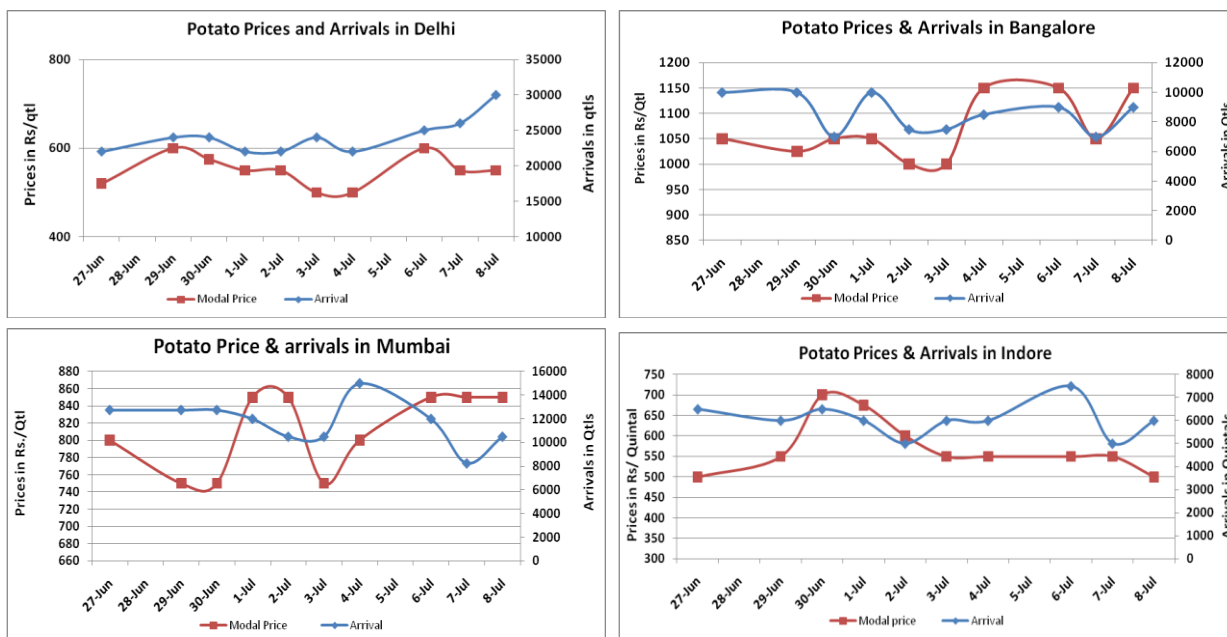


Potato Fundamentals:

- Mixed sentiments recorded in key potato markets on Wednesday.
- Potato prices have declined in Indore market due to higher arrivals compared to prior day.
- In West Bengal, so far approximately 15% potatoes have been released compared to last year release of 20% during same time.
- In U.P, so far 15% potato has been released from the cold storages compared to last year release of 20%. Last year cold storage capacity utilization was 70% and this year it was 95%.
- In Karnataka, total targeted area for kharif season is approximately 27000 hectares from which approximately 12412 hectares of area are sown. Hassan is major producing region with total targeted area of 18000 hectares from which 11877 hectares of area is sown so far.
- In South Bengal approximately 12-13% potato has been released compared to last year 18% during same time. It indicates lower demand in market.
- North Bengal, which contributes approximately 20% to the total production of Bengal, cold storages is opened and release from cold storages is at a slower pace.

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 8.July.2015

Mandis	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Bangalore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Burdwan (W.B)
Price (Rs./Qtl)	700	500-600	300-550	300-700	1000-1300	590	560
Arrivals (Qtl)	-	-	16000	6000	9000	-	-

Potato Prices & Arrivals in major Mandis as on 7.July.2015

Mandis	Khandauli	Farrukhabad	Kanpur	Indore	Bangalore	Tarkeshwar(W.B)	Burdwan (W.B)
Price (Rs./Qtl)	725	500-600	300-550	300-800	1000-1100	590	560
Arrivals (Qtl)	-	-	16000	5000	7000	-	-

(Source: Agriwatch)

Potato Prices in major markets – Wholesale vs. Retail as on 8 July 2015

POTATO-Wholesale and Retail Prices		
Centre	Wholesale Prices (Rs./Qtl)	Retail Prices (Rs./Qtl)
	8-July-15	8-July-15
DELHI	1175	1800
LUCKNOW	900	1400
AHMEDABAD	1500	1700
BHOPAL	1000	1200
MUMBAI	950	2000
JAIPUR	350	900
BHUBANESHWAR	700	1000
KOLKATA	650	1000
HYDERABAD	2000	2200
BENGALURU	1600	1800
TRIVANDRUM	2300	2500
CHENNAI	1200	2200

(Source: Consumer Affairs)

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