

Sugar & Gur Domestic & International Fundamentals

- Market sentiment remained dormant with prices fluctuating in between the same sluggish to moderate zone. However, future prices are expected to strengthen in near terms in International sugar exchanges due to a slack in production by Brazil.
- Contrary to the expectations, Brazilian sugar output improved; outraging a total production of 2.55 million tons for the month (till 2nd week of July). In a glimpse of improving future trade market, the diversion had been made (from ethanol to sweetener) so as to offset the lower cane yield in the country.
- The 20th Asia International Sugar Conference (AISC), 2014 will be held in Indonesia from 26-28 Aug, 2014. And the conference will focus upon exchange and evolvement of trade, investment and technology among the major Asian players.
- An additional import permit of 502000 tons raw sugar had been issued by Indonesian govt. for the latter half of the year. As so far, the govt. had permitted 2.6 million tons of sugar as against the targeted plan of 2.8 million tons for the full year.
- NCDEX is going to launch forward contracts for sugar and maize in which sellers and buyers can mutually do physically trading at specific price, quantity and time. NCDEX launched two different types of segments i.e. fixed and reference price contracts.
- Prices of gur improved today in key benchmark market Muzaffar nagar due to good demand at lower levels.
- Total around 864000 bags of gur stored in cold storages till 21st July 2014 lower compared to 1054000 bags at same period last year.
- Gur prices witness artificial firmness at present and likely move down in the coming days due to good stock availability in the Maharashtra markets. It is notable that cane has diverted more towards gur production in Pune and Sangli area this year. In addition to it, market participants is expecting early arrivals of gur for the next marketing year which drive the prices southwards in the medium term.

Outlook: Sugar prices are currently moving in a range with weaker tone due to lackluster trade. However, upcoming festive demand likely to increase sugar prices in the medium term as expected.

NCDEX Sugar Future Quotes

Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close
Aug-14	-7.00	3080.00	3087.00	3074.00	3079.00
Sept-14	0.00	3144.00	3144.00	3135.00	3136.00

Contract	Volume	Change	OI	Change
Aug-14	2,730	1,920	21320	250
Sept-14	300	110	9320	70

Spread	Aug-14	Sept-14
Basis	46.00	
Aug-14		57.00
Sept-14		

NCDEX Stock & Fed Position

Stocks	Demat	In-Process	Total	FED
	24.7.14	24.7.14	24.7.14	21.7.14
Kolhapur M	361	0	361	461
Delhi M	0	0	0	0
Belgaum M	100	0	100	100
Kolhapur S	11692	0	11692	11812
Sholapur S	100	0	100	100
Sangli S	301	0	301	301
Belgaum S	9670	0	9670	9670
Delhi S	40	0	40	40

NCDEX Gur Future Quotes:

Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close
Sep-14	-11.00	1221.50	1225.00	1206.00	1212.00
Nov-14	-10.00	1069.00	1069.00	1056.00	1056.00
Dec-14	-4.50	1055.00	1055.00	1048.00	1050.00

Contract	Volume	Change	OI	Change
Sep-14	3370	2430	7420	530
Nov-14	790	610	2390	220
Dec-14	280	250	830	60

Spread	Sept-14	Nov-14	Dec-14
Basis	-12		
Sept-14		-156	-162
Nov-14			-6

Gur Stock Position	Chaku	Raskut	Papdi	Total
2014	480000	49000	191000	864000
2013	66100	116000	164000	1054000

Brazil Sugar Quotes (Kingsman US\$/MT)(As on 24.07.14)

Commodity	Place	Price	Change
Raw Sugar FOB (\$/MT)	Santos Port	359.25	-2.75
Raw Sugar C&F (\$/MT)	Black Sea	387.25	-2.75
Sugar White FOB (\$/MT)	Santos Port	446.25	-1.75

Brazil White Sugar Premium (US\$/MT)

Contract	Close	+/-
May'14/May'14	NR	-
Aug'14/Jul'14	NR	-
Oct'14/Oct'14	NR	-

Brazil Sugar/ Ethanol Prices (In Cents/lb)

Contract	Close	+/-
Brazil Domestic Sugar	NR	-
Brazil Anhydrous	NR	-
Brazil Hydrous	NR	-

Commodity	Price (\$/Ton)	Change
Thai Sugar FOB 45 Icumsa	447.60	0.40

LIFFE Sugar Futures (In US\$/MT)

Contract	Open	High	Low	Close	+/-
14-Oct	447.5	454.8	445.4	447.6	0.4
14-Dec	462.4	469	460.8	462.8	0.9
15-Mar	480.2	485.8	479	481	0.6

ICE Sugar Futures (In Cents/Pound)

Contract	Open	High	Low	Close	+/-
14-Oct	16.96	17.33	16.94	17.05	0.09
15-Mar	18.51	18.87	18.51	18.67	0.13
15-May	18.7	19	18.7	18.83	0.13

Sugar and Jaggery (Gur) Prices at Key Spot Markets:

Commodity	Centre	Prices (Rs/Qtl)		Change
		25-Jul-14	24-Jul-14	
Sugar	Delhi - Grade M	3350	3350	Unch
	Delhi - Grade S	3300	3300	Unch
	Delhi - Grade L	NA	NA	-
	UP- Khatauli Grade M	3430	3435	-5
	UP- Ramala Grade M	3300	3300	Unch
	UP- Dhampur Grade M Ex-Mill	3340	3340	Unch
	UP- Dhampur Grade S Ex-Mill	3320	3320	Unch
	UP- Dhampur Grade L Ex-Mill	3390	3390	Unch
	Mumbai –Grade M	3331	3336	-5
	Mumbai –Grade S	3186	3186	Unch
	Kolhapur – Grade M	3125	3150	-25
	Kolhapur – Grade S	3000	3000	Unch
	Guhawati – Grade S	3309	3309	Unch
	Shillong – Grade S	3320	3320	Unch
	Vijayawada – Grade M	3580	3580	Unch
	Vijayawada- Grade S	3460	3460	Unch
	Nagpur – Grade M	3350	3350	Unch
	Nagpur – Grade S	3150	3150	Unch
	Kolkata – Grade M	3360	3360	Unch
	Chennai - Grade S	3150	3150	Unch
	Ambikapur (Chattisgarh)- Grade M (Without Duty)	3125	3125	Unch

	Ambikapur (Chattisgarh)- Grade S (Without Duty)	NA	NA	-
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Sugar Prices are in INR/Quintal. (1 Quintal=100 kg)

Gur Spot Prices (Rs/Qtl)				
		25-Jul-14	24-Jul-14	Change
Muzaffar Nagar	Chaku	3000	3100	-100
	Arrivals	NA	NA	-
	Khurpa	2875	2975	-100
	Laddu	3150	3225	-75
	Rascut	2875	2825	50
Seyana	Chaurasa	NA	NA	-
Hapur	Balti	NA	NA	-
Maharashtra	Lal Variety	3100	3100	Unch
Bangalore	Achhu	NA	NA	-
	Mudde	3800	3800	Unch
Belgaum	Mudde	NA	3000	-
Belthangadi	Yellow (Average)	3350	3350	Unch
Bijapur	Achhu	2975	3095	-120
Gulbarga	Other (Average)	NA	NA	-
Mahalingapura	Penti (Average)	3140	3150	-10
Mandya	Achhu (Medium)	2450	2400	50
	Kurikatu (Medium)	2350	2350	Unch
	Other (Medium)	2400	2400	Unch
	Yellow (Medium)	2450	2400	50
Shimoga	Achhu (Average)	3400	3400	Unch

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