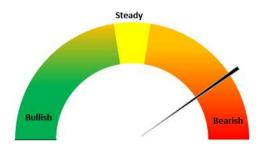


Oilseeds Domestic Fundamentals:

Today's Update-

- Today, In Indore Soybean plant prices remained stable at INR 5,525/Qtl as compared to previous day amid weak demand in the market. However, most of the market witnessed mixed sentiments.
- The prices of Soybean in Indore have fallen to a four-month low.
 Similarly, soymeal has also declined from a six-month high. The sentiment in the oil and oilseeds segment has been dampened due to a record mustard crop and higher arrivals.

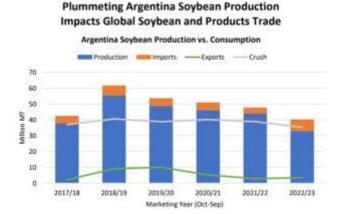


- Despite shrink in arrivals, the prices have become strongly bearish in the short-term due to continuous pressure on crashing mustard seed prices caused by a record crop of this crop year. In the last two months, prices have fallen, reflecting the catastrophic decline in mustard seed prices.
- According to trade sources, edible oil imports declined in February backed by higher domestic oilseed production. Soy import fell by 20,000 tons to 340,000 ton.
- In near term soybean is likely to trade with weak bias in the range of INR 5,200-5,600/Qtl.

International market update:

| CBOT Soy bean Futures (\$/ Bushels) | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Contract | % Change | Open | High | Low | Close |
| May-23 | -0'2 (-0.02%) | 15.14 | 15.16 | 15.03 | 15.06 |
| Jul-23 | -1'0 (-0.07%) | 15.01 | 15.04 | 14.90 | 14.93 |
| Aug-23 | -2'4 (-0.17%) | 14.65 | 14.65 | 14.53 | 14.55 |
| Sep-23 | -2'0 (-0.14%) | 13.97 | 13.99 | 13.85 | 13.88 |

Argentina's soybean production for the 2022/23 season has been reduced for the third consecutive month due to hot and dry weather, which is causing stress to the crop in vital growing regions. This month, the production has decreased by 8.0 million tons to a 14-year low of 33.0 million. Additionally, the crush forecast is anticipated to be at the lowest level in more than ten years. The declining supplies and crush in Argentina will have an impact on the global trade of soybeans, protein meal, and vegetable oils in the forthcoming months.



To counterbalance the limited domestic soybean supplies, Argentina is expected to reach a record high of 7.3 million tons of imports (Oct-Sep). The importers in Argentina are anticipated to take advantage of the record Brazilian crop and the recovery in Paraguay's production to supplement the weak domestic crop. Therefore, Argentina is expected to have the second-largest increase in soybean import growth in 2022/23, following



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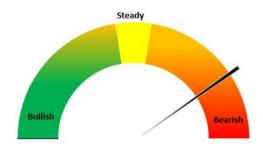
China.

The soybean crop in Brazil was 43% harvested as of late last week comparted to 54.6% last year and 46.6% average according to AgRural. This represents an advance of 10% for the week. Mato Grosso leads the way with 88% harvested while Parana remains slow at 17% harvested. Open weather in Mato Grosso, Goias, Minas Gerais, Bahia, Tocantins and should allow for a quick harvest pace.

Global oilseed production is lowered 7 million tons to 630 million predominantly on large reductions to Argentina soybean and sunflower seed and India cottonseed crops.

RM seed Today's Update-

- In Rajasthan, RM seed went marginally down by 0.45% to INR 5,550/Qtl. All india arrivals clocked to 13 lakh bags while In Rajasthan arrivals recorded at 6.5 Lakh bags.
- The domestic industry players are requesting duties on palm imports and urging the government to procure mustard to prevent the decline in prices.
- It is expected that prices are likely to remain bearish in the next 3-4 weeks of March. However, there might be a rebound in the last week of March as NAFED begins to procure the new mustard crop and shrink in arrivals. Additionally, the TRQ on the import of crude soy oil and crude sunflower oil will expire on March 31st, leading to the implementation of a 5.5% import duty on these products.



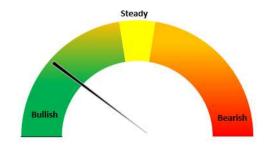


Groundnut:

Rajkot groundnut bold average prices went marginally down by 0.5% to INR 6,572/Qtl. amid low availability in the market. In upcoming days, Groundnut average prices is likely to trade range bound in the range of INR 6,200-7,200/Qtl. GN seed prices has corrected in last few days in tandem with groundnut oil prices.

GN Oil prices retreated from all time high price of Rs 1750 to Rs 1650/10Kg at benchmark Rajkot market as domestic demand slackened off amid higher premium of GN oil over competing oils. Demand substitution is also witnessed in Gujarat from GN oil to cheaper oils like corn oil and cotton seed oil.

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Sunflower:

Today, Sunflower in Gulbarga market traded at 6100/ qtl. amid weaker oilseed complex.

As per the USDA oilseed March 2023 (monthly) report, the world total production of sunflower seed is estimated to decrease by 12% and reach 50.29 MMT as compared to 57.3 MMT in the previous year. While in Russia it is projected to increase by 3%, however a drop of 41% is estimated in Ukraine while an decrease of 6% in Argentina and the sun oil exports are estimated to be up in Russia to 4 MMT Vs 3.1 MMT previous year while down in Ukraine at 3.95 MMT Vs 4.46 MMT in previous year. The world's total ending stocks are estimated to be down at 4.3 MMT Vs 8.0 MMT previous year.

Sesame

Today, sesame (White) sesame traded steady at INR 12900/Qtl. amid subdued trading activities.



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Oilseed Prices at Key Spot Markets:

| Commodity / Centre | Prices (Rs/QtI) | | | | Change |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|-------|-----------|-------|--------|
| October 1 | 13-Mar-23 | | 10-Mar-23 | | |
| Soybean | Low | High | Low | High | |
| Indore -Plant | 5425 | 5525 | 5425 | 5525 | Unch |
| Indore–Mandi | 5200 | 5400 | 5200 | 5400 | Unch |
| Nagpur-Plant | 5200 | 5400 | 5400 | 5600 | -200 |
| Nagpur – Mandi | 4920 | 5025 | 5200 | 5400 | -375 |
| Latur – Mandi | 5100 | 5250 | - | - | - |
| Akola – Mandi | 4850 | 5070 | 4900 | 5150 | -80 |
| Kota-Plant | 5250 | 5450 | 5400 | 5550 | -100 |
| Kota – Mandi | 5050 | 5250 | 5100 | 5300 | -50 |
| Bundi-Plant | 5400 | 5550 | 5300 | 5500 | 50 |
| Bundi-Mandi | 5200 | 5350 | 5150 | 5250 | 100 |
| Baran-Plant | 5300 | 5500 | 5400 | 5500 | Unch |
| Baran-Mandi | 5100 | 5300 | 5100 | 5300 | Unch |
| Bhawani / Jhalawar-Plant | 5200 | 5400 | 5400 | 5500 | -100 |
| Bhawani /Jhalwar-Mandi | 5000 | 5200 | 5200 | 5400 | -200 |
| Rapeseed/Mustard | | | | | |
| Jaipur-(Condition) | 5525 | 5550 | 5575 | 5600 | -50 |
| Alwar-(Condition) | 5200 | 5300 | 5200 | 5300 | Unch |
| Sri Ganganagar-(Non-Condition) | 5000 | 5150 | 4850 | 5150 | Unch |
| New Delhi–(Condition) | 5400 | 5450 | 5450 | 5500 | -50 |
| Kota-(Condition) | 5100 | 5300 | 5100 | 5300 | Unch |
| Agra-(Condition) | 5476 | 5524 | 5619 | 5667 | -143 |
| Neewai-(Loose) | 5100 | 5200 | 5175 | 5275 | -75 |
| Hapur (UP)-(Condition) | 5250 | 5300 | 5350 | 5400 | -100 |
| Groundnut Seed (with shell) | • | • | • | • | • |
| Rajkot | 5500 | 7645 | 5750 | 7345 | 300 |
| Jasdan | NA | NA | - | - | - |
| Bikaner | 7000 | 7800 | 7000 | 7800 | Unch |
| Groundnut (Bold Without shell 40 | /50) | | | | |
| Bikaner | 11000 | 11000 | 11000 | 11000 | Unch |
| Sunflower Seed | | | - | • | - |
| Karnataka/MH | 6100 | 6100 | 6100 | 6100 | Unch |

Soybean Prices are in INR/qtl. (1 bag=90 kg). Mandi prices – Loose, Mustard Seed Prices are in INR/qt (1 bag=85 kg) C – Condition (42%), *Groundnut seed in Rs/100 kg, Sunflower Seed in Rs/qtl.



Oilseed Arrivals in Key Centers:

| Commodity / Centre | Arrivals i | Change | |
|--------------------|------------|-----------|--------|
| Soybean | 13-Mar-23 | 10-Mar-23 | |
| Madhya Pradesh | 25000 | 70000 | -45000 |
| Maharashtra | 60000 | 80000 | -20000 |
| Rajasthan | 20000 | 20000 | Unch |
| Indore(MP) | 1000 | 2000 | -1000 |
| Latur(MH) | 25000 | - | 25000 |
| Kota (Raj) | 3500 | 2000 | 1500 |
| Rapeseed/Mustard | | | |
| All India | 1300000 | 950000 | 350000 |
| Rajasthan | 650000 | 500000 | 150000 |
| Alwar | 10000 | 11000 | -1000 |
| Sri Ganganagar | 10000 | 6000 | 4000 |
| Kota | 30000 | 23000 | 7000 |
| Groundnut Seed | | | |
| Rajkot (Gujarat) | 7520 | 540 | 6980 |

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

| Oilseeds | 13-Mar-23 | 10-Mar-23 | Change |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Groundnut Kernel | 8500 | 8450 | 50 |
| Gr. Bolds 60/70 | 9950 | 9750 | 200 |
| Gr. Javas 60/70 | 11250 | 11050 | 200 |
| Gr Javas 70/80 | 10950 | 10750 | 200 |
| Gr.Javas 80/90 | 10750 | 10550 | 200 |
| KardiSeed 2% Exp Qly | 5100 | 5100 | Unch |
| Sesame White 98/2/1 FM | 12900 | 12900 | Unch |
| Whitish 95/5/FFA/1FM | 12700 | 12700 | Unch |
| Brown 48/2 FFA/4 FM | 12100 | 12100 | Unch |
| Brown 48/3 FFA/4 FM | 11900 | 11900 | Unch |
| Brown 48/4 FM/* No FFA Guarantee | 11500 | 11500 | Unch |
| Sunflower Seed | 6600 | 6600 | Unch |
| Niger Seed (4% FM) | 9200 | 9200 | Unch |



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