

Onion Fundamentals:

- In Maharashtra, harvesting of rabi onion s expected to pick up pace in next couple of weeks.
- In M.P, hailstorms and rains have affected the harvesting and supply of onion. According to trade sources approximately 5-10% crop loss is estimated in onion crop.
- In Delhi, onion wholesale prices are trading around Rs 1375/ quintal whereas retail prices are Rs 3200/ quintal.
- Across the country prices are expected to remain similar to previous year due low shelf life of onion which was affected due to rains and hailstorms.

Onion wholesale Prices & Arrivals in Producing & Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Note: The above graph is made on data collected by Agriwatch through private sources because Agmarknet data are not consistent and lots of gaps in reporting.

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 19.Mar.2015

Mandis	Nashik	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Niphad	Pune	Indore	Delhi	Bangalore
Price (Rs/Qtl)	1200-1600	1000-1200	900-1300	500-1200	1100-1500	500-1600	1200-1700	1300-1600
Arrivals (Qtl)	2400	22000	15000	60000	15000	5000	12000	32000

Onion Prices & Arrivals in Major Mandis as on 18.Mar.2015

Mandis	Nashik	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Niphad	Pune	Indore	Delhi	Bangalore
Price (Rs/Qtl)	1200-1600	1100-1300	1200-1350	700-1400	1250-1600	500-1700	1200-1800	1300-1600
Arrivals (Qtl)	2200	26000	15000	60000	15000	6000	15600	40000

(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Onion Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 19 Mar 2015

ONION-Wholesale and Retail Prices		
Centre	Wholesale Prices (Rs./Qtl)	Retail Prices (Rs./Qtl)
	19-Mar-15	19-Mar-15
DELHI	1375	3200
LUCKNOW	1600	2000
AHMEDABAD	1700	2000
BHOPAL	1900	2200
MUMBAI	1400	2700
JAIPUR	850	2000
BHUBANESHWAR	1850	2200
KOLKATA	1200	1800
HYDERABAD	2400	2600
BENGALURU	2100	2400
TRIVANDRUM*	3300	3500
CHENNAI#	1500	1900

*Small variety, # larger variety

(Source: Consumer Affairs)

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