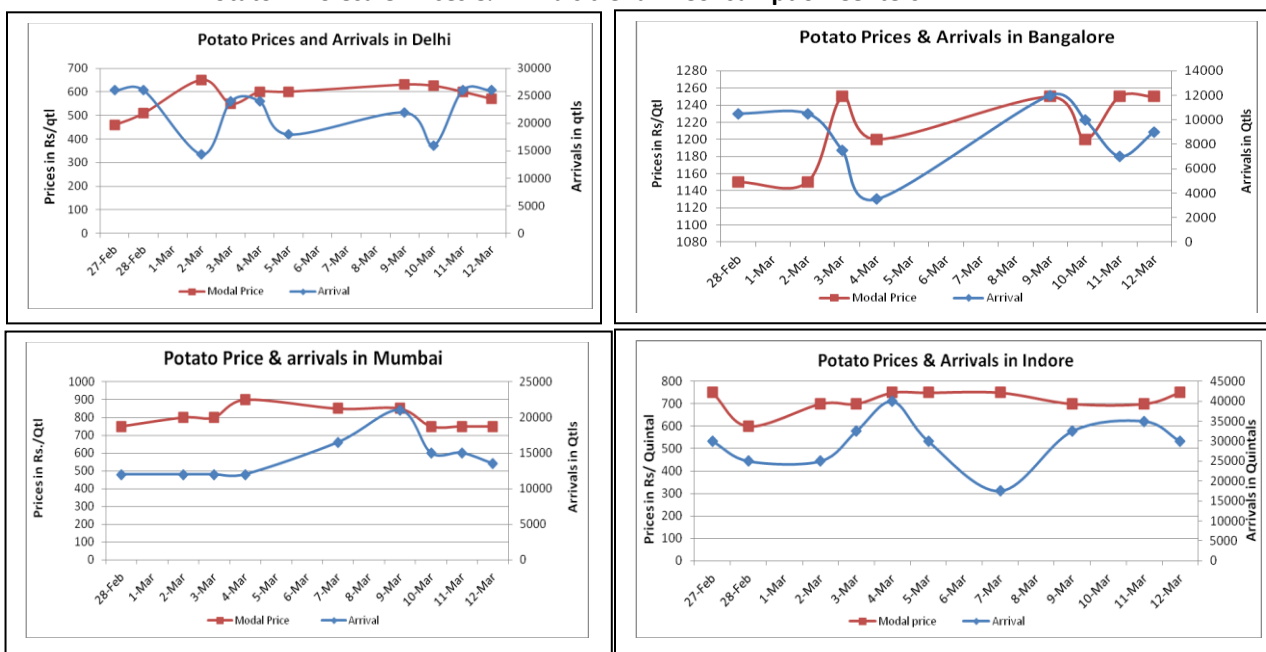


Potato Fundamentals:

- In Gujarat, approximately 5% crop damaged reported due to rains in previous week. But it would not impact much on potato production as area is higher by 36% compared to previous year.
- According to trade sources in Gujarat, cold storage are expected to use 100% capacity utilization
- In Punjab, approximately 60% of harvesting is completed. Approximately 10-15% of crop damaged reported due to rains. Harvesting is slowed down due to rains.
- In U.P, approximately 60% of harvesting is completed so far. As per state horticulture department, previous week rains have damaged potato seed by 1-2%.
- In West Bengal, cold storage average loading price are trading in a range of Rs 360- Rs 440/ quintal.
- In Bihar average Loading prices are trading in the range of Rs 600- Rs 650/ quintal.

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 12.Mar.2015

Mandis	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Bangalore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Burdwan (W.B)
Price (Rs./Qtl)	500-550	335-450	NR	500-1000	1200-1300	420	330
Arrivals (Qtl)	7200	24000	NR	30000	9000	-	-

Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 11.Mar.2015

Mandis	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Bangalore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Burdwan (W.B)
Price (Rs./Qtl)	500-600	331-450	400-600	500-900	1200-1300	420	320
Arrivals (Qtl)	6300	30000	20000	35000	7000	-	-

(Source: Agriwatch)

Potato Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 12 Mar 2015

POTATO-Wholesale and Retail Prices		
Centre	Wholesale Prices (Rs./Qtl)	Retail Prices (Rs./Qtl)
	12-Mar-15	12-Mar-15
DELHI	675	1400
LUCKNOW	600	1000
AHMEDABAD	1650	1800
BHOPAL	800	1300
MUMBAI	1100	2800
JAIPUR	400	1000
BHUBANESHWAR	520	800
KOLKATA	460	800
HYDERABAD	2200	2400
BENGALURU	1700	1900
TRIVANDRUM	2900	3100
CHENNAI	1200	2100

(Source: Consumer Affairs)

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