3500	-	
	Hapur (UP)	3550 3550		Unch	
Groundnut Seed	Rajkot	650	660	-10	
	Gulbarga(New Crop)	NR	NR	-	
Sunflower Seed	Latur	3200-3400	3250-3450	-50	
	Sholapur(New Crop)	3200-3400	3250-3450	-50	

Soybean Prices are in INR/qtl. (1 bag=90 kg). Mandi prices – Loose, Mustard Seed Prices are in INR/qtl (1 bag=85 kg) C – Condition (42%), *Groundnut seed in Rs/20 kg, Sunflower Seed in Rs/qtl.



Oilseed Arrivals in Key Centers:

Commodity	Centre	Arrivals i	n Bags/Qtl	Change
		20.1.2014	18.1.2014	
	Madhya Pradesh	-	80000	-
	Maharashtra	25000	70000	-45000
Soybean	Rajasthan	12000	6000	6000
	Bundi (Raj)	400	150	250
	Baran (Raj)	2000	1000	1000
	Jhalawar (Raj)	1000	800	200
	Rajasthan	45000	43000	2000
Democrand/Musterd	Alwar	7000	4000	3000
Rapeseed/Mustard	Sri Ganganagar	300	150	150
	Kota	1200	2000	-800
	•	-	-	•
Groundnut Seed	Rajkot (Gujarat)	7000	7000	Unch
Sunflower Seed	Sholapur (Maharashtra)	2200	2000	200

Other Oilseed Prices at Mumbai (INR/100 Kg):

Oilseeds	20.1.2014	18.1.2014	Change
Groundnut Kernel	3900	4000	-100
Kardi Seed 2% Exp Quality	3650	3650	Unch
Sesame White 98/2/1 FM	13500	13500	Unch
Sunflower Seed	3825	3825	Unch
Niger Seed (4% FM)	4800	4825	-25
Castor Seed (Bombay)	4100	4090	10

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