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Sugar & Gur Domestic & International Fundamentals

- Sugar prices ruled unchanged with little volatility as producers continued selling at prevailing rates on less-than-expected demand.
- Cane crushing started in U.P and the state had churned around 196.86 lakh quintal of sugarcane to produce16.91 lakh quintal of sugar till 02nd Dec, 2014. Not only this, the cane recovery rate in U.P had also improved from 7.48% in 2013 to 8.59% in 2014.
- Sugar production in Maharashtra for 2014-15 ((till 02nd Dec, 2014) stands out at 112 lakh quintal which is 115% more than the production made last year during same time. Notably, the state crushed 130 lakh quintal of sugarcane this season ((till 02nd Dec, 2014) with an average recovery rate of 9.4%.
- Sugarcane SAP in Uttarakhand for this marketing year 2014-15.was declared at Rs 285/quintal for normal variety and Rs 295/quintal for early variety. Notably, the state last revised its cane SAP in 2012-13 (from Rs 250- Rs 285), after which no change in prices had been made so far.
- Brazil exported 1.74 million tons of raw sugar in November, 2014 which is 5% less than the export made last year in November. Similarly, the country saw a 17% fall in exports from October's figure due to an early wrap up of cane crushing by most of the mills in the region.
- Brazilian govt. had sanctioned its bio fuel law for increasing ethanol blending in petrol (from 25% to 27.5%) after meeting the required standard sticks of zero harmful effect of blending .Notably; the country had announced the law this year with the only condition laid that it shouldn't create any adverse impact, either on the environment or to the car's engine.

Outlook: Sugar prices are currently hovering in a range with weaker tone due to lackluster trade. However, lower expected yield in Brazil due to persistent dry weather condition and lengthening of intra-harvest period could stimulate prices in near future.

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Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec-14	2.00	2730.00	2737.0	0 2728.00	2734.00	Dec-14	0.00	931.00	938.00	928.50	938.00
Mar-15	13.00	2784.00	2800.0	0 2782.00	2797.00	Jan-15	-0.50	961.00	967.00	960.00	966.00
May-15	11.00	2893.00	2900.0	0 2882.00	2893.00						
Contract	Vo	ume	Change	OI	Change	Contract	Volu	ime Cł	nange	01	Change
Dec-14	9	00	510	9190	-160	Dec-14	72	20 -	-950	1930	-100
Mar-15	9	20	480	14240	190	Jan-15	71		-440	1120	20
May-15	1	80	110	2660	190						
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Spread	1	Dec-14		Mar-15	May-15	· <u> </u>					
Basis		16				Basis		-12.8			
Dec-14	Ļ			63	159	Dec-14			2	28	
Mar-15	;				96	Jan-15					

NCDEX Stock & Fed Position							
Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total	FED			
	02.12.14	02.12.14	02.12.14	01.12.14			
Kolhapur M	969	0	969	969			
Delhi M	-	-	-	-			
Belgaum M	-	-	-	-			
Kolhapur S	-	-	-	-			
Sholapur S	-	-	-	-			
Sangli S	-	-	-	-			
Belgaum S	-	-	-	-			
Delhi S	-	-	-	-			

Gur Stock Position	Chaku	Raskut	Papdi	Total
2014	-	-	-	-
2013	-	-	-	-



Brazil Sugar Quotes (Kingsman US\$/MT)(As on 02.12.14)

Commodity	Place	Price	Change
Raw Sugar FOB (\$/MT)	Santos Port	324.50	-
Raw Sugar C&F (\$/MT)	Black Sea	355.50	-
Sugar White FOB (\$/MT)	Santos Port	406.75	-

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/Ib)

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

Commodity	Price (\$/Ton)	Change
Thai Sugar FOB 45 Icumsa	400.40	-6.70

LIF	LIFFE Sugar Futures (In US\$/MT)				ICE Raw Sugar	r Futures	(In cents/	Pound)				
	Contract	Open	High	Low	Close	+/-	Contract	Open	High	Low	Close	+/-
	15-Mar	405.8	408.0	400.1	400.4	-6.7	15-Mar	15.5	15.68	15.2	15.2	-0.4
	15-May	416.3	418.3	411.3	411.5	-6.0	15-May	16.02	16.03	15.6	15.6	-0.3
	15-Aug	428.6	430.3	423.5	423.6	-6.1	15-Jul	16.24	16.25	15.9	15.9	-0.3

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

Commodity	Centre	Prices	(Rs/Qtl)	Change
		3-Dec-14	2-Dec-14	
	Delhi - Grade M	2895	2895	Unch
	Delhi - Grade S	2865	2865	Unch
	Delhi - Grade L	NA	NA	-
	UP- Khatauli Grade M	3040	3050	-10
	UP- Ramala Grade M	2870	2880	-10
	UP- Dhampur Grade M Ex-Mill	2950	2950	Unch
	UP- Dhampur Grade S Ex-Mill	2930	2930	Unch
	UP- Dhampur Grade L Ex-Mill	3000	3000	Unch
Sugar	Mumbai –Grade M	3020	3036	-16
	Mumbai –Grade S	2812	2786	26
	Kolhapur – Grade M	2750	2750	Unch
	Kolhapur – Grade S	2650	2650	Unch
	Guhawati – Grade S	2954	2954	Unch
	Shillong – Grade S	2970	2970	Unch
Γ	Vijayawada – Grade M	3280	3280	Unch
Γ	Vijayawada- Grade S	3080	3080	Unch
Γ	Nagpur – Grade M	3050	3100	-50



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	Nagpur – Grade S	2850	2900	-50		
	Kolkata – Grade M	3060	NA	-		
	Chennai - Grade S	2900	2900	Unch		
	Ambikapur (Chattisgarh)- Grade M (Without Duty)	3035	NA	-		
	Ambikapur (Chattisgarh)- Grade S (Without Duty)	3035	NA	-		
Sugar Prices are in INR/Quintal. (1 Quintal=100 kg)						

	Jaggery(Gur) Spot Prices (Rs/QtI)			
		3-Dec-14	2-Dec-14	Change
	Chaku	2313	2313	Unch
	Arrivals	7000	6000	1000
Muzaffar Nagar	Khurpa	2125	2125	Unch
	Laddu	2075	2288	-213
	Rascut	NA	NA	-
Seyana	Chaursa	2030	2013	18
Hapur	Balti	2038	2025	13
Maharashtra	Lal Variety	NA	NA	-
Denvelans	Achhu	NA	NA	-
Bangalore	Mudde	4150	4350	-200
Belgaum	Mudde	NA	NA	-
Belthangadi	Yellow (Average)	NA	3150	-
Bijapur	Achhu	NA	2520	-
Gulbarga	Other (Average)	2700	2740	-40
Mahalingapura	Penti (Average)	2630	2440	190
	Achhu (Medium)	NA	NA	-
Manaka	Kurikatu (Medium)	NA	NA	-
Mandya	Other (Medium)	NA	NA	-
	Yellow (Medium)	NA	NA	-
Shimoga	Achhu (Average)	3100	3100	Unch

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