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Wheat Domestic Fundamentals:

- Wheat crop in major growing region in India is in good condition and recent rains in Punjab, especially in Faridkot and Bathinda region have benefited the late shown crop and it would ensure better growth for standing crop. Recent rainfall has given much needed respite to the wheat farmers in the region, they can apply fertilizers like urea to the wheat crop without irrigation. Moisture level in field has increased and there is no need of canal irrigation immediately.
- According to IBIS, export of wheat in the fifth week of January (26 Jan-01 Feb) was around 1313 MT. The major export destination of Indian wheat was UAE from Mundra port which accounted 688 MT at an average FOB price of \$302.10/Tn Other countries were Malaysia and China.
- Wheat cash markets in India trades range bound and any jump from current level is unlikely due to smooth supply side from central pool stock and virtually negligible demand for export. Besides, crop condition is satisfactory so far and better yield is expected this year on the back of favorable weather condition throughout the growing regions.
- As of now Wheat area has slightly decreased by around 3% in comparison to last year till date. As per latest update by agriculture ministry wheat coverage during 2014-15 has been registered at 305.6 lakh hectares against corresponding period of 2013-14(313.69 lakh hectares).
- The global wheat market gained in recent weeks considerably on the back of likely imposition of export tax by Russia from 1st February, 2015. Besides, weather concern also lent support to global wheat market in recent days. Prices moved from around \$250 to \$280 per tonne in last one month. Recent gains in global wheat market have provided export opportunity for India once again. However cheaper supply from EU and prevailing higher prices in domestic market remain a major constraint for Indian exporters.
- Wheat stock in govt.'s granary on 15th January was recorded at 24.01 million tonne against 25.11 on 01st January. India needs 8.2 million tonne wheat as buffer stock and 3 million tonne as strategic reserve as on 1st January, 2014. Actual holding with govt. is at comfortable stage and supply side would be ample throughout the season.

International Market Update:

- Tunisia continues to buy wheat to meet its requirement. Its grain agency has invited international tender for 1.17 lakh tonne for soft milling wheat. European trades have said that delivery for this wheat is sought in March and April. More tenders is expected in mid Feb-2015. Timing of delivery may vary depending on sourcing countries.
- The Ukrainian government and traders have agreed that no more than 1.2 million tonnes of Ukrainian milling wheat will be exported between Jan. 1 and June 30. The volume will fulfill all their export obligations in which sales of milling wheat will not exceed 900,000 tonnes in the first quarter in 2015 and 300,000 in the following three months.
- They have taken this decision as Ukraine wheat demand will increase and their domestic prices as well as Russia has restrained their wheat export. Ukraine harvested a record 24.1 million tonnes of wheat in 2014 and its domestic consumption does not exceed 12 million tones therefore the agreed memorandum will not allow wheat exports to exceed 12.8 million tonnes this season, which runs from July to June as they have exported around 8.5 million tonnes of wheat so far this season.
- Algeria's state grains agency OAIC bought around 2.50 3.50 tonnes of milling wheat at an average price of \$256/tonne (CiF) which has to be delivered in May. The origin is optional but it may come from France and Germany, according to a trader.

Domestic market Outlook: Wheat cash market is likely to move range bound.

NCDEX Wheat Futures Date:04:02:2015									
Contract	+/-	Open	High	Low	Close	Volume	Change	OI	Change
Feb-15	-5	1663	1675	1663	1668	940	310	2,670	-460
Mar-15	-9	1637	1642	1632	1632	220	130	2,910	100
Apr-15	-6	1544	1544	1520	1522	60	30	460	20



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Spread	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	
Spot Delhi				
Feb-15	-3			
Mar-15		-36		
Apr-15			-110	

Stocks	Demat	In- Process	Total	FED
	03.2.2015	03.2.2015	03.2.2015	02.2.2015
Delhi	674	0	674	674
Itarsi	-	-	-	-
Kanpur	-	-	-	-
Kota	-	-	-	-
Rajkot	-	-	-	-

Wheat (CBOT) Future:

CBOT Futures Prices: Date: 03.02.15 (USD/T)							
CONTRACT MONTH	03 Feb 15	Week ago (27 Jan 2015)	1 Month ago(05 Jan 15)	3 Month ago(06 Nov 14)	6 Month ago(06 Aug 14)	1 Year ago(06 Feb 14)	% Change over previous year
15-Mar	189.74	197.2	226.13	197.11	213.18	222.83	-14.43
15-May	191.25	198.4	227.42	199.87	218.51	223.2	-13.91
15-Jul	193.04	199.68	227.88	202.71	222.64	220.44	-11.88
15-Sep	196.15	202.53	230.45	206.39	227.05	222.74	-11.38
15-Dec	201.6	206.66	234.22	210.89	232.84	226.13	-10.8
16-Mar	203.51	208.96	235.69	214.29	236.24	228.52	-10.69

Wheat Daily Prices and Arrivals on 04.2.2015

Centre	Market	Variety	Prices	(Rs/Qtl)	Change
			4-Feb-15	03-Feb-15	
Delhi	Lawrence Road	Mill Delivery	1665	1665	Unch
Denn	Narella	Mill Quality Loose	Closed	1590	-
	Nazafgarh	Mill Quality Loose	Closed	1620	-
	Rajkot	Mill Delivery	1650	1650	Unch
Gujarat	Ahmedabad	Mill Delivery	1760	1730	30
	Surat	Mill Delivery	1780	1760	20
M.P.	Bhopal	Lokwan	1630	1625	5
M.P.	Indore	Mill Delivery	1575	665 1665 osed 1590 osed 1620 650 1650 760 1730 780 1760 630 1625 575 1575 525 1525 600 1600 565 1575	Unch
Rajasthan	Kota	Mill Quality Loose	1525	1525	Unch
Kajastiiaii	Kota	Mill Delivery	1600	1600	Unch
	Kanpur	Mill Delivery	1565	1565	Unch
U.P.	Mathura	Mill Quality Loose	1600	1575	25
U.F.	Kosi	Mill Quality Loose	1600	1665 1590 1620 1650 1730 1760 1625 1575 1525 1600 1565 1575	Unch
	Hathras	Mill Quality Loose	1590	NR	-



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	Aligarh	Mill Quality Loose	Closed	1550	-
Duniah	Khanna	Mill Quality Loose	1530	1520	10
Punjab	(Ludhiana)Jagraon	Mill Delivery	1560	1520 1560 1510 1680 NA 1620 NA 1825 1882 1882 1525 1750 1725	Unch
	Sirsa	Mill Delivery loose	1510	1510	Unch
	Hodal	Mill Delivery	1680	1680	Unch
Haryana	Karnal	Mill Delivery	NA	NA	-
	Bhiwani	Mill Quality Loose	1620	1620	Unch
	Panipat	Mill Quality Loose	1530 1520 1560 1560 1510 1510 1680 1680 NA NA 1620 1620 NA NA 1825 1825 1882 1882 1525 1525 NR 1750	-	
	Chennai	Mill Quality	1825	1825	Unch
Tamil Nadu	Madurai	Mill Quality	1882	1882	Unch
Tidad	Coimbatore	Mill Quality	1882	1882	Unch
Bihar	Sitamari	Mill Delivery	1525	1525	Unch
Dillar	Khagariya	Mill Delivery	NR	1750	-
FOR	Kandla(Rajasthan-Kota)	Mill Quality	1725	1725	Unch
FOR	Gandhidham(Rajasthan-Kota)	Mill Quality	1725	1725	Unch

Centre	Market	Variety	Arrivals	(Bags/Qtl)	Change
			4-Feb-15	3-Feb-15	
Delhi	Lawrence Road	Mill Delivery	NA	NA	-
Denn	Narella	Mill Quality Loose	Closed	50	-
	Nazafgarh	Mill Quality Loose	Closed	50	-
Cuionat	Rajkot	Mill Quality Loose	1200	800	400
Gujarat -	Ahmedabad	Mill Delivery	NA	NA	-
M.P.	Bhopal	Lokwan	NA	NA	-
MI.P.	Indore	Mill Quality Loose	500	500	Unch
Rajasthan	Kota	Mill Quality	3000	4000	-1000
	Kanpur	Mill Quality Loose	400	500	-100
	Mathura	Mill Quality Loose	300	300	Unch
U.P.	Kosi	Mill Quality Loose	150	200	-50
	Hathras	Mill Quality Loose	NA NA se Closed 50 se Closed 50 se 1200 800 NA NA NA se 500 500 3000 4000 se 400 500 se 300 300 se 200 NR se 200 NR se Roo 800 se NA NA se 50 100 NA NA NA se 200 200	-	
Ι Γ	Aligarh	Mill Quality Loose	Closed	100	-
Duniah	Khanna	Mill Quality Loose	800	800	Unch
Punjab -	(Ludhiana)Jagraon	Mill Quality Loose	NA	NA	-
	Sirsa	Mill Quality Loose	200	50	150
Γ	Hodal	Mill Quality Loose	50	100	-50
Haryana	Karnal	Mill Delivery	NA	NA	-
Γ	Bhiwani	Mill Quality Loose	200	200	Unch
	Panipat	Mill Quality Loose	NA	NA	-



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Wheat Products Delhi	4-Feb-15	3-Feb-15	Change
Atta (50kg) Ordinary	965	965	Unch
Maida Grade 1 (90kg)	2202	2202	Unch
Maida Grade 1 (50KG)	1205	1205	Unch
Suji (50kg)	1230	1230	Unch
Chokar (50 kg)	743	743	Unch
Chokar (34 kg)	499	499	Unch
Chakki Atta (50kg)	1015	1015	Unch
Chakki Atta (50kg) Special	NA	NA	-
Chakki Atta (90kg) Superfine	1861	1861	Unch
Chakki Atta (50kg) Superfine	NA	NA	-

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