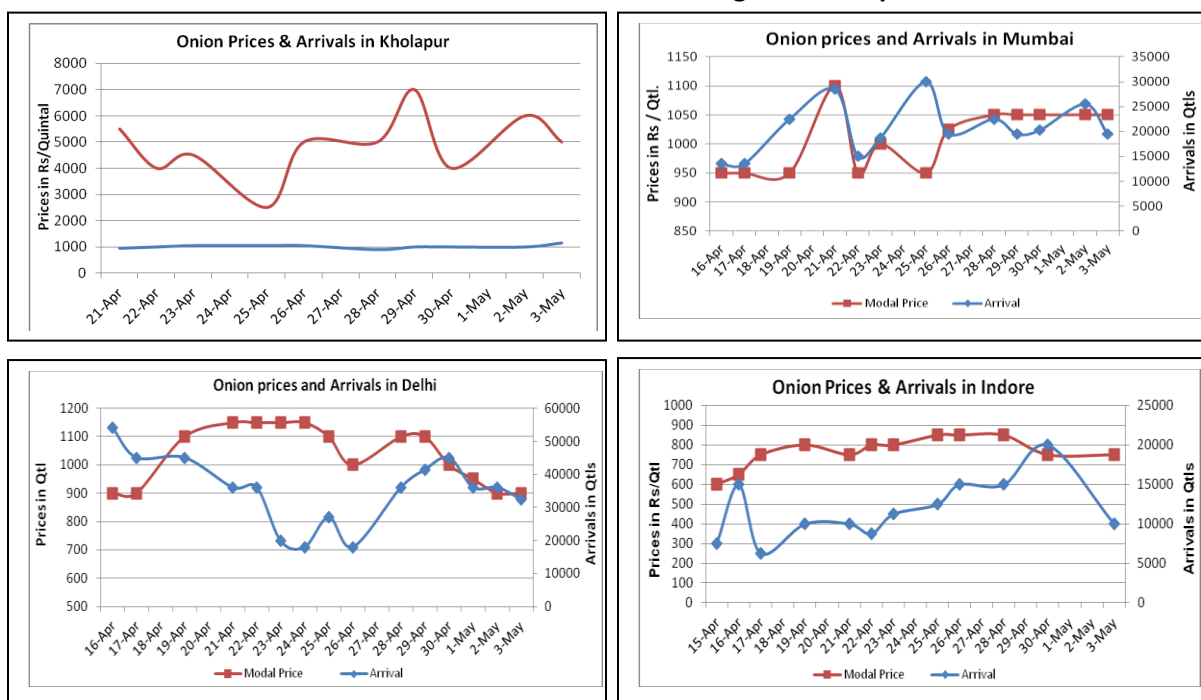


Onion Fundamentals:

- In Karnataka, Gujarat and other smaller states production is higher this year. Lower production in Maharashtra seems to be compensated by higher supply from other major states.
- Storage in Maharashtra will be clear by end of May month as farmers were not ready to store much at this time due to higher water content and upper layer of onion bulb being damaged.
- In benchmark market of Lasalgaon, prices have increased by 15% compared to previous week whereas arrivals have fallen by approximately 30% compared to previous week.
- Average yield in Maharashtra is estimated to be near 13-14 ton/ha after considering crop damage.

Onion wholesale Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 3.5.2014

Mandis	Nashik	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Niphad	Pune	Indore	Delhi	Bangalore
Price (Rs/Qt)	700-1200	Closed	Closed	-	Closed	500-1000	700-1100	-
Arrivals (Qt)	2400	Closed	Closed	-	Closed	10000	32400	-

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 2.5.2014

Mandis	Nashik	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Niphad	Pune	Indore	Delhi	Bangalore
Price (Rs/Qt)	700-1200	1100-1200	--	Closed	700-1300	Closed	700-1100	--
Arrivals (Qt)	2000	17000	--	Closed	10000	Closed	36000	--

(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 3 May 2014

Centre	Min. Price	Max. Price	Modal Price	Retail Price
AHMEDABAD	400	1200	800	1500
BANGALORE	800	1000	900	1400
BHUBANESHWAR	1150	1250	1200	1400
CHANDIGARH	1000	1250	1125	2000
CHENNAI	1300	1500	1400	2000
GANGATOK	1500	2000	1800	2300
JAIPUR	850	950	905	1500
JAMMU	1200	1400	1300	1800
NASIK	900	1100	1010	1300
PATNA	1200	1400	1300	2000
RANCHI	1137	1275	1185	1600
SHIMLA	1500	1700	1600	2000
SRINAGAR	1500	1800	1700	2200

(Source: State Civil Supplies Dept)

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