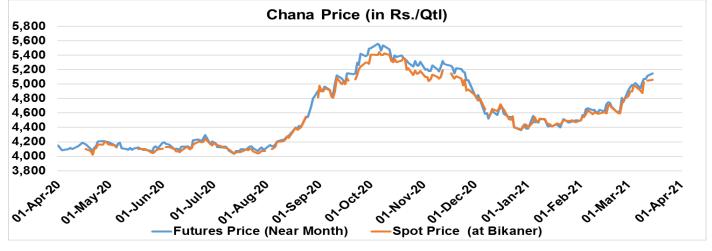




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### **Price Movement: NCDEX**



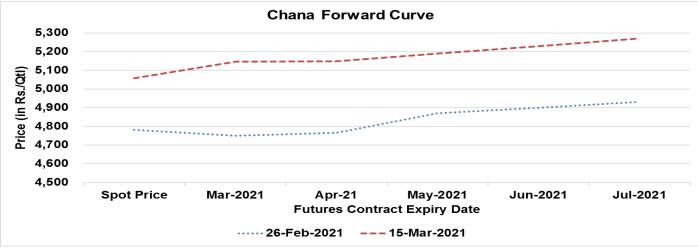
| Attribute (Price in Rs./Qtl.) | 15-Mar-2021 | 26-Feb-2021 | % Change | 13-Mar-20 | % Change Y-O-Y |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------|-----------|----------------|
| Futures Price (Near Month)    | 5,147       | 4,749       | 8.4      | 3,893     | 22             |
| Spot Price (at Bikaner)       | 5,058       | 4,780       | 5.8      | 3,869     | 24             |

# **Futures Price on NCDEX**

| Expiry Date | Price (in Rs./Qtl) |           |        | Open Interest |           |        |  |
|-------------|--------------------|-----------|--------|---------------|-----------|--------|--|
|             | 15-Mar-21          | 26-Feb-21 | % Chg. | 15-Mar-21     | 26-Feb-21 | % Chg. |  |
| 19-Mar-21   | 5,147              | 4,749     | 8      | 8,390         | 27,730    | -70    |  |
| 20-Apr-21   | 5,148              | 4,766     | 8      | 73,770        | 32,240    | 129    |  |
| 20-May-21   | 5,189              | 4,869     | 7      | 8,530         | 1,440     | 492    |  |
| 18-Jun-21   | 5,230              | 4,900     | 7      | 10            | 10        | 0      |  |
| 20-Jul-21   | 5,271              | 4,931     | 7      | 0             | 0         | 0      |  |
| 20-Aug-21   | 5,312              | 0         | 0      | 0             | 0         | 0      |  |

Futures Prices are of Ex Basis Center. (Bikaner)

# **Forward Curve Shift**



\*\* Forward curves as on February 26th and March 15th are included to show shift in curve with time. (Source: NCDEX)



# **ARRIVAL STATE WISE**

In the marketing year 2020-21 (Apr-Mar), total arrivals of Chana have decreased 26% so far from the same in the corresponding period a year ago.

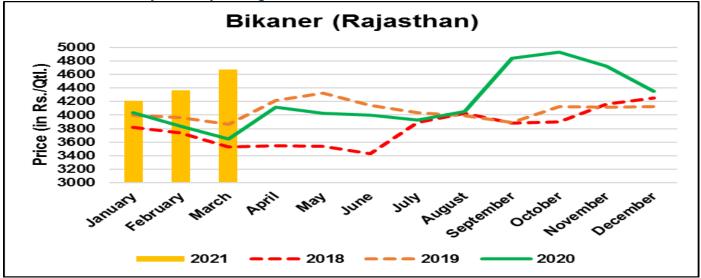
| State-Wise (Qty in MT) | This Year Last Year   |                       | % Change from Last Year |  |
|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|--|
|                        | 01/04/2020-15/03/2021 | 01/04/2019-15/03/2020 |                         |  |
| Madhya Pradesh         | 733,895               | 1,363,195             | -46                     |  |
| Maharashtra            | 395,234               | 375,378               | 5                       |  |
| Rajasthan              | 301,257               | 338,778               | -11                     |  |
| Gujarat                | 250,298               | 190,393               | 31                      |  |
| Uttar Pradesh          | 203,098               | 246,663               | -18                     |  |
| Karnataka              | 125,532               | 144,301               | -13                     |  |
| Chattisgarh            | 76,620                | 148,955               | -49                     |  |
| Telangana              | 12,958                | 13,268                | -2                      |  |
| West Bengal            | 7,483                 | 11,213                | -33                     |  |
| India                  | 2,113,942             | 2,872,050             | -26                     |  |

Source: Agmarknet

#### STOCK POSITION: NCDEX As on March 16, 2021

| AS UT MAICH 10,2021 |              |             |       |
|---------------------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Location Quanti     |              |             |       |
|                     |              | Valid Stock |       |
|                     | Unencumbered | Pledged     |       |
| Akola               | 0            | 0           | 152   |
| Bikaner             | 2,791        | 0           | 757   |
| Indore              | 0            | 0           | 20    |
| Jaipur              | 1432         | 0           | 3,062 |
| Total               | 4,223        | 0           | 3,991 |

# Chana Price Seasonality: Monthly Average Prices



Source: Agmarknet (Modal Prices)

## Chana State-Wise Coverage (Area in Lakh ha)

| State-Wise (Qty in MT)                                                          | This Year (2020-21) | Last Year (2019-20) | % Change from Last Year |  |  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| Madhya Pradesh                                                                  | 26                  | 27                  | -6                      |  |  |
| Maharashtra                                                                     | 25                  | 22                  | 13                      |  |  |
| Rajasthan                                                                       | 21                  | 21                  | -1                      |  |  |
| Gujarat                                                                         | 8                   | 4                   | 119                     |  |  |
| India                                                                           | 112                 | 107                 | 4                       |  |  |
| Courses Ministry of Agriculture 9, Formers Wolfers (Lest undeted on 20.04.2024) |                     |                     |                         |  |  |

Source: Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare (Last updated on 29.01.2021)



### CHANA DISPOSAL: NAFED on 16.03.2021, NAFED has disposed Chana in following price range:

| Commodity | State          | Season    | Price range |       |
|-----------|----------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
|           |                |           | Low         | High  |
| Gram      | Madhya Pradesh | Rabi 2020 | 4,801       | 4,857 |
|           | Rajasthan      | Rabi 2020 | 4,951       | 5,009 |

### **Major Media News:**

- Pulses trade urges Centre to fix import quota soon ((Source <u>Hindu Business Line</u>)
- Rajasthan reports over 33% crop loss from farms attacked by locusts (Source Hindu Business Line)
- Import of pulses to improve availability and check prices (Source PIB)
- Off-season rains boost chana's prospects (Source <u>Hindu Business Line</u>)

### **Highlights:**

- Chana prices up 8% in the fortnight to Mar 15; Up 22% on year as on Mar 15
- NAFED auction range at highest as the 2020 crop season nears end

Legends:

Rs./Qtl- Indian Rupees per Quintal or per 100 Kgs MT: Metric Tonne

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