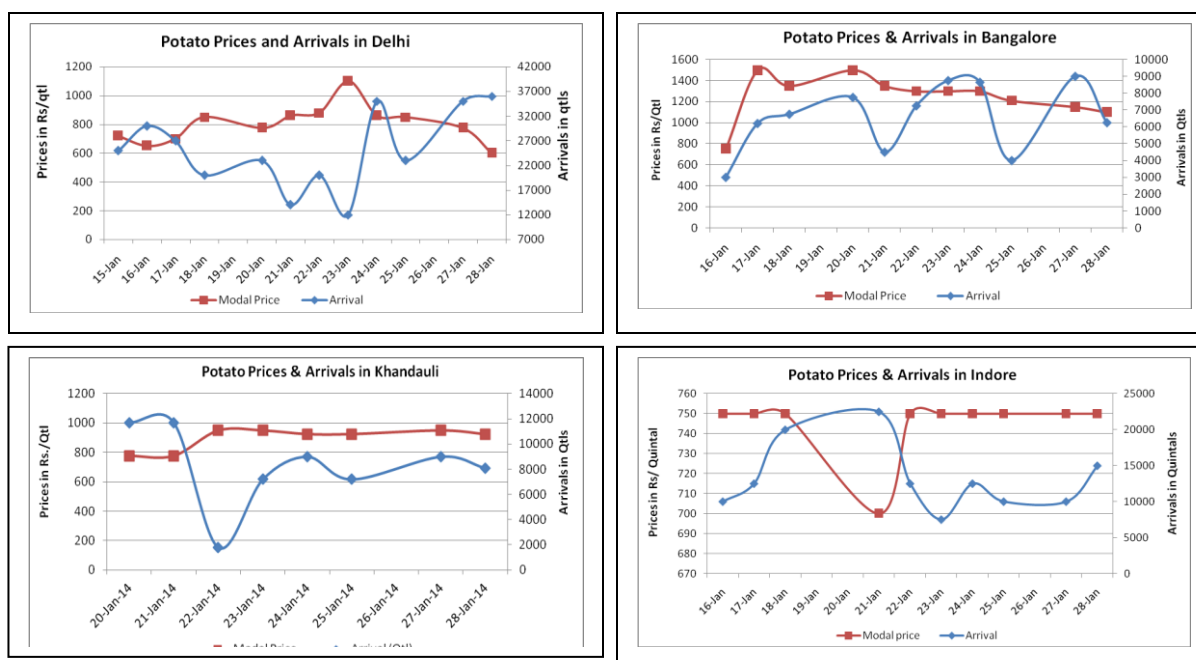


## Potato Fundamentals:

- In Agra (U.P) mandal, potato crop harvesting is expected to be less by 15-20% ahead though the area is similar to last year. The reason is farmer's harvested premature crop when West Bengal Government seized the borders in addition to fetch higher prices.
- According to trade sources, few parts of Farrukhabad district have been affected by Blight disease.
- In Delhi, modal prices of potatoes have dropped down to Rs 700-Rs 900/ quintal due to higher arrivals from producing regions.
- According to sources, potato in West Bengal has affected from "Blight" disease mainly in Mignapur and Bankura regions is now under control because of appropriate weather conditions.

## Potato Wholesale Prices & Arrivals trend in Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 28.1.2014

Mandis	Burdwan(W.B)	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Bangalore
Price (Rs./Qtl)	NA	900-950	550	700-800	500-1000	660	1000-1200
Arrivals (Qtl)	NA	8100	20000	16000	15000	-	6250

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 27.1.2014

Mandis	Burdwan(W.B)	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Bangalore
Price (Rs./Qtl)	NA	900-1000	600-650	700-800	500-1000	680	1100-1200
Arrivals (Qtl)	NA	9000	20000	22000	10000	-	9000

(Source: Agriwatch)

## Potato Futures Analysis: (As on 27th 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	1063.20	1069.30	-6.10	25815	25740	75
POTATO	MCX	30-Apr-14	1092.40	1097.90	-5.50	11145	11760	-615
POTATO	MCX	30-May-14	1123.50	1130.10	-6.60	16830	17070	-240
POTATO	MCX	30-Jun-14	1154.00	1155.80	-1.80	1770	1605	165

(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 1030/- quintal in short term and prices are expected to trade in the range of Rs 1040- Rs 1050/ quintal.



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## Potato Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 28 January 2014

Centre	Min. Price	Max. Price	Modal Price	Retail Price
AHMEDABAD	700	850	775	1100
AMRITSAR	780	960	900	1200
BANGALORE	950	1200	1100	1800
BHUBANESHWAR	750	800	775	1050
CHANDIGARH	375	475	425	1500
CHENNAI	1000	1500	1250	2100
DELHI	640	1050	845	1400
GANGATOK	1500	1700	1600	2000
GUWAHATI	700	900	800	1200
JAIPUR	750	850	805	1200
JAMMU	800	900	850	1200
LUCKNOW	700	800	750	1000
NAGPUR	700	1450	1075	2000
NASIK	900	1100	1010	1300
PATNA	700	800	750	1100
PUNE	1000	1200	1100	1500
RANCHI	880	1080	1050	1500
SHIMLA	1400	1600	1500	1800
SRINAGAR	1300	1500	1400	1800
SURAT	800	900	850	1600
TRIVANDRUM	1750	2350	2000	3000

(Source: State Civil Supplies Dept)

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