

## **Domestic Market Highlights:**

Average wholesale weekly non-basmati rice prices in India stood at around Rs.3050 per quintal in fourth week of March- 2018; firm about 0.5% from last week price of Rs.3033/quintal and firm by about 1.65% from Rs.3000 per quintal a year ago. Agriwatch expects non-basmati rice market to move range bound in coming month due to millers demand.

India's rice stocks in the central pool as on March-1, 2017 stood at around 33.32 million tons up by about 6% from around 31.43 million tons recorded during the corresponding period last year, according to data from the Food Corporation of India (FCI). India's rice stocks in the central pool are down about by 1.88% from around 33.96 million tons recorded on February-01, 2018. Highest stock could be seen in the state of Punjab (85.28 lakh tons) followed by Uttar Pradesh (24.20 Lakh Tons), Andhra Pradesh (19.06 lakh tons) and Haryana (19.98 lakh tons).

All-India progressive procurement of Rice as on 23.03.2018 for 2017-18 was at 303.71 lakh tons against the procurement of 307 lakh tons in the corresponding period of last year. Higher procurement has been received from northern states of Punjab (118.33 lakh Tons), Haryana (39.67 lakh tons), and U.P (28.74 lakh tons) and in south it is picking up in Telangana (12.23 Lakh Tons). Andhra Pradesh Government procurement has reached to 27.15 lakh tons. Chhattisgarh government has also procured around 32.07 lakh tons of rice as of now. Madhya Pradesh and Odisha procurement has reached 10.95 and 23.96 lakh tons respectively. Procurement in West Bengal and other rice growing states is still underway and reached to 0.27 lakh tons.

In India, 5% broken parboiled rice prices were quoted at \$422-\$426 per ton, unchanged from last week amid limited supplies. African buyers are a bit active but Asian demand is weak. India's non-basmati rice exports during April-January jumped 34% from a year earlier as Bangladesh, Benin and Sri Lanka raised purchases. However, imports by Bangladesh, which has emerged as a major rice buyer since 2017 after floods damaged its crops, will drop in the coming months as there is no fresh demand as rice stock is quite satisfactory and Bangladesh also started subsidized rice sales to cool prices in domestic markets. Rice at government warehouses stood at nearly 1.1 million tons, boosted by record imports.

Agriwatch has updated the rice exports in the month of March based on data released by APEDA. Rice export in MY-2017-18 starting from Oct-17 to Jan-17 was 43.89 lakh tons which is 55% higher than last year till January export of 28.43 lakh tons, higher export demand from Middle East, Sri-lanka, Bangladesh and African countries led to increase in rice export. Non-basmati rice export in MY-2017-18(Oct-Jan) was 32.69 lakh tons which is higher than 97% from last year export of 16.63 lakh tons of corresponding months, while basmati rice in these months were 11.2 lakh tons against 11.8 lakh tons of corresponding period last year.

Indian FOB for 1121 steam in the month of February moved weak from last month and currently is in the range of USD 1148/MT which is down by 0.32% from last month price of USD 1152/T due to correction in the market. Aromatic rice prices are also traded weak with lethargic buying from millers; Agriwatch expects that aromatic international rice price is likely to trade firm in coming months with good overseas demand. According to the UN's Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), Currently Pakistani basmati FOB is moving firmer from last month and is now hovering in the range of USD 1095/MT which is up by 0.75% from last month FOB of USD 1086.75/MT.

**Price Outlook:** - Rice prices are expected to ease to some extent in November with the arrival of the new crop across the country. However, domestic prices during the marketing year will also depend on the export demand and international price movement.



#### **International Market Highlight:**

According to Thai Rice Export Association, Rice exports of Thailand in 2018 will be less than the target growth of 9.5 percent due to strong baht and decrease in rice production, the target was 18 percent lower than 2017's 11.6 million tons. Meanwhile, The Thai Government recently announced the rice production in 2018 stands at 30 million tons, a decline compared to the 33 million tons of 2017.

Unofficial and preliminary Thailand rice exports (excluding premium white and fragrant rice) for March 12- 18, 2018, totaled 235,513 metric tons, up 42,385 metric tons from the previous week and up 57,896 metric tons from the four-week moving average of 177,617 metric tons. Rice exports from January 1- March 18, 2018, totaled 2,120,456 metric tons.

Thailand MY2017-18 and MY2018-19 rice stocks are likely to decline to around 3 million metric tons due to the reduction in government rice stocks. The government is expected to sell the remaining 1.5 million metric tons of feed-quality rice stocks and 0.6 million metric tons of deteriorated rice stocks in 2018. Traders expect that most of these remaining feed-quality government rice stocks will likely be used for swine feed while the deteriorated rice stocks will be used for fertilizer and power generation. The sale of the remaining government stocks in 2018 means that ending stocks for MY2017-18 and MY2018-19 are all private stocks. Normally, private sector maintains stocks for around 2 months of use. However, due to the large quantities of government stocks, private industry has been carrying a lot less the last couple of years.

Turkey's state grain board TMO has issued a series of international tenders to purchase a total 30,000 tons of rice. The TMO had made no purchase in its previous tenders for 41,250 tons of rice on March 8 when only one company participated, partly because of a rapid shipment period of March 15 to April 6. Shipment in the new tenders was also quick, requested between March 26 to April 16. The TMO has issued 30 separate tenders of 1,000 tons, long grain medium grain rice is sought. The TMO reserves the right to purchase 20 percent more or less than the tender volumes.

Thai rice exports will reach 9.5 million tons this year due to stable high demand in the global market. Between January and March 2018, Thailand sold 2 million tons of rice to overseas buyers, accounting for an increase of 4.17% year-on-year. The combined value of rice exports rose 22.13% to 999 million US dollars during the period. Global rice production is expected to drop to 484.33 million tons this year due to the low production output among major producers such as India, Bangladesh, USA, South Korea, and Japan, in addition to a slight decrease in rice consumption as some consumers turn to other high-fiber crops.

Myanmar will likely export at least 3.2 million tons of rice by the end of the current 2017-18 fiscal year by month-end taking rice exports to their highest level in 70 years. According to government estimates, country has exported 3.2 million tons of rice to this day (March 4). The numbers could increase if we continue exporting. However, Myanmar is still mainly exporting average-grade rice to China, implying that the country is still overly reliant on its neighbor. As such, the country should take steps to improve its rice quality for better value while expanding its market beyond China to diversify risk.

Rice exports from Pakistan have seen sizeable growth of 14 percent in quantity and 27 percent in value during the eight months of the current fiscal year; July 2017-February 2018. Pakistan exported 2.59 million tons amounting to \$1.224 billion, whereas last fiscal year in the same period 2.27 million tons amounting to \$.961 million were exported, which shows a growth of 27 percent in value terms and 14 percent in terms of quantity. Kenya is the largest buyer of Pakistani non-Basmati rice and during eight months of this fiscal year, 323,000 tons of rice, amounting to \$118 million, was exported to Kenya. China



came out as the second largest destination for Pakistani non-basmati rice, as 233,000 tons valuing \$83 million were exported to the country.

According to the Vietnam Food Association (VFA), more than 5.7 million tons of rice was shipped abroad in 2017, surpassing last year's target. There remain some 630,000 tons of rice under contracts signed last year to be shipped in 2018. Global rice demand is forecast to soar in 2018, and China will remain the biggest rice importer. While Indonesia resumed rice imports after a two-year halt, the Philippines is also predicted to buy more rice. These rosy signs are expected to give a boost to rice exporters, including Vietnam, according to the VFA. In January, the country shipped 524,000 tons of rice worth 249 million USD abroad, up 56.5 percent in volume and 74.2 percent in value from a year earlier

MY 2017/18 (May-April) Bangladesh rice production is forecast down slightly to 32.65 million metric tons on lower Aman variety production caused by unexpected rain during the grain maturing stage. Post raised MY 2017/18 rice imports to 3.4 million metric tons based on increased demand until the next harvest. MY 2017/18 (July-June) wheat imports are forecast at 6.5 million tons, due to competitive international prices and strong demand. For MY 2017/18, Post's corn import forecast is raised by 0.1 MMT due to increased demand in the feed industry.

### Major States Rice AW Price Variety Wise

| Rice Daily Prices: |                           |               |               |      |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|------|--|--|--|--|
|                    |                           | Prices        | Chang         |      |  |  |  |  |
| Centre             | Variety                   | 04-Apr-<br>18 | 03-Apr-<br>18 | e    |  |  |  |  |
|                    | 1121 Paddy                | Closed        | 3650          | -    |  |  |  |  |
|                    | 1509 Paddy                | Closed        | 3350          | -    |  |  |  |  |
|                    | DB Paddy                  | Closed        | NA            | -    |  |  |  |  |
|                    | Traditional Basmati Paddy | 3400          | 3400          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | Basmati Rice (Raw Wand)   | 7400          | 7400          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | Sarbati Sella Wand        | 4100          | 4100          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | SBT Raw Wand              | 4900          | 4900          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | Parmal Sella wand         | 2900          | 2900          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
| Delhi (Naya Bazar) | Parmal Steam Wand         | 3000          | 3000          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | Parmal Raw                | 3450          | 3450          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | DB Raw Wand               | 6200          | 6200          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | 1121 Raw Wand             | 7000          | 7000          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | 1121 Sella Wand           | 6900          | 6900          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | 1121 Steam Wand           | 7200          | 7200          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | 1509 Steam Wand           | 6900          | 6900          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | 1509 Sella Wand           | 6600          | 6600          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
|                    | Sugandha Steam            | 5900          | 5900          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
| Dunich (Amuitagu)  | Sarbati Sella Rice        | 4000          | 4000          | Unch |  |  |  |  |
| Punjab (Amritsar)  | Sarbati Raw Rice          | 5100          | 5100          | Unch |  |  |  |  |



|                                   | <u>_</u>                              | _    |      |      |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------|------|------|
|                                   | Sarbati Steam                         | 5000 | 5000 | Unch |
|                                   | Basmati Rice Raw                      | 7300 | 7300 | Unch |
|                                   | Basmati Paddy                         | 3600 | 3600 | Unch |
|                                   | Parmal Govt Quality/47                | 2600 | 2600 | Unch |
|                                   | Parmal Steam Wand/47                  | 2850 | 2850 | Unch |
|                                   | 1121 Steam Wand                       | 7100 | 7100 | Unch |
|                                   | 1121 Sella Wand                       | 6700 | 6700 | Unch |
|                                   | 1121 Paddy                            | 3655 | 3655 | Unch |
|                                   | 1509 Paddy                            | 3250 | 3250 | Unch |
|                                   | 1509 Sella                            | 6500 | 6500 | Unch |
|                                   | 1509 Steam                            | 6700 | 6700 | Unch |
|                                   | Basmati Rice Raw                      | 7350 | 7350 | Unch |
|                                   | Sarbati Steam                         | 5050 | 5050 | Unch |
|                                   | Sarbati Sella                         | 4050 | 4050 | Unch |
|                                   | Parmal Raw Rice/14/13/47              | 2550 | 2550 | Unch |
|                                   | IR8                                   | 2650 | 2650 | Unch |
|                                   | 1121 Sella Wand                       | 6750 | 6750 | Unch |
|                                   | 1121 Paddy                            | 3550 | 3550 | Unch |
| Haryana (Karnal)                  | Parmal Sella/47                       | 2850 | 2850 | Unch |
|                                   | DB Sella Wand                         | 5500 | 5500 | Unch |
|                                   | DB Steam                              | 6200 | 6200 | Unch |
|                                   | 1121 Steam                            | 7150 | 7150 | Unch |
|                                   | Basmati Paddy 31no.                   | 3680 | 3680 | Unch |
|                                   | PR-Steam                              | 2950 | 2950 | Unch |
|                                   | 1509 Paddy                            | 3330 | 3330 | Unch |
|                                   | 1509 sella                            | 6550 | 6550 | Unch |
|                                   | Swarna Parboiled 5% Silky Sortex      | 2605 | 2605 | Unch |
|                                   | Swarna Parboiled 100% Silky<br>Sortex | 2005 | 2005 | Unch |
| West Bengal (Kolkata)             | IR-36 Parboiled 5% Silky Sortex       | 2655 | 2655 | Unch |
|                                   | IR-64 Parboiled 25% Silky Sortex      | 2915 | 2915 | Unch |
|                                   | Miniket 5% Broken                     | 3925 | 3925 | Unch |
| Kurnool (Andhra Pradesh)          | Sona Fine (Rice)                      | NA   | NA   | -    |
| Machilipatnam (Andhra<br>Pradesh) | B.P.T Raw (Rice)                      | 4000 | 4000 | Unch |
| Kakinada (Andhra Pradesh)         | HMT Steam Rice                        | 4300 | 4300 | Unch |
| Nalagonda (Telengana)             | Jai Shri Ram Sona                     | 2670 | 2670 | Unch |
| Mumbai(Maharashtra)               | Jai Shri Ram(JSR)                     | 5800 | 5800 | Unch |
|                                   |                                       |      |      |      |



# **Paddy Prices in Various Markets**

| Market Center          | Arrivals | Unit of<br>Arrivals | Minimum<br>Price | Maximum<br>Price | Modal<br>Price |
|------------------------|----------|---------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|
|                        |          | Cereals             |                  |                  |                |
|                        | F        | Paddy(Dhan)         |                  |                  |                |
|                        |          | Chattisgarh         |                  |                  |                |
| Naila                  | 145.8    | Tonnes              | 1551             | 1710             | 1551           |
| Takhatpur              | 9.9      | Tonnes              | 1700             | 1700             | 1700           |
|                        |          | Jharkhand           |                  |                  |                |
| Godda                  | NR       | Tonnes              | 1600             | 1800             | 1700           |
| Gumla                  | NR       | Tonnes              | 1500             | 1600             | 1550           |
|                        |          | Karnataka           |                  |                  |                |
| Bhadravathi            | 162      | Tonnes              | 1970             | 1970             | 1970           |
| Hanagal                | 29       | Tonnes              | 1520             | 2020             | 2020           |
| Srirangapattana        | 17       | Tonnes              | 1200             | 1200             | 1200           |
| Tarikere               | 21       | Tonnes              | 2300             | 2300             | 2300           |
|                        | ı        | Maharashtra         |                  |                  |                |
| Alibagh                | 1        | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1650             | 1600           |
| Arjuni                 | 16       | Tonnes              | 1680             | 1710             | 1710           |
| Murbad                 | 4        | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1750             | 1650           |
| Murud                  | 1        | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1650             | 1600           |
| Nagpur                 | 16       | Tonnes              | 2150             | 2350             | 2300           |
| Roha                   | NR       | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1600             | 1575           |
|                        |          | Orissa              |                  |                  |                |
| Bonai                  | 150      | Tonnes              | 1550             | 2500             | 1550           |
| Hindol                 | NR       | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1550             | 1550           |
| Kamakhyanagar          | NR       | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1550             | 1550           |
| Kendrapara             | 30       | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1590             | 1550           |
| Kendrapara(Marshaghai) | 32       | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1590             | 1550           |
| Nabarangpur(Umerkote)  | 72.12    | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1550             | 1550           |
| Pattamundai            | 28       | Tonnes              | 1550             | 1590             | 1550           |
| Sahidngar              | 45       | Tonnes              | 1440             | 1550             | 1550           |
|                        |          | Pondicherry         |                  |                  |                |
| Karaikal               | NR       | Tonnes              | 1500             | 1500             | 1500           |
|                        |          |                     | 1700             | 1700             | 1700           |
|                        |          |                     | 1500             | 1590             | 1545           |
|                        |          |                     | 1500             | 1500             | 1500           |
|                        |          |                     | 1583             | 1583             | 1583           |
|                        |          |                     | 1700             | 1700             | 1700           |
|                        |          | Tamil Nadu          |                  |                  |                |
| Ambasamudram           | 25       | Tonnes              | 1700             | 1900             | 1800           |



| Arur                   | NR     | Tonnes    | 1600 | 2000 | 1740 |
|------------------------|--------|-----------|------|------|------|
| Cheyyar                | 368.47 | Tonnes    | 1050 | 1297 | 1263 |
| Devakottai             | NR     | Tonnes    | 1600 | 1800 | 1700 |
| Kamuthi                | NR     | Tonnes    | 1540 | 1580 | 1560 |
| Madurai                | NR     | Tonnes    | 1320 | 1384 | 1350 |
|                        |        |           | 1320 | 1384 | 1350 |
|                        |        |           | 1620 | 1692 | 1656 |
|                        |        |           | 1620 | 1692 | 1656 |
| Melur                  | NR     | Tonnes    | 1770 | 1960 | 1865 |
|                        |        |           | 1835 | 2025 | 1930 |
| Rajasingamangalam      | NR     | Tonnes    | 1500 | 1600 | 1550 |
| Thammampati            | NR     | Tonnes    | 1540 | 1580 | 1560 |
| Thenkasi               | NR     | Tonnes    | 1600 | 1800 | 1700 |
| Thirumangalam          | NR     | Tonnes    | 1600 | 1650 | 1620 |
|                        |        |           | 2000 | 2100 | 2050 |
| Thiryagadurgam         | 33.8   | Tonnes    | 1280 | 1350 | 1345 |
| Tirunelvali            | NR     | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1700 | 1600 |
|                        |        |           | 1550 | 1700 | 1600 |
| Ulundurpettai          | 150    | Tonnes    | 1292 | 1356 | 1324 |
| Vellore                | 95.71  | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1650 | 1600 |
|                        | •      | Telangana |      |      | •    |
| Aler                   | 0.1    | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Banswada               | 17     | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Birkur                 | 1092   | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Bodhan                 | 740.7  | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Chandur                | NR     | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Chandur(Mungodu)       | NR     | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Charla                 | 202    | Tonnes    | 1580 | 1605 | 1590 |
| Chityal                | NR     | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Choutuppal             | NR     | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Dammapet               | 24.9   | Tonnes    | 1450 | 1510 | 1470 |
| Devarakonda            | NR     | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Devarkonda(Dindi)      | NR     | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Devarkonda(Mallepalli) | NR     | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Dharmapuri             | NR     | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Dharmaram              | NR     | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Dornakal               | NR     | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Gadwal                 | 7      | Tonnes    | 1330 | 1656 | 1568 |
| Gandhari               | NR     | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Gangadhara             | NR     | Tonnes    | 1550 | 1590 | 1550 |
| Halia                  | NR     | Tonnes    | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |



| Kallur                        | NR    | Tonnes       | 1500 | 1500 | 1500 |
|-------------------------------|-------|--------------|------|------|------|
| Kataram                       | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Kathalapur                    | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Kodakandal                    | NR    | Tonnes       | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Koratla                       | NR    | Tonnes       | 1545 | 1545 | 1545 |
| Manthani                      | NR    | Tonnes       | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Medak                         | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Medchal                       | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Metpally                      | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Mothkur                       | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Mulugu                        | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Nakrekal                      | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Nalgonda                      | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Narsapur                      | NR    | Tonnes       | 1550 | 1600 | 1590 |
| Nelakondapally                | NR    | Tonnes       | 1475 | 1595 | 1475 |
| Neredcherla                   | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Nidamanoor                    | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Pitlam                        | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Pudur                         | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Sattupalli                    | 12    | Tonnes       | 1450 | 1510 | 1470 |
| Sircilla                      | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Vemulawada                    | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Venkateswarnagar              | NR    | Tonnes       | 1510 | 1510 | 1510 |
| Venkateswarnagar(Chintapalli) | NR    | Tonnes       | 1510 | 1510 | 1510 |
| Voligonda                     | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Voligonda(Ramannapet)         | NR    | Tonnes       | 1590 | 1590 | 1590 |
| Wanaparthy town               | 25.8  | Tonnes       | 1290 | 1527 | 1467 |
|                               |       |              | 1451 | 1730 | 1620 |
| Wyra                          | NR    | Tonnes       | 1550 | 1570 | 1560 |
|                               | U     | ttar Pradesh |      |      |      |
| Achnera                       | 8     | Tonnes       | 2800 | 3000 | 2900 |
|                               |       |              | 2400 | 2600 | 2500 |
| Akbarpur                      | 58.5  | Tonnes       | 1500 | 1560 | 1530 |
| Aligarh                       | 140   | Tonnes       | 3290 | 3390 | 3340 |
|                               |       |              | 3050 | 3150 | 3100 |
|                               |       |              | 2670 | 2770 | 2720 |
| Amroha                        | NR    | Tonnes       | 1470 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Anandnagar                    | NR    | Tonnes       | 1500 | 1600 | 1550 |
| Azamgarh                      | 0.5   | Tonnes       | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Bachranwa                     | 40    | Tonnes       | 1520 | 1540 | 1530 |
| Bahraich                      | 137.5 | Tonnes       | 1430 | 1550 | 1540 |



| Bangarmau           | 50.9 | Tonnes      | 1425 | 1475 | 1450 |
|---------------------|------|-------------|------|------|------|
| Barhaj              | NR   | Tonnes      | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Basti               | 27   | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Bharthna            | 50   | Tonnes      | 1400 | 1570 | 1480 |
| Bindki              | 550  | Tonnes      | 1450 | 1550 | 1500 |
|                     |      |             | 2000 | 2100 | 2050 |
| Chorichora          | 15   | Tonnes      | 1475 | 1550 | 1525 |
| Choubepur           | 37.5 | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1590 | 1550 |
| Devariya            | 20   | Tonnes      | 1490 | 1505 | 1500 |
| Faizabad            | 20   | Tonnes      | 1490 | 1550 | 1520 |
| Gadaura             | 40   | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1520 | 1510 |
| Gonda               | 203  | Tonnes      | 1380 | 1420 | 1400 |
| Gorakhpur           | 80   | Tonnes      | 1475 | 1550 | 1535 |
| Hardoi              | 230  | Tonnes      | 1460 | 1560 | 1500 |
| Jafarganj           | 40   | Tonnes      | 1370 | 1410 | 1390 |
| Jahangirabad        | 85   | Tonnes      | 2600 | 3400 | 2980 |
| Kopaganj            | 35   | Tonnes      | 1525 | 1575 | 1550 |
| Lucknow             | 16   | Tonnes      | 1550 | 1650 | 1600 |
| Madhoganj           | 28   | Tonnes      | 1425 | 1550 | 1500 |
| Naanpara            | 72.5 | Tonnes      | 1445 | 1480 | 1460 |
| Nautnava            | NR   | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1580 | 1550 |
| Panchpedwa          | 11   | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1525 | 1510 |
| Pilibhit            | 78.5 | Tonnes      | 1520 | 1560 | 1540 |
| Pratapgarh          | 22   | Tonnes      | 1450 | 1485 | 1475 |
| Puranpur            | 6.5  | Tonnes      | 1400 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Richha              | 0.7  | Tonnes      | 1550 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Ruperdeeha          | 10   | Tonnes      | NR   | NR   | 1250 |
| Safdarganj          | 18   | Tonnes      | 1530 | 1570 | 1560 |
| Sahiyapur           | 92.5 | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Sehjanwa            | NR   | Tonnes      | 1400 | 1550 | 1550 |
| Shahabad(New Mandi) | 8    | Tonnes      | 1350 | 1470 | 1420 |
| Shahjahanpur        | 40   | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1600 | 1560 |
| Sirsaganj           | 41.2 | Tonnes      | 2030 | 2430 | 2300 |
| Sitapur             | 100  | Tonnes      | 1350 | 1380 | 1370 |
| Tamkuhi Road        | 24   | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1550 | 1525 |
|                     |      | West Bengal |      |      |      |
| Bishnupur(Bankura)  | 21   | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1590 | 1570 |
| Egra/contai         | 1.9  | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1540 | 1520 |
|                     |      |             | 1530 | 1580 | 1550 |
| Gajol               | 98   | Tonnes      | 1500 | 1600 | 1550 |
| Garbeta(Medinipur)  | 1.2  | Tonnes      | 1550 | 1560 | 1550 |



| Guskara(Burdwan)     | 276 | Tonnes | 1708 | 1736 | 1722 |
|----------------------|-----|--------|------|------|------|
| Indus(Bankura Sadar) | 120 | Tonnes | 1500 | 1590 | 1560 |
| Kalna                | 91  | Tonnes | 1570 | 1600 | 1600 |
| Katwa                | 162 | Tonnes | 1708 | 1736 | 1722 |
| Khatra               | 82  | Tonnes | 1500 | 1570 | 1550 |
|                      |     |        | 1550 | 1590 | 1570 |
| Nadia                | 75  | Tonnes | 2080 | 2120 | 2100 |
| Rampurhat            | 40  | Tonnes | 1540 | 1560 | 1550 |
| Samsi                | 25  | Tonnes | 1675 | 1725 | 1700 |
|                      |     |        | 2275 | 2325 | 2300 |
| Siliguri             | NR  | Tonnes | 1650 | 1750 | 1700 |

# (Arrivals in Tons and Prices in Rs/Qtl)

# **Rice Prices in Various Markets**

| Market Center | Arrivals | Unit of<br>Arrivals | Minimum<br>Price | Maximum<br>Price | Modal<br>Price |
|---------------|----------|---------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|
|               |          | Cereals             |                  |                  |                |
|               |          | Rice                |                  |                  |                |
|               |          | Jharkhand           |                  |                  |                |
| Bokaro (Chas) | NR       | Tonnes              | 2750             | 3400             | 3045           |
| Giridih       | 20.88    | Tonnes              | 3300             | 3560             | 3500           |
|               |          |                     | 2300             | 2540             | 2500           |
| Godda         | NR       | Tonnes              | 3000             | 3200             | 3100           |
|               |          |                     | 2600             | 2800             | 2700           |
| Gumla         | NR       | Tonnes              | 3600             | 4000             | 3800           |
| Pakur         | NR       | Tonnes              | 3400             | 3600             | 3500           |
| Ranchi        | NR       | Tonnes              | 2200             | 2600             | 2500           |
|               |          |                     | 3900             | 5000             | 4240           |
|               |          |                     | 2700             | 3100             | 2900           |
| Simdega       | NR       | Tonnes              | 2540             | 2800             | 2700           |
|               |          | Karnataka           |                  |                  |                |
| Bangalore     | 1903     | Tonnes              | 4200             | 4600             | 4400           |
| Bidar         | 215      | Tonnes              | 2000             | 2600             | 2200           |
|               |          |                     | 3800             | 5200             | 4500           |
| Tarikere      | 119      | Tonnes              | 1950             | 1950             | 1950           |
|               |          | Kerala              |                  |                  |                |



| Thodupuzha                            | 70    | Tonnes       | 3200 | 3300 | 3300 |
|---------------------------------------|-------|--------------|------|------|------|
| ·                                     |       |              | 4150 | 4250 | 4250 |
|                                       |       |              |      |      |      |
| Alibagh                               | 1     | Tonnes       | 4500 | 5500 | 5000 |
| Murud                                 | 1     | Tonnes       | 3500 | 4500 | 4000 |
| Solapur                               | 54    | Tonnes       | 2205 | 5710 | 3505 |
|                                       |       | Orissa       |      |      |      |
| Bolangir                              | 7     | Tonnes       | 2800 | 3000 | 2800 |
| Deogarh                               | 9     | Tonnes       | 2000 | 3000 | 2500 |
| Junagarh                              | 38.71 | Tonnes       | 2100 | 2400 | 2200 |
| Kalahandi(Dharamagarh)                | 21.04 | Tonnes       | 2100 | 2400 | 2200 |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | U     | ttar Pradesh |      |      |      |
| Achnera                               | 0.5   | Tonnes       | 2480 | 2520 | 2500 |
| Agra                                  | 120   | Tonnes       | 2520 | 2560 | 2540 |
| Ajuha                                 | 3     | Tonnes       | 2250 | 2350 | 2300 |
| Akbarpur                              | 45    | Tonnes       | 2170 | 2220 | 2190 |
| Aligarh                               | 75    | Tonnes       | 2500 | 2540 | 2520 |
| Allahabad                             | 90    | Tonnes       | 2550 | 2850 | 2660 |
| Amroha                                | NR    | Tonnes       | 2500 | 2800 | 2600 |
| Anandnagar                            | NR    | Tonnes       | 2000 | 2200 | 2100 |
| Auraiya                               | 34    | Tonnes       | 2400 | 2600 | 2500 |
| Badayoun                              | 16    | Tonnes       | 2280 | 2400 | 2375 |
| Bahraich                              | 156.2 | Tonnes       | 2050 | 2250 | 2200 |
| Ballia                                | 70    | Tonnes       | 2125 | 2325 | 2230 |
| Balrampur                             | 10    | Tonnes       | 2000 | 2300 | 2150 |
| Banda                                 | 25    | Tonnes       | 2020 | 2100 | 2050 |
| Bangarmau                             | 1.6   | Tonnes       | 2125 | 2175 | 2150 |
| Bareilly                              | 20    | Tonnes       | 2375 | 2500 | 2425 |
| Basti                                 | 50    | Tonnes       | 2100 | 2180 | 2140 |
| Bharthna                              | 150   | Tonnes       | 2180 | 2550 | 2380 |
| Billsadda                             | 1.5   | Tonnes       | 2100 | 2350 | 2200 |
| Bindki                                | 500   | Tonnes       | 2250 | 2350 | 2300 |
| Buland Shahr                          | 4     | Tonnes       | 2400 | 2650 | 2530 |
| Chandausi                             | 2.6   | Tonnes       | 2180 | 2280 | 2240 |
| Charra                                | NR    | Tonnes       | 2520 | 2560 | 2540 |
| Chhibramau(Kannuj)                    | 4     | Tonnes       | 2240 | 2260 | 2250 |
| Chitwadagaon                          | 8     | Tonnes       | 1990 | 2100 | 2000 |
| Chorichora                            | 24    | Tonnes       | 2100 | 2165 | 2135 |
| Choubepur                             | 55    | Tonnes       | 2330 | 2430 | 2380 |
| Devariya                              | 25    | Tonnes       | 2140 | 2165 | 2150 |
| Etawah                                | 35    | Tonnes       | 2170 | 2550 | 2385 |



| Faizabad       | 60   | Tonnes | 2145 | 2200 | 2160 |
|----------------|------|--------|------|------|------|
| Fatehpur Sikri | 0.8  | Tonnes | 2500 | 2640 | 2570 |
| Gadaura        | NR   | Tonnes | 1800 | 2000 | 1900 |
| Gazipur        | 43.5 | Tonnes | 2215 | 2245 | 2230 |
| Ghaziabad      | 70   | Tonnes | 2625 | 2675 | 2645 |
| Gonda          | 142  | Tonnes | 2140 | 2160 | 2150 |
| Gopiganj       | NR   | Tonnes | 2300 | 2400 | 2400 |
| Gorakhpur      | 20   | Tonnes | 2120 | 2165 | 2140 |
| Gurusarai      | 0.8  | Tonnes | 2300 | 2500 | 2400 |
| Haathras       | 25   | Tonnes | 2500 | 2630 | 2565 |
| Hapur          | 60   | Tonnes | 2650 | 2700 | 2680 |
| Hardoi         | 140  | Tonnes | 2360 | 2460 | 2420 |
| Jafarganj      | 80   | Tonnes | 2000 | 2200 | 2100 |
| Jagnair        | 0.8  | Tonnes | 2480 | 2520 | 2500 |
| Jahangirabad   | 2.5  | Tonnes | 2500 | 2650 | 2580 |
| Jasra          | 20   | Tonnes | 2250 | 2350 | 2300 |
| Jaunpur        | 24   | Tonnes | 2140 | 2185 | 2160 |
| Kanpur(Grain)  | 250  | Tonnes | 2100 | 2200 | 2175 |
| Karvi          | 14.5 | Tonnes | 2000 | 2100 | 2030 |
| Kasganj        | 1.2  | Tonnes | 2625 | 2750 | 2675 |
| Kayamganj      | 15   | Tonnes | 2260 | 2280 | 2270 |
| Khairagarh     | 0.8  | Tonnes | 2480 | 2520 | 2500 |
| Khalilabad     | 35   | Tonnes | NR   | NR   | 2140 |
| Khurja         | 8.5  | Tonnes | 2475 | 2685 | 2600 |
| Kopaganj       | 39   | Tonnes | 2100 | 2200 | 2160 |
| Kosikalan      | 4    | Tonnes | 2500 | 2520 | 2510 |
| Lalganj        | 20   | Tonnes | 2030 | 2050 | 2040 |
| Lucknow        | 76   | Tonnes | 2150 | 2350 | 2230 |
| Madhoganj      | 12   | Tonnes | 2140 | 2200 | 2180 |
| Mahoba         | 11.2 | Tonnes | 2000 | 2120 | 2070 |
| Mainpuri       | 32   | Tonnes | 2570 | 2670 | 2610 |
| Mathura        | 28   | Tonnes | 2440 | 2650 | 2540 |
| Mau            | 39   | Tonnes | 2100 | 2200 | 2160 |
| Maudaha        | 6    | Tonnes | 2000 | 2150 | 2050 |
| Mirzapur       | 4.5  | Tonnes | 2125 | 2175 | 2155 |
| Muradabad      | 7.5  | Tonnes | 2420 | 2460 | 2440 |
| Muzzafarnagar  | 11   | Tonnes | 2600 | 2730 | 2680 |
| Naanpara       | 31   | Tonnes | 2120 | 2160 | 2140 |
| Nautnava       | NR   | Tonnes | 2000 | 2100 | 2050 |
| Paliakala      | 4    | Tonnes | 2150 | 2230 | 2170 |
| Pilibhit       | 100  | Tonnes | 2320 | 2360 | 2340 |



| Pratapgarh 25 Tonnes 2200 2220   Pukhrayan 12 Tonnes 2100 2200 |              |
|--|--------------|
| Pukhrayan 12 Tonnes 2100 2200                                  | 2210         |
|  | 2160         |
| Puranpur 46.5 Tonnes 2260 2400                                 | 2335         |
| Puwaha 50 Tonnes 2100 2300                                     | 2200         |
| Risia 3 Tonnes 1900 2000                                       | 1950         |
| Safdarganj 20 Tonnes 2150 2200                                 | 2175         |
| Saharanpur 14 Tonnes 2630 2750                                 | 2690         |
| Sahiyapur 32 Tonnes 2125 2175                                  | 2155         |
| Sehjanwa NR Tonnes 1800 2200                                   | 2000         |
| Shahjahanpur 90 Tonnes 2300 2400                               | 2355         |
| Sirsaganj 23 Tonnes 2520 2720                                  | 2620         |
| Sitapur 30 Tonnes 2150 2350                                    | 2260         |
| Tamkuhi Road 15 Tonnes 2125 2200                               | 2150         |
| Tundla 1.6 Tonnes 2550 2620                                    | 2610         |
| Unnao 5.8 Tonnes 2100 2200                                     | 2150         |
| Varanasi(Grain) 380 Tonnes 2220 2260                           | 2240         |
| Vilthararoad 10 Tonnes 2070 2100                               | 2080         |
| Vishalpur 6.5 Tonnes 2400 2525                                 | 2450         |
| West Bengal  |              |
| Alipurduar 20 Tonnes 2700 2800                                 | 2750         |
| 3300 3400  | 3350         |
| Balarampur 1.84 Tonnes 2600 2640                               | 2620         |
| Beldanga 75 Tonnes 2700 2900                                   | 2800         |
| Bethuadahari 7 Tonnes 4000 4400                                | 4200         |
| Bishnupur(Bankura) 14 Tonnes 2600 2700                         | 2650         |
| 2800 2900  | 2850         |
| Egra/contai 35 Tonnes 2400 2600                                | 2500         |
| 2600 2800  | 2700         |
| Gajol 45.1 Tonnes 3500 3600                                    | 3550         |
| Garbeta(Medinipur) 2.1 Tonnes 2800 2900                        | 2900         |
| Guskara(Burdwan) 178 Tonnes 2400 2500                          | 2450         |
| Indus(Bankura Sadar) 75 Tonnes 2750 2850                       | 2800         |
| Islampur 15 Tonnes 3250 3350                                   | 3300         |
| Jalpaiguri Sadar 21 Tonnes 2750 2850                           | 2800         |
| 2450 2550  | 2500         |
|  | 4100         |
| 4000 4200  | 2200         |
|  |              |
|  | 3370         |
| Kalimpong NR Tonnes 2140 2240   Kalna 98 Tonnes 3350 3400      | 3370<br>2550 |
| Kalimpong NR Tonnes 2140 2240   Kalna 98 Tonnes 3350 3400      |              |



| Kandi                 | 52   | Tonnes | 2800 | 2840 | 2820 |
|-----------------------|------|--------|------|------|------|
| Karsiyang(Matigara)   | 16.5 | Tonnes | 2800 | 3200 | 3000 |
| Kasipur               | 0.48 | Tonnes | 2600 | 2650 | 2620 |
| Katwa                 | 112  | Tonnes | 2400 | 2500 | 2450 |
| Khatra                | 39   | Tonnes | 2600 | 2700 | 2650 |
| Medinipur(West)       | 22   | Tonnes | 2800 | 2900 | 2900 |
| Nadia                 | 20   | Tonnes | 3850 | 3950 | 3900 |
| Pandua                | 48   | Tonnes | 3400 | 3450 | 3450 |
| Raiganj               | 15   | Tonnes | 3150 | 3250 | 3200 |
| Ramkrishanpur(Howrah) | 11.3 | Tonnes | 2900 | 3100 | 3000 |
| Rampurhat             | 70   | Tonnes | 2480 | 2520 | 2500 |
|                       |      |        | 2880 | 2920 | 2900 |
| Ranaghat              | 6.32 | Tonnes | 3900 | 4000 | 3920 |
| Samsi                 | 50   | Tonnes | 3250 | 3350 | 3300 |
|                       |      |        | 2650 | 2750 | 2700 |
| Siliguri              | 164  | Tonnes | 2500 | 2900 | 2700 |
| Uluberia              | 10   | Tonnes | 2800 | 3000 | 2900 |

(Arrivals in Tons and Prices in Rs/Qt)

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