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Recent Update:

Sugar physical market showed a mixed trend today in India. Sugar prices were stable in the Delhi market at Rs. 3525/qtl and in Kolhapur were at Rs. 3400 per quintal.

According to the Directorate General of Foreign trade, the department has extended restrictions on sugar export for one year up to 2023. The Central government extends the date of 'Restriction' on export of sugar (Raw sugar, Refined sugar, and White sugar) under HS codes 1701 14 90 and 1701 99 90 beyond 31st October, 2022 till 31st October, 2023, or until further orders, whichever is earlier. This restriction is not applicable to sugar being exported to EU and USA under CXL and TRQ quota. The other conditions will remain unchanged.

Earlier, to maintain the domestic availability and price stability of sugar, the government brought restrictions on sugar exports with effect from 1st June, 2022 till 31st October, 2022. Government shall allocate quota to the mills for export. As per market sources, India has contracted around 2.3 million tonnes of sugar of new crop prior to announcement of quota. India is expected to produce record sugar crop this year, which could allow exports of up to 8 million tonnes in the 2022-23 season. AgriWatch expects sugar exports of around 7.5 million tonnes in the 2022-23 season.

In a notification issued on 28th October 2022, the food ministry has allocated higher monthly sales quota of 22 Lakh MT (LMT), compared to 0.5 LMT lower allocated during November 2021. During the previous month government allocated 23.5 LMT quota. As per market sources, sugar prices in the first half of the month are likely to remain supportive and range-bound in second half of the month as more new sugar starts flowing into the domestic market.



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The sugarcane crushing season has been affected due to heavy rains in Maharashtra during the last few weeks. As per the traders and millers, sugarcane crushing is likely to start with full capacity by 10th November 2022. As Transportation labor would come after Diwali celebrations and by that time weather will also become favorable for harvesting and crushing.

Around 203 sugar mills are likely to participate in the cane crushing operation out of the total 246 sugar mills in the state. So far 73 sugar mills had taken permission for cane crushing in the 2022-23 season. The estimated sugarcane production in the state may reach 1,343 lakh tonnes against 1,321 lakh tonnes in the 2021-22 season. The sugar production may rise to 138 lakh tonnes against 137 lakh tonnes during the previous season.

Weather Forecast

Heavy rainfall at isolated places over the Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry & Karaikal, Kerala & Mahe, Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam. Thunderstorm accompanied with lightening at isolated places over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam, Kerala & Mahe, Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry & Karikal.

International Market Updates:

Sugar Production from Center south region of Brazil is set to recover to 36 million tonnes from previous estimate of 33 million tonnes in 2022-23 season. The sugar will hit the global market by May 2023, the freight rates have also fallen which will further help in higher exports from Brazil.

Both Thailand and India's sugar production is expected to increase in the 2022-23 season. Sugar production may increase to 10.5-11 million tonnes in the 2022-23 season. India's sugar production is expected to increase to 36 million tonnes as compared to 30 million tonnes in 2021-22 season.

Ethanol:

As per the Uttar Pradesh government, the state's ethanol capacity is pegged at 2 billion liters per annum. The ethanol capacity is expected to touch 2.25 billion liters per annum in coming years. In the current 2022-23 sugarcane crushing season, 5 private mills will directly manufacture ethanol from sugarcane juice without producing sugar. Besides 71 other mills who will produce ethanol from B-heavy molasses.

According to the market sources, the center may hike the ethanol purchase price by Rs.2 per liter for the 2022-23 season (Dec-Nov). According to the Ministry of petroleum and natural gas, the government has achieved 10.3% ethanol blending in petrol as of September 2022, ahead of the November 2022 deadline. Earlier, during the 2021-22 season, the government increased the

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procurement price of all three categories of ethanol produced from different sources by 1.27 to 2.55 percent. (To achieve 20 percent blending by 2025, India needs 10.2-11 billion litres of ethanol.

During the ethanol supply year 2021-22, till 04th September 2022, around 3.33 billion litres of ethanol has been supplied, out of which sugar industry has contributed about 2.87 billion litres (86%) and grain-based distillers the rest.

Note: Brazil Ethanol production has increased by 2% to 2.12 billion litres till the first half of September 2022.

S.N		Opening Stock	Production To Date	Stock On Date	Sale in Hand	Last Sold Rate				
0	Factory Name		(in Lac B.L.)							
			15th October 2022							
1	ANOOPSAHAR (ANOO)	3.46	29.24	0.43	44.98	59.08				
2	GHOSI (GHOS)	3.7	9.28	0.33	27.54	59.08				
3	KAIMGANJ (KAIM)	1.62	0	1.59	9.57	46.66				
4	MAJHOLA (MAJH)	0	0	0	0	0				
5	NANAUTA (NANA)	2.58	11.14	0.79	29.63	46.66				
6	NANAPRA (NANP)	0	0	0.5	7	46.66				
	SAMPORNANAGAR									
7	(SAMP)	4.84	6.91	0.3	61.9	46.66				
8	SATHIAON (SATN)	14.44	19.06	1.14	29.74	59.08				
9	SNEH ROAD (SNEH)	0.13	42.84	0.07	92	59.08				
Tota										
		30.77	118.47	5.15	302.36					

Uttar Pradesh: Mill-wise Ethanol List (15/10/2022)

International Sugar Futures ICE (US Cent/lb)

	Daily Futures Price Listing Friday, Oct 28th, 2022											
			Previous Day									
Month	Date	Open	High	Low	Close	Change	Volume	Open Int	Change			
	Sugar #11(ICE)											
<u>22-Mar</u>	221028	17.72	17.73	17.55	17.58	-0.13	60,603	330,138	-1,250			
<u>23-May</u>	221028	16.8	16.81	16.64	16.65	-0.14	18,328	148,907	1,574			
<u>23-Jul</u>	221028	16.3	16.3	16.18	16.19	-0.1	8,127	99,288	856			
<u>23-Oct</u>	221028	16.37	16.37	16.24	16.26	-0.1	3,113	65,457	349			
<u>24-Mar</u>	221028	16.55	16.58	16.48	16.51	-0.09	2,225	35,372	150			

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<u>24-May</u>	221028	16.12	16.14	16.04	16.08	-0.06	675	9,811	19
<u>24-Jul</u>	221028	15.82	15.86	15.75	15.8	-0.04	466	11,620	115
<u>24-Oct</u>	221028	15.8	15.87	15.79	15.83	-0.02	309	10,624	-128
Total Volume and Open Interest								725,232	1,729

Source: MRCI

International Sugar Futures LIFFE (US \$/MT)

	Daily Futures Price Listing Friday, Oct 28th 2022											
		I	Previous Da	у								
Month	Date	Open	High	Low	Close	Change	Volume	Open Int	Change			
	London Sugar (LCE)											
<u>22-Dec</u>	221028	519.7	520.4	514.6	515.6	-1.6	6,332	34,564	-1552			
<u>23-Mar</u>	221028	486.8	487	483.5	484.5	-1.1	3,303	20,577	57			
<u>23-May</u>	221028	477.9	478.3	475.1	476.5	-0.9	1709	11,683	717			
<u>23-Aug</u>	221028	467.4	468.4	464.8	466.6	-1.2	555	6,312	-68			
<u>23-Oct</u>	221028	458	458.5	456.5	458.5	-1.1	243	5,683	49			
Total Volu	ime and Ope	en Interest					12,251	82,479	-698			

Source: MRCI

Wholesale Price Index (WPI)													
Ye	ar	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
20	22	199.8	199.8	199.8	199.8	199.8	199.8	199.8	199.8	199.8			

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DOMESTIC PRICES AND ARRIVAL

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Commodity			Prices ((Rs/Qtl)		
Sugar	- Centre	Variety	29-Oct-22	28-Oct-22	Change	
D.11.	Delhi	M-Grade	3525	3525	Unch	
Delhi	Delhi	S-Grade	3505	3505	Unch	
	Khatauli	M-Grade	3680	3680	Unch	
	Ramala	M-Grade	3515	3515	Unch	
Uttar Pradesh	Dhampur	M-Grade Ex-Mill	3560	3560	Unch	
	Dhampur	S-Grade Ex-Mill	3540	3540	Unch	
	Dhampur	L-Grade Ex-Mill	3610	3610	Unch	
	Mumbai	M-Grade	3650	3650	Unch	
	Mumbai	S-Grade	3536	3536	Unch	
M - L L	Nagpur	M-Grade	3525	3500	25	
Maharashtra	Nagpur	S-Grade	3475	3450	25	
	Kolhapur	M-Grade	3400	3375	25	
	Kolhapur	S-Grade	3350	3325	25	
Assam	Guhawati	S-Grade	3664	3639	25	
Meghalaya	Shillong	S-Grade	3670	3645	25	
A Jhave Dave Jacob	Vijayawada	M-Grade (With Duty)	3880	3880	Unch	
Andhra Pradesh	Vijayawada	S-Grade (With Duty)	3840	3840	Unch	
West Bengal	Kolkata	M-Grade	3900	3900	Unch	
	Chennai	S-Grade (With GST)	3450	3450	Unch	
Tamil Nadu	Dindigul	M-Grade (DCA)	3860	3860	Unch	
	Coimbatore	M-Grade (DCA)	3840	3840	Unch	
Chattisgarh	Ambikapur	M-Grade (Without Duty)	3850	3850	Unch	

Jaggery (Gur) Prices at Key Spot Markets:										
Commodity	Centre	Variety	Prices (Change						
Jaggery(Gur)			29-Oct-22	28-Oct-22	Change					
	Muzaffarnagar	Chaku Fresh	3538	3550	-13					
Uttar Pradesh	Muzaffarnagar	Chaku(Arrival)(40kg Bag)	7000	7000	Unch					
	Muzaffarnagar	Khurpa (Fresh)	3028	3350	-323					

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	Muzaffarnagar	Laddoo (Fresh)	3438	3800	-363
	Muzaffarnagar	Rascut (Fresh)	2750	NA	-
	Hapur	Chaursa	2900	2900	Unch
	Hapur	Balti	3070	3070	Unch
		Gold	NR	NR	-
Andhra Pradesh	Chittur	White	NR	NR	-
		Black	NR	NR	-
Maharashtra	Latur	Lal Variety	NR	NR	-
	Bangalore	Mudde (Average)	4650	4650	Unch
	Belgaum	Mudde (Average)	NA	NA	-
	Belthangadi	Yellow (Average)	NA	NA	-
	Bijapur/Vijayapura	Achhu	NA	NA	-
	Gulbarga/Kalaburgi	Other (Average)	2850	2550	300
Karnataka	Mahalingapura	Penti (Average)	NA	NA	-
	Mandya	Achhu (Medium)	3550	3570	-20
	Mandya	Kurikatu (Medium)	3400	3430	-30
	Mandya	Other (Medium)	3450	3420	30
	Mandya	Yellow (Medium)	3600	3650	-50
	Shimoga/Shivamogga	Achhu (Average)	3850	3850	Unch

INTERNATIONAL SUGAR PRICES

International Sugar Futures ICE					(Rs/Qtl)	
	% Change	Today	Week ago	Month Ago	Year Ago	RBI Dollar
Futures month	over previou s year	28-Oct- 22	21-Oct- 22	28-Sep-22	29-Oct- 21	28-Oct-22
Oct-22	-2.94	3001	3166	3355	3092	
Mar-23	0.53	3245	3407	3249	3228	82.40
May-23	-3.18	3073	3240	3117	3174	

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	% Change	Today	Week ago	Month Ago	Year Ago	RBI Dollar	
Futures month	over previou s year	28-Oct- 22	21-Oct- 22	28-Sep-22	29-Oct- 21	28-Oct-22	
Oct-22	5.96	3926	4065	3876	3705		
Dec-22	4.56	3778	3915	4320	3613	82.40	
Mar-23	7.10	3992	4141	3950	3728		

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