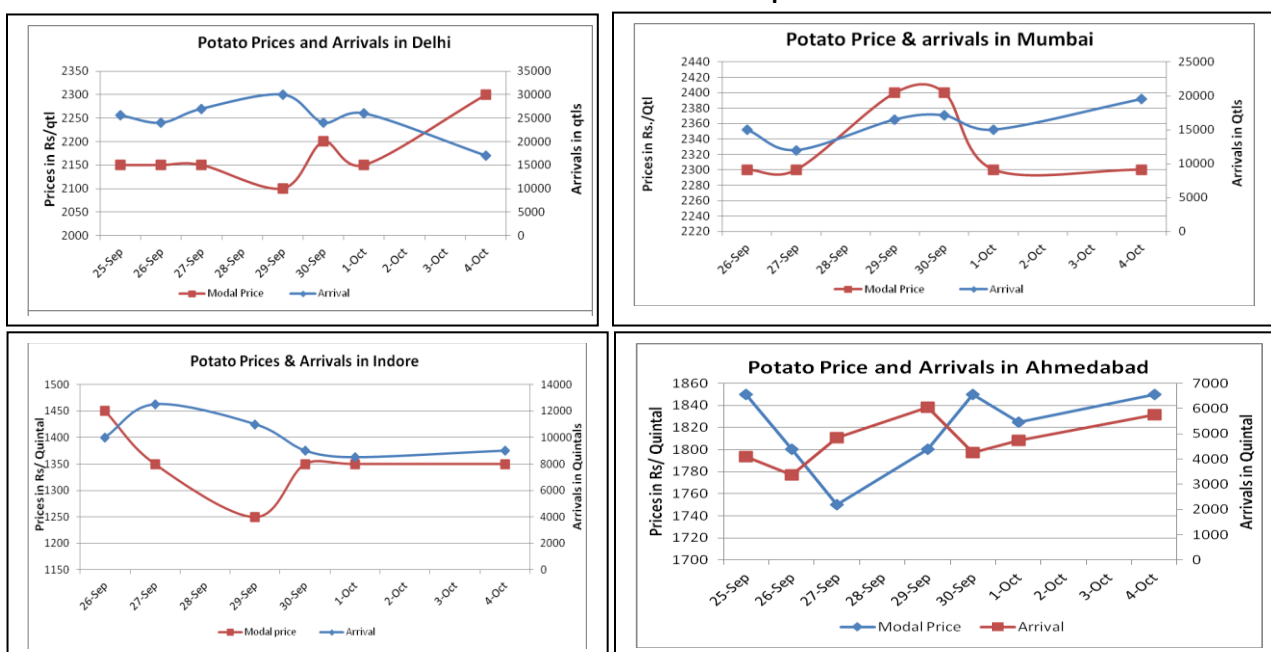


Potato Fundamentals:

- In Bihar, pace of release is higher than last year because of higher price. Approximately 58% of total stored potato has been released by August end.
- In West Bengal, so far approximately 64% of potatoes have been released. Prices are expected to remain firm throughout the season.
- In Bangalore 95% crop is arriving in market from "Hassan" whereas rest crop is coming from Belgaum and U.P.
- Across the country prices were firm because of festival seasons but expected to fall down after mid October.

Potato Wholesale Prices & Arrivals trend in 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.

Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 4.Oct.2014

Mandis	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Bangalore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Burdwan (W.B)
Price (Rs./Qtl)	1800-2000	2000-2700	1500-2100	500-2200	Closed	Closed	Closed
Arrivals (Qtl)	NA	30000	7000	9000	Closed	Closed	Closed

Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 1.Oct.2014

Mandis	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Bangalore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Burdwan (W.B)
Price (Rs./Qtl)	1800-2000	2200-3000	1500-2100	500-2200	1800-2700	Closed	Closed
Arrivals (Qtl)	67500	40000	11000	8500	6000	Closed	Closed

(Source: Agriwatch)

Potato Futures Analysis: (As on 1 October 2014)

	Exchange	Expiry Date	Today's Close Price	Previous Close Price	Net Change	Today's Open Interest	Previous Day Open Interest	Change
POTATO	MCX	28-Aug-14	--	--	--	--	--	--
POTATO	MCX	30-Sep-14	--	--	--	--	--	--

(Source: MCX)

Daily Price Chart of MCX- Agra August Contract:



(Source: Agriwatch)

There is no movement in potato future market as fresh positions were not allowed.

Potato Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 1 Oct 2014

POTATO-Wholesale and Retail Prices		
Centre	Wholesale Prices (Rs./Qtl)	Retail Prices (Rs./Qtl)
	01-Oct-14	01-Oct-14
DELHI	NR	NR
LUCKNOW	NR	NR
AHMEDABAD	NR	NR
BHOPAL	NR	3000
MUMBAI	2100	3100
JAIPUR	NR	NR
BHUBANESHWAR	NR	NR
KOLKATA	NR	NR
HYDERABAD	3000	3200
BENGALURU	NR	NR
TRIVANDRUM	NR	NR
CHENNAI	NR	NR

(Source: Consumer Affairs)

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