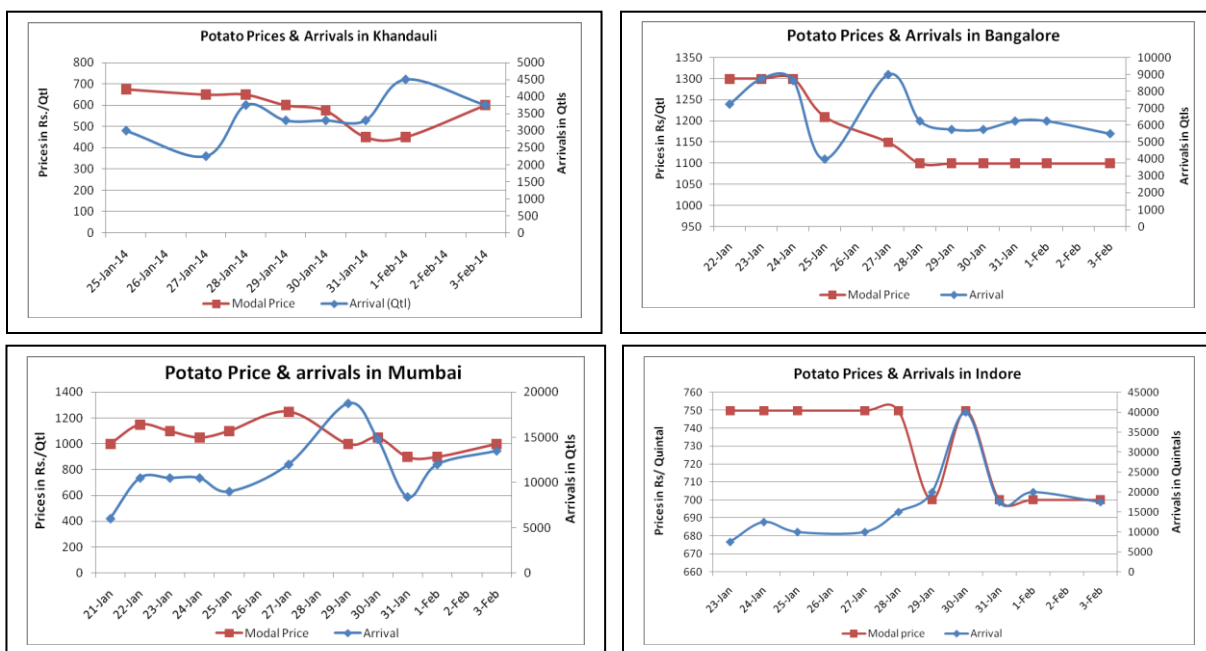


## Potato Fundamentals:

- Lower arrivals were reported in Bangalore, Indore and Khanduli market on Monday.
- According to trade sources, few parts of Farrukhabad district have been affected by Blight disease.
- 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.
- In Delhi, modal prices of potatoes have dropped down to Rs 700-Rs 800/ quintal due to higher arrivals from producing regions.
- In Khandauli (U.P), arrivals have declined because of lower prices of potato crop which is ranging between Rs 500-Rs 650/ quintal which has led the farmers to delay in harvesting.

## Potato Wholesale Prices & Arrivals trend in Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 3.2.2014

Mandis	Burdwan(W.B)	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Bangalore
Price (Rs./Qtl)	NA	700	500-650	500-600	500-900	680	1000-1200
Arrivals (Qtl)	NA	12600	4000	32000	17500	--	5500

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 1.2.2014

Mandis	Burdwan(W.B)	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Bangalore
Price (Rs./Qtl)	NA	850-900	500-650	500-700	500-900	660	1000-1200
Arrivals (Qtl)	NA	9000	6000	16000	20000	--	6250

(Source: Agriwatch)

## Potato Futures Analysis: (As on 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb 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	1067.10	1061.30	5.80	22485	20220	2265
POTATO	MCX	30-Apr-14	1115.40	1094.70	20.70	12870	11790	1080
POTATO	MCX	30-May-14	1152.20	1115.80	36.40	23520	20580	2940
POTATO	MCX	30-Jun-14	1166.40	1147.30	19.10	2835	2700	135

(Source: MCX)

## Daily Price Chart of MCX- Agra March Contract:

O 1050.40 H 1069.90 L 1050.40 C 1069.00 V 256 T 21,159 I 1,496 +15.7 +1.49%  
SMA(10) 1055.8 (20) 1036.6 (30) 1010.8



(Source: Agriwatch)

Candlestick chart pattern reveals range bound movement in the market. RSI is moving up in neutral zone indicates bullishness in the market. Volumes remain average. Prices may take support at Rs 1040/- quintal in short term. Expected Price range may vary in the range of Rs 1037-80/ quintal.

## Potato Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 3 February 2014

Centre	Min. Price	Max. Price	Modal Price	Retail Price
AHMEDABAD	600	800	700	1100
AMRITSAR	700	800	750	1200
BANGALORE	1000	1100	1050	1500
BARAUT	500	600	550	800
CHANDIGARH	500	750	625	1500
CHENNAI	1300	1500	1400	2000
GANGATOK	1200	1600	1500	2000
GUWAHATI	600	700	650	1000
JAIPUR	700	800	760	1200
JAMMU	800	900	850	1200
KOLKATA	740	760	750	1100
LUCKNOW	700	800	750	1050
MUMBAI	900	1200	1050	1600
NASIK	900	1100	1010	1400
PATNA	700	800	750	1100
PUNE	1000	1200	1100	1500
RANCHI	600	1000	975	1400
SHIMLA	1500	1700	1600	1800
SRINAGAR	1700	1900	1800	2200
SURAT	700	800	775	1500
TRIVANDRUM	1700	2000	1800	2500

(Source: State Civil Supplies Dept)

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