

## Potato Fundamentals:

- In Delhi, maximum potato is arriving in market from Punjab only. Prices are hovering in the range of Rs 900- Rs 1100/ quintal.
- Odhisa state civil supplies corporation has formed a committee to ensure a buffer stock of 3 lakh MT to overcome the potato crisis during August – November month.
- In West Bengal, sowing is almost completed with 10% higher area compared to previous year. Across the state maximum cold storages have closed and remaining are expected to get closed by next week.
- New crop arrivals already started from Punjab region. Acreage this year is approximately 5% higher than Last year's area.

## 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 3.Dec.2014

Mandis	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Bangalore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Burdwan (W.B)
Price (Rs./Qtl)	NR	900-1000	800-1000	500-3000	2300-2600	1700	1760
Arrivals (Qtl)	NR	30000	50000	10000	4000	-	-

## Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 2.Dec.2014

Mandis	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Bangalore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Burdwan (W.B)
Price (Rs./Qtl)	1500-1600	900-1000	800-1100	500-3000	2200-2500	1620	1760
Arrivals (Qtl)	3960	20000	30000	8000	4300	-	-

(Source: Agriwatch)

### Potato Futures Analysis: (As on 3 December 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 3 Dec 2014

POTATO-Wholesale and Retail Prices		
Centre	Wholesale Prices (Rs./Qtl)	Retail Prices (Rs./Qtl)
	3-Dec-14	3-Dec-14
DELHI	1588	2700
LUCKNOW	2500	3000
AHMEDABAD	NR	2000
BHOPAL	NR	NR
MUMBAI	2150	3200
JAIPUR	1000	2000
BHUBANESHWAR	1960	2300
KOLKATA	1750	2200
HYDERABAD	3200	3400
BENGALURU	2500	2700
TRIVANDRUM	3700	4000
CHENNAI	2000	2700

(Source: Consumer Affairs)

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