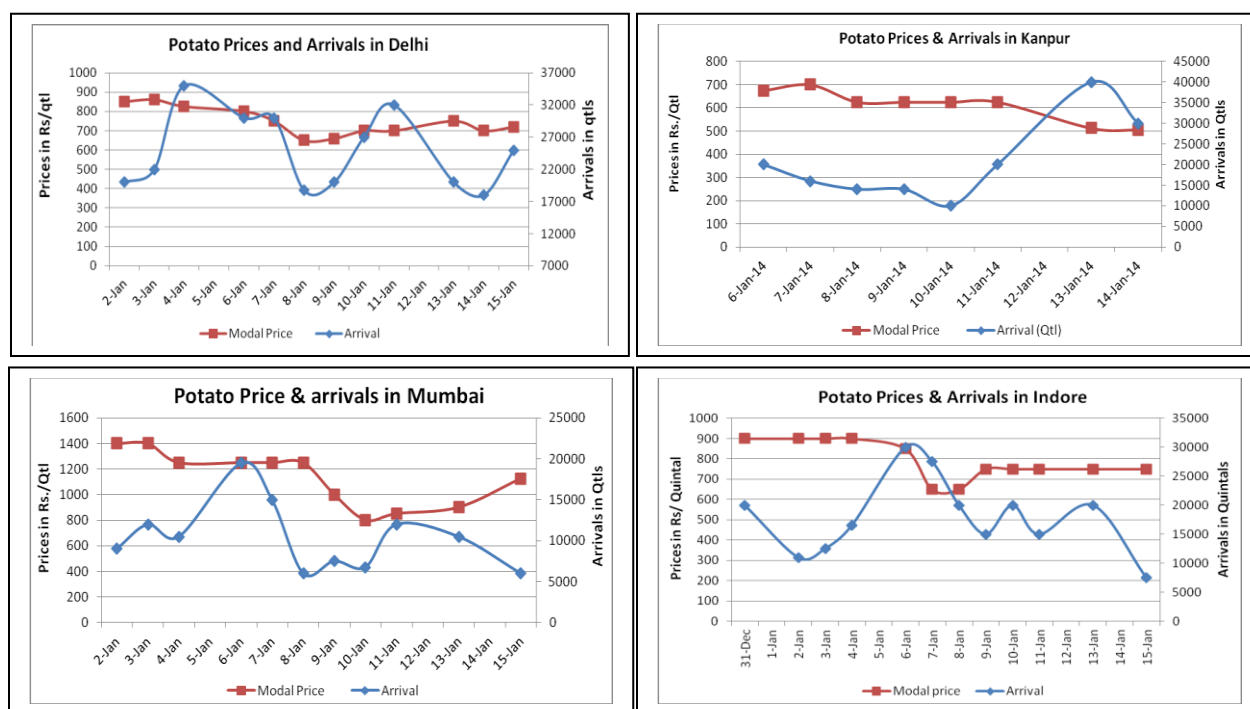


Potato Fundamentals:

- In West Bengal, Rabi sowing is almost completed. Targeted area for this year is approximately 4 lakh hectares compared to previous year 3.9 lakh hectares.
- Across the country prices have fallen in almost all the markets because of continuous supply of potatoes from major producing regions like U.P, Punjab and less quantity from W.B.
- According to trade sources in Khandauli (U.P), arrivals are expected to increase in coming weeks as it is picking up pace slowly.
- In U.P, prices have fallen in most of the markets with increase in arrivals from producing regions and expected that prices may fall further in coming days.
- In Delhi, new crop from Punjab, U.P and Haryana is trading at Rs 800- Rs 1400/ quintal. "LR" variety from Punjab is trading at Rs 1100- Rs 1400/ quintal.

Potato Wholesale Prices & Arrivals trend in Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 15.1.2014

Mandis	Burdwan(W.B)	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Bangalore
Price (Rs./Qtl)	NA	650-700	500	600-700	500-1000	NA	Closed
Arrivals (Qtl)	NA	13500	14000	29000	7500	NA	Closed

Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 14.1.2014

Mandis	Burdwan(W.B)	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Bangalore
Price (Rs./Qtl)	NA	650-700	500-510	650-700	Closed	NA	700-750
Arrivals (Qtl)	NA	14400	30000	18000	Closed	NA	5000

(Source: Agriwatch)

Potato Futures Analysis: (As on 15th January 2014)

	Exchange	Expiry Date	Today's Close Price	Previous Close Price	Net Change	Today's Open Interest	Previous Day Open Interest	Change
POTATO	MCX	31-Mar-14	997.50	959.20	38.30	25530	1474	24056
POTATO	MCX	30-Apr-14	976.80	939.30	37.50	10635	10215	420
POTATO	MCX	30-May-14	998.60	960.20	38.40	15015	12945	2070
POTATO	MCX	30-Jun-14	996.30	971.00	25.30	465	435	30

(Source: MCX)

Daily Price Chart of MCX- Agra March Contract:



(Source: Agriwatch)

Candlestick chart pattern reveals bullish sentiment in the market. RSI is moving up in neutral zone indicates bullishness in the market. Volumes remain average. Prices may take support at Rs 950/- quintal in short term and prices are expected to trade in the range of Rs 980- Rs 1000/ quintal.



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Potato Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 15 January 2014

Centre Name	Min. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Max. Price (Rs/Qtl)	Modal Price (Rs/Qtl)	Retail Price (Rs/Qtl)
AHMEDABAD	800	1200	1000	1300
AMRITSAR	550	650	600	1000
BANGALORE	1000	1400	1200	2000
BARAUT	700	800	750	1100
BHUBANESHWAR	1200	1400	1300	1900
CHANDIGARH	500	700	600	1000
CHENNAI	1100	1500	1250	2400
DELHI	740	1050	895	1500
GUWAHATI	900	1000	950	1400
INDORE	500	1000	750	1000
JAMMU	900	1000	950	1400
KOLKATA	1160	1200	1180	1500
LUCKNOW	700	800	750	1100
MUMBAI	1200	1500	1350	2000
NASIK	1000	1200	1160	1400
PATNA	950	1050	1000	1500
PUNE	900	1100	1000	1500
RANCHI	1000	1200	1175	1600
RANCHI	700	1050	900	1400
SHIMLA	1000	1200	1100	1500
SRINAGAR	1600	2000	1800	2200
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SURAT	1000	1200	1100	2000
TRIVANDRUM	2500	2800	2650	3500

(Source: State Civil Supplies Dept)

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