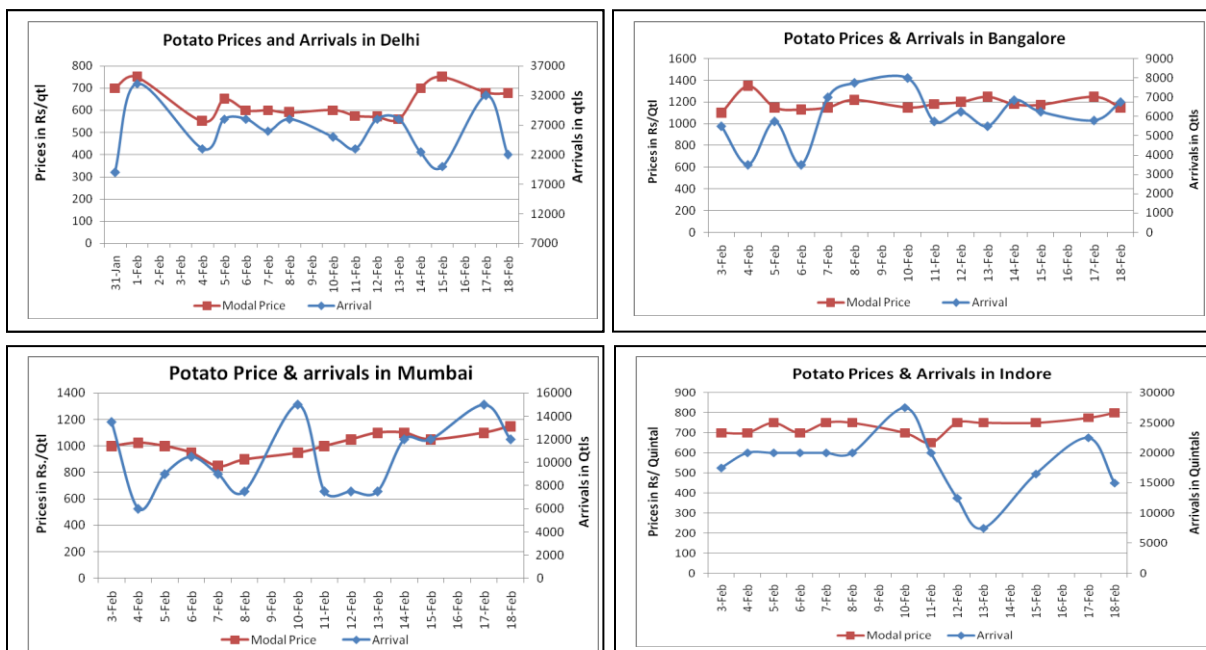


## Potato Fundamentals:

- Lower arrivals were reported in the domestic market on Tuesday.
- Currently retailer's traders are buying potato for stockists and maximum Potato volume is being store out as prices are rulling lower level. The trend would remain active till March.
- As per trade sources, In West Bengal region late blight attack may impact potato production current year.
- According to West Bengal Agriculture Marketing Department had projected nearly a 10 per cent growth in production approximately 100 lakh tonnes current season as against the state producing 91 lt last year.

## Potato Wholesale Prices & Arrivals trend in Consumption Centers



(Source: AGRIWATCH)

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 18.2.2014

| Mandis          | Burdwan(W.B) | Khandauli | Farrukhabad | Kanpur  | Indore   | Tarkeshwar(W.B) | Bangalore |
|-----------------|--------------|-----------|-------------|---------|----------|-----------------|-----------|
| Price (Rs./Qtl) | NA           | 650-700   | 600-700     | 700-800 | 500-1100 | 620             | 1100-1200 |
| Arrivals (Qtl)  | NA           | 12600     | 29000       | 12000   | 15000    | NA              | 6750      |

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 17.2.2014

| Mandis          | Burdwan(W.B) | Khandauli | Farrukhabad | Kanpur  | Indore   | Tarkeshwar(W.B) | Bangalore |
|-----------------|--------------|-----------|-------------|---------|----------|-----------------|-----------|
| Price (Rs./Qtl) | NA           | 600-750   | 650-700     | 600-750 | 500-1050 | NA              | 1200-1300 |
| Arrivals (Qtl)  | NA           | 10800     | 30000       | 18000   | 22500    | NA              | 5800      |

(Source: Agriwatch)

## Potato Futures Analysis: (As on 19<sup>th</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   | 1177.00             | 1152.30              | 24.70      | 21510                 | 24600                      | -3090  |
| POTATO | MCX      | 30-Apr-14   | 1195.60             | 1172.00              | 23.60      | 13710                 | 15045                      | -1335  |
| POTATO | MCX      | 30-May-14   | 1234.90             | 1204.70              | 30.20      | 31590                 | 29535                      | 2055   |
| POTATO | MCX      | 30-Jun-14   | 1306.60             | 1254.00              | 52.60      | 6030                  | 3375                       | 2655   |

(Source: Mcx)

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

O 1169.00 H 1188.50 L 1164.90 C 1178.90 V 327 T 57,743 I 1,433 +3.9 +0.33%  
SMA(10) 1131.9 (20) 1104.4 (30) 1083.1



(Source: Agriwatch)

Candlestick chart pattern reveals bullish trend in the market. RSI is moving upward in overbought zone in the market indicates prices may correct in the market. Volumes remain average. Prices may take support at Rs. 1150/- quintal in short term. Expected Price range may vary in the range of Rs. 1150 - 1200/ quintal.



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## Potato Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 18 February 2014

| Centre       | Min. Price | Max. Price | Modal Price | Retail Price |
|--------------|------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| AMRITSAR     | 650        | 780        | 720         | 1000         |
| BANGALORE    | 1000       | 1150       | 1075        | 1700         |
| BARAUT       | 700        | 800        | 750         | 1100         |
| BHOPAL       | 600        | 800        | 700         | 900          |
| BHUBANESHWAR | 600        | 700        | 650         | 900          |
| CHENNAI      | 1300       | 1500       | 1400        | 2200         |
| DELHI        | 620        | 920        | 770         | 1200         |
| GANGATOK     | 1000       | 1400       | 1200        | 1800         |
| GUWAHATI     | 600        | 700        | 650         | 1000         |
| HYDERABAD    | 600        | 1000       | 800         | 1400         |
| JAIPUR       | 650        | 750        | 705         | 1150         |
| LUCKNOW      | 600        | 700        | 650         | 1000         |
| NASIK        | 1200       | 1300       | 1260        | 1500         |
| PATNA        | 750        | 900        | 825         | 1200         |
| PUNE         | 1100       | 1400       | 1300        | 1600         |
| RANCHI       | 700        | 900        | 880         | 1200         |
| SHIMLA       | 1300       | 1500       | 1400        | 1800         |
| TRIVANDRUM   | 1900       | 2150       | 2000        | 2800         |

(Source: State Civil Supplies Dept)

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