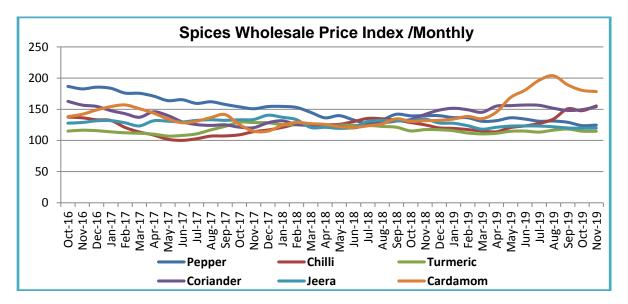


# Spices Weekly Research Report

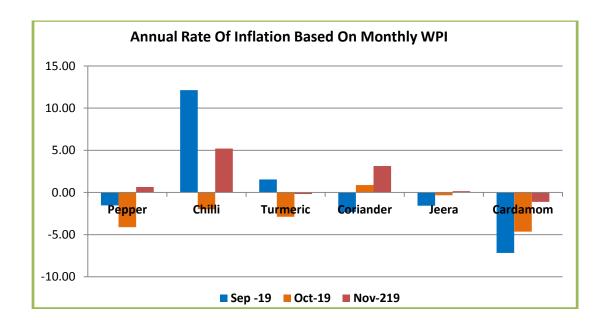
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Pepper price index in Nov 124.6 compared to 123.8 in Oct, Red Chilli 155.4 in Nov up from 147.7 in Oct, Turmeric in Nov 114.7 compared to 114.9 in Oct, Coriander 154.2 in Nov from 149.5 in Oct, Jeera 119.7 in Nov compared to 119.5 in Oct and Cardamom in Nov 178.5 down from 180.5 in Oct.





#### **RED CHILLI**

#### **Spot Market Recap**

- Firm sentiment witnessed in Red Chilli market during the last week.
- Lower supply in the spot market supported the prices. New crop supply entering to the market, but quality reported lower also added the sentiment. Good quality expected to enter from 15<sup>th</sup> January.
- As per Agriwatch's, Red Chilli all India production for 2020-21 is estimated at 12.32 lakh MT.
   Current year's production was 12.22 lakh MT.
- We expect during new season, the market's reliance on Andhra Pradesh and Telangana will be higher than usual as Karnataka production is expected lower.
- Red chilli prices likely to trade steady to firm in coming weeks.

#### **Fundamental Analysis**

Red Chilli Arrival Scenario: (in Bags)								
	% Change Over	Today	Week ago	Year Ago				
Market	% Change Over Previous Week	20th Dec to	13th Dec to	20th Dec to 26th				
	Previous week	26th Dec 2019	19th Dec 2019	Dec 2018				
Guntur (Andhra Pradesh)	-27.78	130,000	180,000	240,000				
Warangal (Telangana)	-36.00	8,000	12,500	18,000				
Total	-28.31	138,000	192,500	258,000				

Chilli supply reported down by 46.51% from last year same period.

Current year total red chilli supply in Guntur market from 1st January 2019 to 27th December 2019, stands at around 550,125 MT as compared to 607,005 MT in the corresponding period last year, supply down by 9.37% as a result of lower stocks available in the spot market.

As per trade information, chilli cold storage stocks as on date in Guntur stood at 4,050 to 4,500 MT lower from normal stocks, also in Andhra Pradesh around 5,400 to 5,850 MT according to various trade estimates. Current year cold storage stocks reported lower as carry forward stocks reported less.

#### Red Chilli Spot Price Outlook (Guntur, 334 variety)



Candlestick chart formation indicates prices downward correction in the market. Red Chilli 334 variety prices are moving at Rs.15,500 – 17,000/-qtl. We expect prices (cold storage) likely to correction from higher levels and to move in a range between Rs.15,000 – 18,500/-. in coming days.



	Red Chilli Spot	<b>Prices Weekly Ch</b>	ange, Loose I	Prices (Rs/Qtl	)	
Contro	Variativ	% Change Over	Today	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago
Centre	Variety	Previous Week	26-Dec-19	19-Dec-19	26-Nov-19	26-Dec-18
	NCDEX Quality	9.15	15500	14200	13300	8500
Guntur (A.P.)	LCA 334	13.33	17000	15000	13800	9000
Benchmark market	Teja	2.70	19000	18500	18000	9500
	No. 273	14.81	15500	13500	13000	8500
	No. 5	17.86	16500	14000	14000	9000
	Fatki	12.50	9000	8000	9000	5500
	Byadgi	22.22	16500	13500	13500	8800
	US 341	10.00	16500	15000	14500	8500
	Denvor Delux	14.29	16000	14000	13500	8500
	Teja	1.06	19000	18800	18500	10400
	Wonder Hot	1.52	13400	13200	12800	10200
Warangal	341	1.37	14800	14600	14300	10700
(Telangana)	Denvor Delux	1.50	13500	13300	13000	10500
	Paprika	-	NA	NA	NA	NA
	Fatki	2.11	9700	9500	9500	5500
	No. 12	-	NA	NA	NA	10500
	Indu 2070	-	NA	NA	NA	10500
Bedia (M.P.)	MICO (Teja)	-	NA	8500	NA	11000
	Jhankar	Unch	17500	17500	17000	10000
	Ganesh	-	NA	NA	NA	10000
	Teja(Khamam)	4.88	21500	20500	18500	11500
	М.Р. МасоТеја	-	NA	NA	NA	NA
New Delhi	Pala 12	-	NA	NA	NA	NA
New Dellii	LCA 334	-	NA	NA	NA	10000
	Fatki	-	NA	NA	11500	5000
	Packing	-	NA	NA	NA	10000

#### **TURMERIC**

### **Spot Market Recap**

- Mixed sentiment witnessed in Turmeric spot markets during the week.
- Continued lower supply reported in the spot market supported the prices as stockists were not interested to releasing their stocks at lower prices level.
- Turmeric buyers reported active from lower levels in the spot market as lower sowing area in Tamil Nadu due to deficient rainfall and in AP as shifted to Cotton and in some parts to Chilli due to current higher prices.
- As per Agriwatch's first production estimate, Turmeric production for 2020-21 is estimated at 452,698 (after flood in MH, AP and Karnataka) MT (basis dry crop) compared to previous year's 532,353 MT (2019-20 marketing season).
- We expect Turmeric prices to trade range bound in coming days.

## **Fundamental analysis**

	Turmeric Arrival Scenario: (in Bags)								
	% Change	Today	Week ago	Year Ago					
Market	Over Previous	20th Dec to 26th	13th Dec to 19th	20th Dec to					
	Week	Dec 2019	Dec 2019	26th Dec 2018					
Nizamabad (Telangana)	-33.33	4,600	6,900	2,100					
Duggirala (AP)*	-37.50	10000	16000	11000					
Salem (TN)*	-	NA	8	307					
Erode (TN) #	-42.31	7,500	13,000	25,500					
Sangli (Mah.)	-55.08	3800	8460	3000					
Warangal (Telangana) #	-	NA	10	NA					
Total	-41.64	25,900	44,378	41,907					
	Arriv	/al * Qtl, # 65 kgs							

Turmeric supply reported down last week in the spot market. Supply last week reported down by 38.20% from corresponding period last year as stockists were releasing their stocks in the spot market.



In Andhra Pradesh, Duggirala market turmeric supply continued in the market, last week on an average 2,600 quintal reported on daily basis, previous week it was 3,800 quintal. In Erode mandi, Turmeric supply reported around on an average daily basis 1,894 quintal last week, previous week it was 1,800 quintals.

In Nizamabad, during current season Turmeric arrivals reported around 103,257 MT from January third week till 27th December compared to last year same period 83,307 MT, 23.95% reported up from last year. Due to increase in production current marketing year supply reported up.

#### **Fundamental Price Outlook**

Currently, turmeric (finger, NCDEX quality) in Nizamabad is trading at Rs.6,000/quintal. We expect that prices may not increase much further from current levels amid lack of good demand around higher levels. We expect prices to move in a range between Rs.6,000 – 6,700/-qtl in coming days.

	Turmeric Spot Prices Weekly Change, Loose Prices (Rs/QtI)								
Centre	Variety	% Change Over Previous Week	Today	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago			
		Flevious week	26-Dec-19	19-Dec-19	26-Nov-19	26-Dec-18			
Nizamabad	Nizam quality	Unch	6000	6000	6000	7000			
(Telangana)	Double polish finger	1.45	7000	6900	7000	7800			
Benchmark	Gattah (unpolished)	-3.39	5700	5900	5800	6800			
market	Gattah (double polished)	-2.86	6800	7000	6800	7700			
Duggirala	Bulb	4.46	5850	5600	5800	6100			
(A.P.)	Finger	4.46	5850	5600	5800	6200			
	Finger	Unch	6500	6500	6400	7000			
Erode (T.N.)	Gattah	Unch	6200	6200	6200	6300			
	Sellem	Unch	7200	7200	7200	7500			
Salem(T.N.)	Bulb	•	NA	NA	NA	6790			
Salem(1.N.)	Finger	1.41	7200	7100	7235	8060			
	Rajpuri/ Salem Finger	Unch	8000	8000	7000	10000			
Sangli (Mah.)	Rajpuri Medium	Unch	7200	7200	6200	8500			
	Desi Kadappa	Unch	5200	5200	4900	6500			
Warangal	Finger	Unch	6600	6600	6600	7400			
(Telangana)	Round	Unch	6300	6300	6300	7400			



#### **Turmeric weekly Future Price Chart (Mar Contract)**



#### **Spot Market Recap:**

Continued mixed sentiment witnessed in Jeera major domestic market during the week.

**JEERA (CUMIN SEED)** 

- In Rajasthan and Gujarat, Jeera growing regions sowing reported delayed by 15 20 days
  due to higher soil moisture as a result of excess rainfall during September and October. In
  Gujarat, Jeera sowing almost completed, sowing area reported up. Due to availability of water
  new sowing area has come up in Porbandar and Devbhumi Dwarka districts.
- In Rajasthan, Jeera sowing almost completed, area likely to go up due to conducive weather.
- Jeera standing crop reported affect by locusts in Barmer, Jaisalmer and Banaskantha districts, affect percentage in Rajasthan expected 10 -15%, however in Gujarat likely to be around 5%.
- For 2019 -20 Agriwatch final Jeera estimate (as we reported earlier) reported around 70 lakh bags as compared to last year 63 lakh bags.
- Agriwatch expected higher export current year as compared to last two years.
- Jeera new crop supply expected delay will support the prices.
- We expect Jeera NCDEX quality prices to trade in a range between Rs.16,500 17,200/-qtl in coming days.



#### **Fundamental analysis**

Jeera Arrival Scenario: (in Bags)								
	% Change Over	Today	Week ago	Year Ago				
Market	% Change Over Previous Week	20th Dec to 26th Dec 2019	13th Dec to 19th Dec 2019	20th Dec to 26th Dec 2018				
Unjha (Guj.)	-12.50	7,000	8,000	4,200				
Rajkot (Guj.)*	-8.17	2360	2570	1210				
Patan (Guj.)*	123.88	150	67	76				
Dhrol (Guj.)*	-31.82	15	22	9				
Gondal (Guj.)	-2.04	4800	4900	1750				
Jodhpur (Raj.)	-4.17	1725	1800	150				
Merta City (Nagaur) (Raj.)	-5.00	1900	2000	100				
Nagaur (Raj.)	-23.81	1200	1575	200				
Anandpur Kalu (Raj.)	-60.00	20	50	NA				
Total	-8.64	19,170	20,984	7,695				
	,	Arrival * Qtl						

Jeera crop supply reported up in the spot market. From last year supply up by around 149.12% as stockists were releasing back their stocks in the spot market.

	Cumin Seed Spot Prices Weekly Change, Loose Prices (Rs/Qtl)									
Commodity	Variety	% Change Over Previous Week	Today	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago				
		WEEK	26-Dec-19	19-Dec-19	26-Nov-19	26-Dec-18				
Unibo (Cui )	Local	5.77	16500	15600	15400	16500				
Unjha (Guj.) Benchmark market	NCDEX Quality	-4.73	16100	16900	16700	18100				
Belletilliark market	Poojari type /Machine Cut	-7.95	16200	17600	17400	18700				
Rajkot (Guj.)	Local	-0.83	15000	15125	14790	16050				
Patan (Guj.)	Local	-0.35	14350	14400	15755	15910				
Dhrol (Guj.)	Local	1.56	14350	14130	14250	14950				
Gondal (Guj.)	Local	1.67	15250	15000	14750	16250				
Jodhpur (Raj.)	Local	2.65	15500	15100	16000	16300				
Merta City (Nagaur)	Local	-1.79	16500	16800	16800	16000				
Nagaur (Raj.)	Local	1.29	15700	15500	16000	17000				
Anandpur Kalu (Raj.)	Local	Unch	15500	15500	15500	17000				
New Dolhi	Ganesh	1.18	17200	17000	17000	18500				
New Delhi	Poojari type / Machine Cut	0.55	18300	18200	18300	20200				

#### **Cumin Seed FOR Prices (Rs/Qtl)**

Market	Variety	Today 26 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2019	Weekly 19 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2019	% Change Over Previous Week
	1% Singapore	15950	15900	0.31
Mundra Port	2% Singapore	15700	15650	0.32
Widilara Port	1 % European	16450	16400	0.30
	2% European	16200	16150	0.31



#### Jeera (Cumin Seed) weekly Future Price Chart (Jan Contract)



Candlestick chart pattern, indicates range bound movement in the market. RSI moving up in neutral zone in the market indicates prices may go up in short term. Volumes are supporting the prices.

Strateg	y: Buy	S2	<b>S</b> 1	PCP	R1	R2
NCDEX	Jan	16000	16100	16420	16900	17000
Weekly Tr	ade Call	Call	Entry	T1	T2	SL
NCDEX	Jan	Buy	Above 16350	16700	16800	16140

#### **BLACK PEPPER**

#### **Spot Market Recap**

- Mixed sentiment witnessed in Pepper cash markets during last week.
- Increasing domestic demand reported as winter season started in North India.
- According to the report of the International Pepper Association (IPC), the average annual
  growth rate of the world demand for pepper is only about 2-3% / year, while the supply grows
  to 8-10%. /year. IPC forecasts that in 2019, the world's total demand will reach only about 450
  thousand tons, about 100,000 tons less than the total global pepper production.

#### **Fundamental Analysis**

Black Pepper Arrival Scenario: (in Tons)								
	% Change Over	Change Over Today		Year Ago				
Market	Previous Week	20th Dec to 26th	13th Dec to	20th Dec to 26th				
	Flevious week	Dec 2019	19th Dec 2019	Dec 2018				
Kochi (Kerala)	-22.37	59	76	39				
Total	-22.37	59	76	39				

Pepper arrivals reported up by 51.28% during the current week as compared to last year same period as stockists were releasing their stocks in the spot market also new crop entering to the market as prices reported up from last week.



#### **International Scenario**

Vietnam Pepper prices today in the Central Highlands and the South moved sideways, ranging between 40,000 - 42,500 VND / kg. In particular, pepper prices in Dong Nai and Gia Lai provinces are the lowest and highest in Ba Ria - Vung Tau.

According to statistics from the General Department of Customs, pepper exports in November reached 17 thousand tons, worth 40 million USD, down 0.3% in volume and 2.8% in value compared to October, but up 35.9% in volume and 3.1% in value compared to November 2018.

Accumulated from the beginning of the year to the end of November 2019, the export of pepper reached 267.3 thousand tons, worth US \$ 674.27 million, up 21.4% in volume, but down 6.1% in value compared to the value. May 11, 2018.

In November, the average export price of pepper reached 2,353 USD / ton, down 2.5% compared to October and down 24.1% compared to November 2018. In the first 11 months of 2019, the average export price of pepper reached US \$ 2,522 / ton, down 22.7% compared to the first 11 months of 2018.

According to the International Pepper Association (IPC), the world demand for pepper is about 510,000 tons / year and the average annual increase of 2-3%, while production increased by 8-10%. World pepper production in 2018 reached 557,000 tons and is expected to reach 602,000 tons in 2019.

E	Black Pepper Spot Prices Weekly Change, Loose Prices (Rs/Qtl)								
Centre	Variety	% Change Over Previous	Today	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago			
		Week	26-Dec-19	19-Dec-19	26-Nov-19	26-Dec-18			
Kochi	Ungarbled	-1.48	33300	33800	33200	36600			
Benchmark market	Garbled	-1.40	35300	35800	35200	38600			
Chikmagalur (Kar.)	Ungarbled	4.84	32500	31000	31000	34500			
Now Dolhi	Unpolished	Unch	36000	36000	36000	37500			
New Delhi	Number 11.5	Unch	40000	40000	40000	NA			

	Black Pepper FOB Prices (USD/MT)									
Date	Brazil ASTA 570	Kochi (India) ASTA	Lampung (Indonesia) ASTA 570	Kuching (Sarawak, Malaysia) ASTA	Ho Chi Minh (Vietnam) 500g/l	Ho Chi Minh 550g/l				
18/12/19	2250	5024	2166	3685	2320	2385				
19/12/19	2250	5022	2169	3685	2345	2410				
20/12/19	2250	4989	2168	3685	2345	2410				
23/12/19	2250	4974	2170	3685	2345	2410				
24/12/19	2250	4953	-	3685	2320	2385				
26/12/19	2250	-	2170	3685	2345	2410				
27/12/19	2250	-	2174	3685	2345	2410				







Candlestick chart formation indicates range bound movement sentiment in the market. RSI is moving down in neutral region. Currently black pepper prices are moving at Rs.35,300/-qtl. We expect that prices are likely to move in a range between Rs.34,800 – 36,000/-qtl, in coming week.

#### **CARDAMOM**

#### **Spot Market Recap**

- Continued firm sentiment witnessed in Small Cardamom market during the last week.
- Cardamom fourth round picking activity started in Kerala growing regions. Buyers reported
  active as quality supply will come down as picking activity will enter in fifth stage.
- Agriwatch expect current marketing year (2019-20) production likely to be around 18,000 19,000 MT due to unfavourable weather.

#### **Fundamental Analysis:**

Cardamom Arrival Scenario: (in Kgs)								
	% Change	Today	Week ago	Year Ago				
Market	Over Previous	20th Dec to 26th	13th Dec to	20th Dec to				
	Week	Dec 2019	19th Dec 2019	26th Dec 2018				
Vandanmedu, Thekkady, Kochi,								
Kumily, Nedumkandam, Santhanpara	43.94	335,349	232,983	292,213				
& Bodinayakanur (Kerala)								
Total	43.94	335,349	232,983	292,213				

Current week Cardamom supply reported up by 14.76% compared to corresponding period last year due to lower production. Stockists were only releasing their produce at higher prices level in the spot market.

The current season, officially began on August 1. From 1st August 2019 to 28th December 2019 arrivals reported 4,253 tons and sales 4,086 tons. Lower production expectations during current marketing year will support prices from lower levels.

Last season total arrivals reported from 1st August 2018 to 31st July 2019 arrivals reported 19,100 tons and sales 18,639 tons.

All India Cardamom average prices for next week likely to move in a range between Rs.3,200–3,700/-kgs.



Cardamom Spot Prices Weekly Change, Average Auction Prices (Rs/Kgs)								
Centre	Commodity & Variety	% Change Over Previous	Today	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago		
	Variety	Week	26-Dec-19	19-Dec-19	26-Nov-19	26-Dec-18		
Vandanmedu, Thekkady,	Max price	3.12	3698	3586	3206	1559		
Kochi, Nedumkandam , Kumily, Santhanpara & Bodinayakanur (Kerala)	Avg. Price	4.18	3437	3299	2915	1333		
	Medium	12.07	3250	2900	2650	1325		
	6.5 (Bold)	11.67	3350	3000	2750	1375		
New Delhi	7 (Bold)	9.23	3550	3250	3050	1450		
	7.5 (Bold)	7.35	3650	3400	3250	1550		
	8 (Bold)	8.45	3850	3550	3400	1725		
Sington	Badadana	-	NA	438	NA	NA		
Singtam	Chotadana	-	NA	388	NA	NA		
Constak	Badadana	-	NA	475	NA	NA		
Gangtok	Chotadana	-	NA	400	NA	NA		
Ciliannai	Badadana	-	NA	550	NA	NA		
Siliguri	Chotadana	-	NA	450	NA	NA		

#### **Cardamom Weekly Price Outlook (Jan Contract)**



Candlestick chart pattern reveals bullish sentiment in the market. RSI moving up in overbought zone in the market indicates prices may correct in short term. Volumes are supporting the prices.

Strate	egy: Buy	S2	S1	PCP	R1	R2
MCX	Jan	3350	3400	3526.4	3850	3900
Weekly	Trade Call	Call	Entry	T1	T2	SL
MCX	Jan	Buy	Above 3526	3700	3800	3420



#### **CORIANDER SEED**

#### **Spot Market Recap**

- Steady to weak sentiment witnessed in Coriander major market during the week.
- Coriander sowing completed in Rajasthan, Gujarat and Madhya Pradesh growing regions.
  Current year Coriander sowing is reported delayed by 20 -25 days due to higher soil moisture
  as a result of excess rainfall during September and October. As per current situation,
  Coriander area may go down by 5 10% and area likely to shift towards Wheat, Garlic in
  Rajasthan and towards Fenugreek seed in Madhya Pradesh due to better realization and
  present climatic condition.
- Coriander stocks decrease day by day in the spot market due to lower production current year.
   Though carryover stocks reported higher current year but ending stocks (AW estimate) for 2019-20 will be less compared to last three years.
- Cloudy and very cold weather reported in Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh growing regions, coriander standing crop is at very crucial stage, any unseasonal rainfall/frost may damage standing crop.

#### **Fundamental analysis**

Coriander Arrival Scenario: (in Bags)								
Market	% Change Over	Today	Week ago	Year Ago				
	Previous Week	20th Dec to 26th Dec 2019	13th Dec to 19th Dec 2019	20th Dec to 26th Dec 2018				
Kota (Raj.)	-36.84	2,400	3,800	11,500				
Guna (M.P.)	-32.94	5,700	8,500	9,200				
Neemuch (M.P.)	-40.00	2,700	4,500	5,200				
Ramganj (Raj.)	-40.00	12,000	20,000	21,000				
Baran (Raj.)	-40.17	7,000	11,700	10,000				
Bhawani (Raj.)	-66.25	675	2,000	1,550				
Gondal (Guj.)	-6.17	3800	4050	6200				
Total	-37.17	34,275	54,550	64,650				

Coriander supply down by 46.98% compared to corresponding period last year as stockists were holding back their stocks (new crop production) as they were expecting further higher prices level. Currently, stockists were only interested for releasing their old stocks.

We expect domestic buyers may active if prices correction from current levels.

	Coriander Seed Spot Prices Weekly Change, Loose Prices (Rs/Qtl)							
Centre	Variety	% Change Over Previous Week	Today 26-Dec-19	Week Ago	Month Ago 26-Nov-19	Year Ago 26-Dec-18		
	Eagle	Unch	6200	6200	6500	5400		
Kota (Raj.)	Eagle(Split)	Unch	6200	6200	6500	5400		
Benchmark	Badami	Unch	5900	5900	6200	5100		
market	Badami(Split)	Unch	5900	5900	6200	5100		
	Badami	Unch	6000	6000	5700	5200		
Guna (M.P.)	Eagle	Unch	6400	6400	6300	5400		
, ,	Scooter	-2.86	6800	7000	6600	5800		
	Badami	Unch	5900	5900	6200	4300		
Neemuch (M.P.)	Eagle	-1.59	6200	6300	6450	4900		
	Scooter	Unch	6600	6600	6800	NA		
	Eagle	-2.82	6025	6200	6300	5550		
	Eagle(Split)	-2.82	6025	6200	6300	5550		
Ramganj (Raj.)	Badami	-3.18	5325	5500	5700	5250		
	Badami(Split)	-3.18	5325	5500	5700	5250		
	Scooter	-2.54	6725	6900	7000	6050		
Baran (Raj.)	Eagle	0.79	6400	6350	6600	5900		
Daraii (Itaj.)	Badami	0.84	6000	5950	6400	5800		
	Eagle	-1.61	6100	6200	6300	5300		
Bhawani (Raj.)	Badami	Unch	5800	5800	6000	5200		
	Scooter	Unch	6300	6300	6500	5400		



Gondal (Guj.)	Badami	Unch	6500	6500	6250	5125
	Eagle	Unch	7000	7000	6750	5375

#### **Coriander Weekly Price Chart (Jan Contract)**



Candlestick chart pattern indicates prices correction from higher levels in the market. Volumes are supporting the prices. RSI moving down in neutral zone in the market.

Strateg	gy: Buy	S2	S1	PCP	R1	R2
NCDEX	Jan	6300	6400	6553	6950	7000
Weekly T	rade Call	Call	Entry	T1	T2	SL
NCDEX	Jan	Buy	Above 6600	6800	6900	6400

#### **FENNEL SEED**

#### **Spot Market Recap**

- Steady to weak witnessed in Fennel spot market during the week.
- In Gujarat, Fennel sowing is going on till date around 93% completed, current year sowing area shows lower from last year, current year area reported 39,227 hectares and last year same period it was 40,800 hectares as on 23rd December.
- Normal demand reported in the spot market.

#### **Fundamental Analysis**

Fennel Seed Arrival Scenario: (in Qtl)						
		Today	Week ago	Year Ago		
Market	% Change Over Previous Week	20th Dec to 26th Dec 2019	13th Dec to 19th Dec 2019	20th Dec to 26th Dec 2018		
Rajkot (Gujarat)	-37.31	42	67	57		
Patan (Gujarat)	-25.17	107	143	35		
Unjha (Gujarat)	-65.00	700	2,000	5,000		
Total	-61.58	849	2210	5092		

Fennel Spot Prices Weekly Change, Loose Prices (Rs/Qtl)							
Centre	Change Over Previous Week	Today	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago		
	Flevious Week	26-Dec-19	19-Dec-19	26-Nov-19	26-Dec-18		
Rajkot (Gujarat)	-25.00	4950	6600	5250	6000		
Patan (Gujarat)	-	6200	NA	5400	6430		
Unjha (Gujarat)	•	11500	Closed	11000	14000		
Delhi (Khari Baoli)	Unch	11000	11000	11000	11000		



#### Fennel Seed (Saunf) weekly forecast (Unjha Mandi)

At Unjha mandi Fennel weekly spot prices likely to move towards Rs.11,000/qtl to Rs.12,000/qtl, in coming day

#### **FENUGREEK SEED (METHI)**

#### **Spot Market Recap**

- Weak sentiment witnessed in Fenugreek market during the week.
- Fenugreek sowing area may increase in Madhya Pradesh due to conducive weather rather than Coriander, area may shift from Coriander.
- Buyers reported active in the spot market. Fenugreek prices are expected to be in the positive territory in coming days.

#### **Fundamental analysis**

Fenugreek Seed Arrival Scenario: (in MT)								
	0/ Change Over	Today	Week ago	Year Ago				
Market	% Change Over Previous Week	20th Dec to 26th Dec 2019	13th Dec to 19th Dec 2019	20th Dec to 26th Dec 2018				
Rajkot (Gujarat)	5.58	473	448	442				
Patan (Gujarat)	-94.44	1	18	41				
Kota (Rajasthan)	-73.63	120	455	560				
Ramganj (Rajasthan)	-	NA	NA	300				
Jodhpur (Rajasthan)	-	NA	NA	120				
Neemuch (MP)	-45.00	2200	4000	6000				
Total	-43.22	2,794	4,921	7,463				

Supply reported down in Fenugreek market during the week from last year. As per trade source, in Kota & Bundi, stock of fenugreek could be around 40,000–50,000 bags. As per market information, stockists expected higher prices in new season on expectation of lower sowing area.

Fenugreek Seed Spot Prices Weekly Change, Loose Prices (Rs/Qtl)							
Centre	Change Over Previous Week	Today	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago		
	i ievious week	26-Dec-19	19-Dec-19	26-Nov-19	26-Dec-18		
Rajkot (Gujarat)	-2.34	4600	4710	4455	3750		
Patan (Gujarat)	•	2255	NA	4655	2990		
Kota (Rajasthan)	•	NA	NA	0	3700		
Ramganj (Rajasthan)	•	NA	4350	4350	3400		
Jodhpur (Rajasthan)	-	NA	NA	0	3700		
Neemuch (MP)	•	NA	4400	0	4000		

#### Fenugreek Seed (Methi) weekly forecast (Kota Mandi)

At Kota mandi Fenugreek Seed weekly spot prices likely to move in a range between Rs.4,000 – 4,300/-qtl in coming weeks.

We expect prices to go up to Rs.4,500–4,800/-qtl coming months. For new crop buyers reported active as old stocks quality reported lower.





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