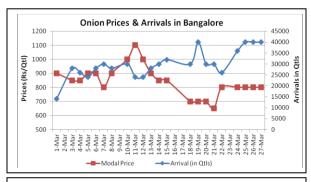
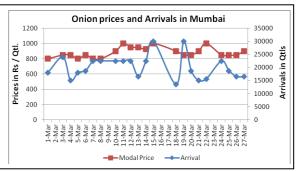
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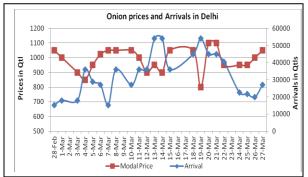
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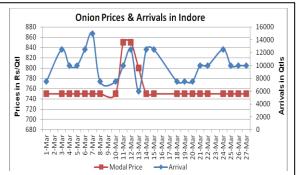
- Steady sentiment witnessed in Bangalore and Indore market on Thursday.
- As per Agriwatch ongoing survey, in Nasik region early harvesting reported a minimum of 10 15 days because of higher water content. Rabi crop damaged reported in Nasik and Satara districts, yields were affected as compared to the last year. Farmers were reported Onion standing crop affected 30 – 40 percent in some particular districts due to recent rain.
- According to International Business Information services (IBIS) data as on 16.3.2014 approximately 60381 tons of processed and unprocessed onion has been exported in the month of March.
- The Director General of Foreign Trade (DGFT) issued a notification to free onion exports by anyone. In earlier days Nafed was the only canalising agency till 1999. Further 12 State Trading Enterprises (STEs) along with Nafed were designated by the government as the canalising agencies for export of onion only.
- As per State department in Maharashtra total Rabi acerage is 1.85 lakh hectares from which approximately 60,000 hectares of area is affected due to heavy rains and hailstorms in Maharashtra region.

Onion wholesale Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers









(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 27.3.2014

| Mandis | Nashik | Lasalgaon | Pimpalgaon | Niphad | Pune | Indore | Delhi | Bangalore |
|----------------|---------|-----------|------------|--------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Price (Rs/Qtl) | 900-950 | 700-850 | Closed | Closed | 700-1050 | 500-1000 | 600-1500 | 600-1000 |
| Arrivals (Qtl) | 6000 | 11000 | Closed | Closed | 9000 | 10000 | 27000 | 40000 |

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 26.3.2014

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|----------------|---------|-----------|------------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Mandis | Nashik | Lasalgaon | Pimpalgaon | Niphad | Pune | Indore | Delhi | Bangalore |
| Price (Rs/Qtl) | 600-800 | 750-950 | 800-950 | 200-950 | 600-950 | 500-1000 | 700-1300 | 600-1000 |
| Arrivals (Qtl) | 500 | 12000 | 7500 | 24000 | 10000 | 10000 | 19800 | 40000 |

(Source: AGRIWATCH)





Onion Prices in major markets - Wholesale vs. Retail as on 27 March 2014

(Source: State Civil Supplies Dept)

| Centre | Min.Price | Max.Price | Modal. Price | Retail. Price |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|---------------|
| AHMEDABAD | 500 | 1100 | 800 | 1300 |
| AMRITSAR | 1000 | 1200 | 1100 | 1500 |
| BANGALORE | 500 | 900 | 650 | 1300 |
| BHUBANESHWAR | 1050 | 1150 | 1100 | 1500 |
| CHANDIGARH | 1375 | 1625 | 1500 | 2000 |
| CHENNAI | 1300 | 1500 | 1400 | 2000 |
| DEHRADUN | 1100 | 1200 | 1150 | 2000 |
| DELHI | 1000 | 1400 | 1200 | 1800 |
| GANGATOK | 1800 | 2200 | 2000 | 2500 |
| GUWAHATI | 1100 | 1200 | 1150 | 2000 |
| HYDERABAD | 700 | 900 | 800 | 1200 |
| JAIPUR | 800 | 900 | 860 | 1400 |
| JAMMU | 1100 | 1200 | 1150 | 1600 |
| KOLKATA | 875 | 1000 | 938 | 1500 |
| LASALGAON | 500 | 1031 | 850 | 1200 |
| LUCKNOW | 1100 | 1300 | 1200 | 1700 |
| NASIK | 850 | 950 | 910 | 1150 |
| PATNA | 950 | 1050 | 1000 | 1800 |
| PUNE | 700 | 800 | 750 | 1000 |
| RAIPUR | 900 | 1000 | 955 | 1500 |
| RANCHI | 1075 | 1300 | 1160 | 1600 |
| SHIMLA | 1500 | 1600 | 1550 | 2000 |
| SRINAGAR | 1400 | 1650 | 1500 | 2000 |
| SURAT | 700 | 800 | 750 | 1400 |

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